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## Gutterglove IceBreaker

This heated gutter guard incorporates a separate built-in channel for a self-regulating heat cable. The heat cable is completely enclosed with aluminum, allowing for optimum heat transfer from the cable throughout the gutter, melting every piece of ice in or on the gutter. IceBreaker uses a unique form of aluminum alloy that is used in heat sinks in electronic equipment where the highest potential of radiant-heat transfer is required. This aluminum alloy absorbs and transfers heat 20 percent better than the aluminum alloys used in many existing gutter-protection systems.

### Highlights

- IceBreaker can be installed on any roof type, including metal, tile, and asphalt and wood shingle. It will also work on any gutter type.
- Energy efficient: IceBreaker performs its ice melting features with the use of just one heat cable.
- Uses a snap-on heat sink to transfer warmth to the bottom of the gutter, melting ice without additional heat cables.
- There are many colors to choose from that can closely match the color of existing gutters to the plate cover.
- Cutting-edge moisture and temperature sensors are used to control the on/off status of the heated cables to optimize energy conservation.
- Snow and ice are converted to water for harvesting during cold winter months.

### Warranty

When installed by a certified Gutterglove installer, a lifetime guarantee of 25 years ensures gutters and downspouts won't clog

### Approval, Certifications, Patents

Patent pending

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