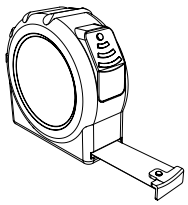
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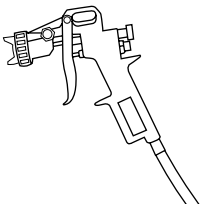
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dECO Flex Direct Fix

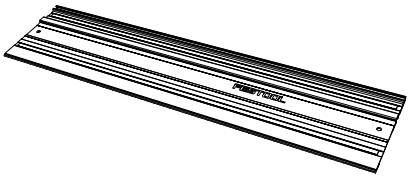
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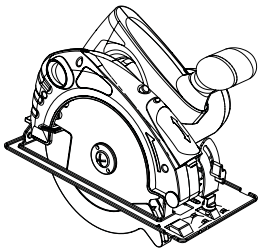
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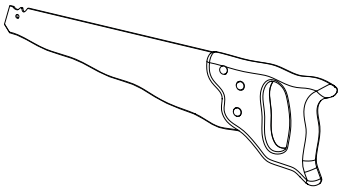


Saw Track and Guide



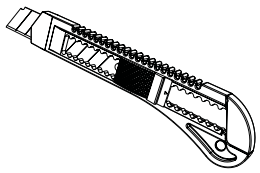
Fine-tooth Blade

or



Procut Insulation Hand Saw

or



Knife



Pencil

Handling and Storage

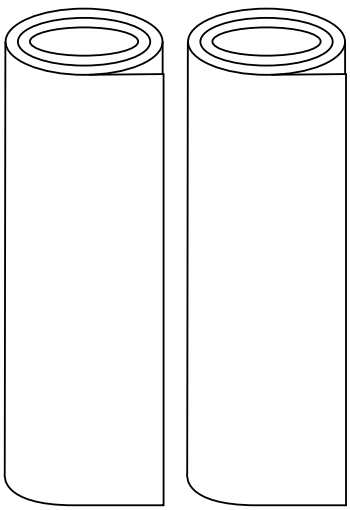
Please read these instructions carefully prior to beginning the installation.

Ensure that you have the planned installation guide from your architect/builder to follow.

When handling, ensure you have clean hands. Alternatively, use clean gloves to reduce markings on light colours.

Always transport and store rolls standing upright - do not transport or store the rolls horizontally as this may crush the nap of the fabric.

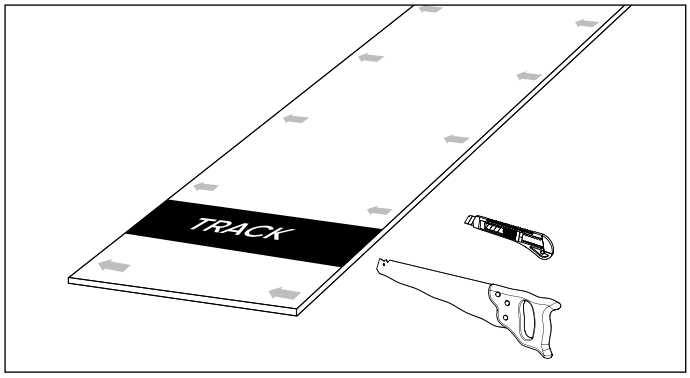
Store in a cool, dry place avoiding humidity.



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Cutting dECO Flex

- We recommend cutting the product using a saw fitted with a Fine-tooth blade with track and guide, a Procut handsaw or Stanley knife.



- If you are using a blade, ensure the blade is 90 degrees to the surface for square edges, this will achieve the best result on butt joins.
- Ensure the blade is sharp and not too long or flexible to avoid skew cuts. Replace the blade often to maintain sharpness. For best results, take care and use multiple cuts and light pressure.
- Keep flat and use a backing mat.
- Use a secure straight edge for straight cuts.

When installing product around internal services, simply cut product and fit around the existing services.

OR

If you need to create holes to insert services, you can use a soldering iron. This will successfully melt holes into polyester acoustic products.

Adhesive

- dECO Flex can be directly fixed to wall surfaces using Tensorgrip X41 or Sabre S42 spray adhesive.
- It is the installer's responsibility to ensure adequate substrate preparation and the correct amount of adhesive is applied.
- Ensuring sufficient bonded surface is critical for achieving a sufficient wet grab strength (initial grab) to hold the dECO Flex product in place whilst the adhesive cures.

Before Installation

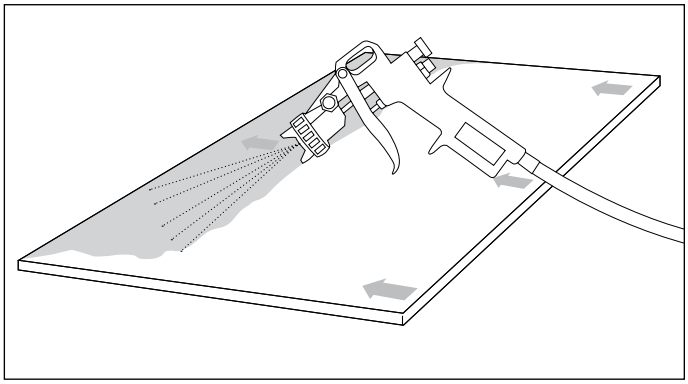
As dECO Flex is supplied in roll form, ensure the roll is laid flat prior to installation to flatten any curving memory, this will remove any lift when installed.

This installation guide applies to wall installations only. Any non-wall application please reach out to designlink@csr.com.au

Installation Procedure

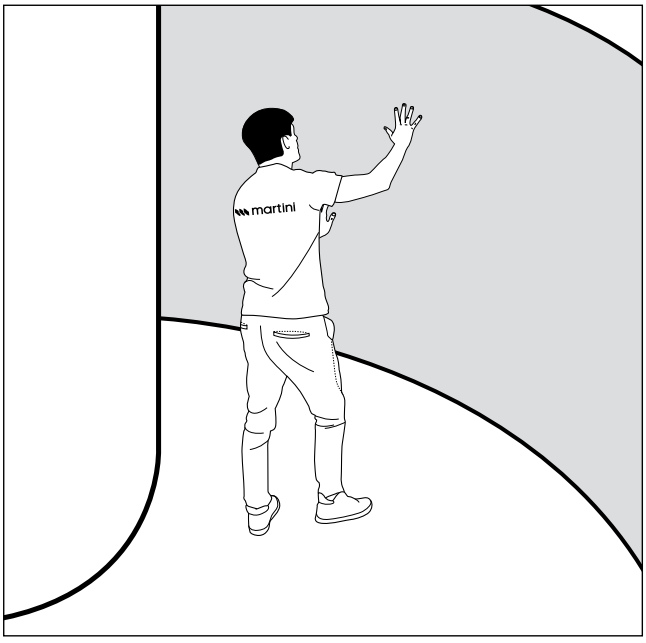
Apply the spray adhesive to both the rear face of the dECO Flex panel and the substrate.

- Hold the spray gun approximately 100 to 200 mm from the surface and maintain the gun at approximately 90° to the substrate.
- Apply the spray adhesive to achieve 100% coverage across the entire bonding area.
- Apply the spray adhesive with approximately 50% overlap between adjacent spray passes to ensure a uniform coating.
- Apply the spray adhesive to the panel edges first, followed by the remaining panel area.
- Apply the spray adhesive to the wall substrate in the opposite direction to the adhesive application on the panel to promote uniform coverage.



Installation Procedure (continued)

- Allow the adhesive to tack off until no adhesive transfers to the knuckles when lightly touched.
- Position the dECO Flex panel within the adhesive open time and accurately align before contact is made.
- Apply uniform pressure across the panel surface to achieve initial grab by using a roller, apply firm and even pressure across the entire panel surface to achieve maximum bond strength.
- Ensure full adhesive contact is achieved across the entire panel area.
- Ensure that the panel is fully bonded, correctly aligned, and free from gaps, lifting, or edge curling.
- Inspect all panel joints for alignment and continuity of nap direction.



- Repeat steps for any remaining panels of the product.

Maintenance – Cleaning

- Test a sample first. For more details, refer to CSR Martini Care & Maintenance Guide.

  Click here for more info.
- Use Tensorgrip C101 Citrus cleaner to remove any glue overspray on dECO Flex fabric or adjoining surfaces.