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INSTALLATION GUIDE

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Carefully read all of the instructions and the warranty information on Vintage Collection before preparing and installing the product. Installation on these panels should be the last step in the construction or renovation process.

PREPARATION

- To guarantee the best installation possible, the installer must make sure that the room in which the wood finished product will be installed is kept under ideal conditions.
- One full week prior to the installation, the room has to be acclimated to 22 degrees Celsius continuously, in order to stabilize the temperature and relative humidity level.
- A few days before the installation, the relative humidity level of the room has to be stable between 35% and 45%.
- The planks must be stored in the same room for a minimum of 72 hours before installation. This period helps the acclimatization of the panels within the environment.

TOOLS AND MATERIAL CHECK LIST

- Air humidity control for air and wood
- Measuring tape, square, level, screw driver
- Pneumatic finishing hammer 18 G
- Premium PL Glue
- Bench saw, miter saw, rotozip (or similar tool)
- Broom or vacuum cleaner
- Touch up kit (sold separately)
- Chalk line

Regular maintenance of the tools will ensure higher quality of the installation. During the installation always wear the necessary protective equipment to avoid injury.

Preparation of the walls

- Remove any residues of glue, nails or dust on the old walls, that could affect the installation.
- Level out the installation zone by removing all protrusions.
- Installation can start once the wall is flat and smooth.
- Please note that a wooden panel will not correct any visible, pronounced imperfections. It is imperative to ensure that the wall is in perfect condition before starting the installation of a wood paneling.

Starting the project

Before starting the project, make sure that you have good sufficient lighting.

Installation tips

When starting with the Vintage Collection, it is crucial that the first installation line is levelled. You must also verify beforehand whether the installation of mouldings and contours is required. If this is the case, you must anticipate proper spacing out.

Selecting panels

The selection of the panels ensures the layout of the final result. It is the ideal time to coordinate the color variations in the wood essence. It will help you visualize your wall.

Please note that the 5% ratio of acceptable imperfection on wood panelling does not include the necessary rejects caused by the installation itself. The panels must be inspected by the installer before being put in place. Every panel installed will be considered as being accepted by the installer and / or the owner and, consequently, cannot be part of any warranty claim for manufacturing or classification defects.

For installation with double-sided tape, please consult your distributor.

INSTALLATION - CEILING 9 ft -

Step 1

Start your installation with a 9 1/2 in. finishing molding. Use a level to be sure that the molding is laid straight. Make sure that the base of your Vintage Wall rests solidly against the ground.

Step 2

For a vertical installation, place a first plank from left to right, taking care to put the tongue to the right. Repeat until the planks reaches the edge of the installation surface. The last plank will probably need to be cut.

Step 3

For a neat finish, put a finishing molding of 9 1/2 in. to the top, of the wall (sold separately).

INSTALLATION - CEILING 8 ft -

Step 1

Start your installation with a plank tongue up. Use a level to be sure that the plank is laid straight. Make sure that the base of your Vintage Wall rests solidly against the ground.

Step 2

For a vertical installation, place a first plank from left to right, taking care to put the tongue to the right. Repeat until the planks reaches the edge of the installation surface. The last plank will probably need to be cut.

Step 3

For a neat finish, put a finishing molding of 1 1/2 in. to the top of the wall (sold separately).

You can also use the 3 1/2" finishing molding on the bottom of the wall and on the top; you will get a nicer country-like decor.

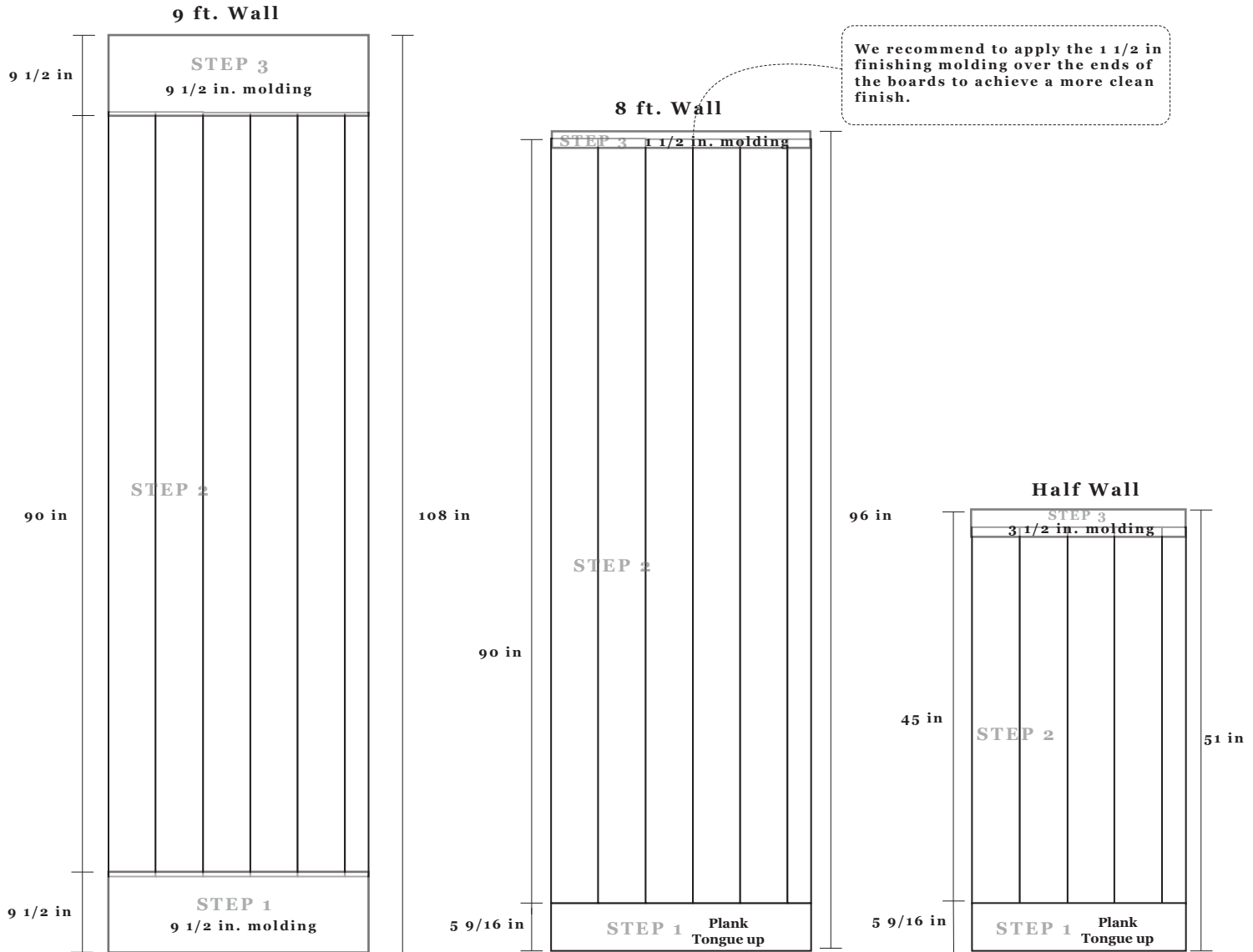
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We recommend to apply the 1 1/2 in finishing molding over the ends of the boards to achieve a more clean finish.

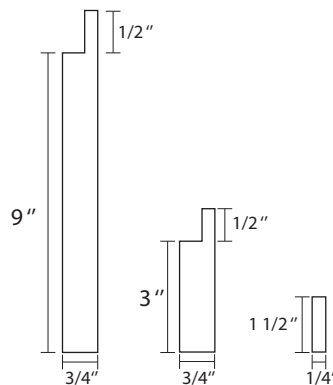
Horizontal Installation

For a horizontal installation, the principle of the tongue up remains. Simply install the first level board on the bottom of the wall and continue the installation to the top of the wall. The last board should be cut according to the height of the ceiling. Apply a 1 1/2 in. finishing molding or 3 1/2 in. molding for a country-like decor.

Exceeding a 9 ft Wall

For a 9 ft or more wall, we recommend the horizontal installation.

You can also use the 3 1/2 " for 8 ft and half-walls; you will get a nicer country-like decor.



Corner Wall

Use two 1 1/2 in. finishing moldings for a clean finish.

