

Re: how to get a screw into a drillhole behind the material

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jim beam <nospam@example.net> wrote in message news:<sOGdnTZDqfkiTB7cRVn-jQ@comcast.com>...
> *Jim Y wrote:*
> <snip drivel>
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> *take this stuff over to alt.building.construction. thanks.*

This one is not that hard.

Just measure the distances, taking care to do it accurately.

It is easy to measure to the 32nd of an inch, and that is plenty close.

You have to have a place to start measuring from. Your shingles probably have uneven edges. So take a fine marker and create very small dots or x's on surrounding shingles. Measure from there to the screwholes. Put your sheet metal down and measure again.