

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

Always wear work gloves and safety glasses when cutting the product.



# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

# Tools:

- 100% polyurethane construction glue (3 tubes per 100 ft² or 10 m²
- Caulking gun
- Electric mitre saw
- Table saw

- Level
- Measuring tape
- Cutter
- Pneumatic finish hammer (#23 gauge finish nail)
- Stepladder

# MAKE SURE YOUR KNIVES AND SAWBLADES ARE IN PRIME CONDITION.

**First,** check the wall(s) is level from floor to ceiling and edge-to-edge. If not, adjust accordingly.

**STEP 1:** If you are using moldings, leave space accordingly around the perimeter of your installation area.

**STEP 2:** Cut a minimum of 6" (15 cm) from the male side of your first panel, save the female cut section of the panel to start the wall.



#### STEP 3:

**A:** Apply a line of 100% polyurethane glue in the form of a rectangle  $(1/2)^{\circ}$  (1.3 cm) from edges) and an X inside the rectangle.



B: Apply glue at the edges of each piece.



The manufacturer guarantees the conformity of its products when they are installed according to the installation instructions and are maintained in an environment where ambient humidity ranges between 35% and 55%: before, during and after installation.

LEAVE THE BOX FLAT ON THE FLOOR IN ITS ORIGINAL WRAPPING AND IN THE ROOM IT IS TO BE INSTALLED UNTIL INSTALLATION.

**STEP 4:** Position the first panel at the lower left section of the wall in the adjustment area if you are using moldings.



**STEP 5:** Nail the panel in place with #23 gauge finish nails on the contour lips and on the two bottom rows in angles between wood pieces. NEVER NAIL DIRECTLY ON THE FACE OF THE NARROW WOOD PIECES.



## STEP 6: Installation of subsequent panels

- Repeat the gluing procedure
- Insert panel B into panel A
- Repeat the nailling procedure



#### STEP 7: End a row

Before installating the last panel in a row, measure from the top row of the panel already installed where installation is to be completed. The straight section of the remaining section of panel will serve as the first panel in the next row.

### STEP 8: Start a new row

Use the panel cut in Step 7 to begin the new row. Repeat Step 3, 4 and 5.

#### STEP 9: Last row

Cut the panels of the last row lengthwise to fit the given space. Allow enough space for the molding if necessary.

**STEP 10:** Insert the molding in the reserved space set at the beginning of the installation if needed.

**NOTE:** if wood pieces detaches from a wall panel, reposition using 100% polyurethane glue.

THE WALL PANEL NEEDS TO BE GLUED AND NAILED FOR A SUCCESSFUL INSTALL AND TO PREVENT FUTURE WARPING. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS SHALL VOID THE APPLICATION OF THE WARRANTY.

Do not install over material other than drywall and plywood.