

10 Fast Facts About AstroGuard Hurricane Fabric

You May Have Seen It in your neighborhood, heard friends talk about it, or read about it in the news, but lots of people still have questions about AstroGuard Hurricane Fabric. Here's a quick summary of what AstroGuard is and why it's one of the fastest-growing hurricane protection products on the market.

1: What Is AstroGuard Hurricane Fabric?

AstroGuard is a nylon hybrid fabric that is placed over your windows, doors, garage & lanai/patio openings to protect your home during a hurricane. Its high-strength fibers are woven & resin-coated, making it incredibly **STRONG & SAFE**. AstroGuard defends against wind, water, & flying debris in excess of the Category 5 hurricane level.

2: Does It Really Work?

Absolutely. AstroGuard protects your home better than metal panels, clear panels, plywood, roll-downs & more. Wanna see for yourself? Visit www.HurricaneFabric.com to see test lab footage of large missile impact tests & see how AstroGuard outperforms the competition.

3: Is It NOA/Florida Building Code Approved?

Yes. AstroGuard has passed the rigorous testing necessary to gain NOA approval (#10-0607.02) & Florida Building Code approval (#15208). It is also approved for use in High Velocity Hurricane Zones by the State of Florida, which includes all Miami/Dade counties.

4: How Strong Is AstroGuard?

Well, AstroGuard is 55% stronger than most other hurricane fabrics (& half the cost, too). And, with a burst strength of well over 1,500 lbs., AstroGuard easily outranks metal panels, roll-downs, accordions, & other traditional hurricane systems.

5: Is It Expensive?

Believe it or not, AstroGuard is one of the **LEAST** expensive hurricane protection systems available. Stronger, safer, more affordable, & easier to deploy. These are the reasons why AstroGuard is the **NEXT GENERATION** of hurricane protection.

6: Will AstroGuard Satisfy My Homeowner's Insurance?

These days, many insurance companies are requiring homeowners to install approved hurricane protection. This reduces claims to the insurance carriers & protects homeowners from storm damage. AstroGuard is fully recognized & accepted by major insurance companies. Some clients have seen rate reductions of up to 40% on their policies by installing AstroGuard.

7: Is it Hard to Put Up?

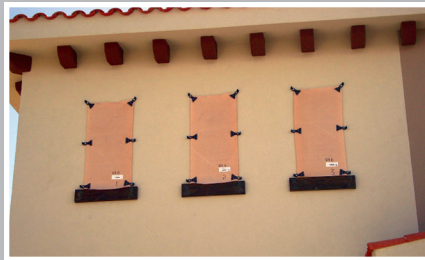
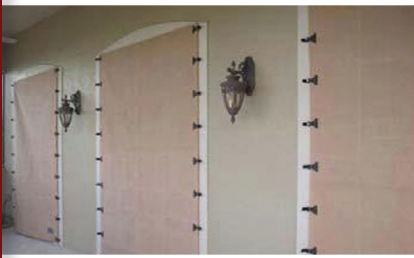
No. Weighing only ounces per square yard, AstroGuard is easy to deploy at storm time. All you need is a Phillips screwdriver. You will never have to wrestle heavy, sharp metal panels again!

8: How do I Store AstroGuard?

AstroGuard folds up neatly into its own storage bags, taking up very little room in an attic, storage unit or garage.

9: Does it let Light Through?

Yes. AstroGuard is translucent, so it lets light in through your windows, doors and lanai. Say goodbye to the "cave" feeling of traditional shutters.



Protect Your Home AND Reduce Your Insurance Rates

Did you know?

- ▼ Insurance discounts for hurricane protection are required by Florida State Law.
- ▼ Citizens Insurance requires verifiable hurricane protection for policy renewal.†
- ▼ Remodeled homes are required to have verifiable wind protection.††
- ▼ AstroGuard customers have seen annual insurance savings of 25% with an estimated average payback in 2.5 years.
- ▼ AstroGuard is half the cost of traditional shutters.†††
- ▼ Plywood does not meet impact standards and does not qualify for full insurance discounts.
- ▼ Plywood does not offer adequate protection from windborne debris.
- ▼ Plywood has limited use due to deterioration, lack of durability and storage challenges.

† homes valued at \$750k or more

†† remodel value of \$50k or more

††† according to competitive research as of July 2010

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