Instructions for Installation of Sandstone Effect Profiles



These products are lightweight and easy to cut and work using good quality tools, so installation is relatively easy. Below is our guide on how to install.

Window Sills

Note: this installation guide refers to both a decorative Window Sill and a functional External Sill. The decorative Window Sill is our sandstone effect profiles, and the functional External Sill refers to the part integrated with the window to provide water drainage.

Preparation

- 1. Ensure the surface is clean and dry
- 2. Determine where the profile will go and mark the position. You can do with a spirit level or chalk line.



Return Mitres and Installation

1. Cut the angled section to size for the right side of the Window Sill profile using a saw and mitre box or electric mitre saw.









2. Lightly sand the cut edges with sandpaper or a cutter.





3. Remove the sawdust with a damp sponge or brush.



4. Using a cartridge gun, generously apply the adhesive in a continuous bead on the backside.



5. Install angled section.



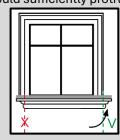


6. Turn the profile with the bottom edge upwards and mark the appropriate length.





7. After installation, the profile should sufficiently protrude.



8. Cut the left side angle of the Window Sill profile to size.





9. Fit the left side angle, remove excess adhesive with a cloth soaked in turpentine substitute.





10. Apply the adhesive to the rear of the profile as a continuous bead, diameter of 10mm all around.



11. Fit the Window Sill and if necessary, use nails to prevent the Sill from slipping



12. If required, install the functional External Window Sill, ensuring a proper slope for water runoff (see note above).



Window Frames

1. Position the Frame (let it protrude past the wall by approx. 2mm) and mark the position (with a spirit level).



2. Cut the frame profile to fit the mitre (using a saw and mitre box or electric mitre saw)

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3. Apply adhesive to the rear of the profile in a continuous bead and completely cover the joint with adhesive. The joint must have a gap of 3mm after completion as the strength is in the adhesive.





4. Install the profile and after drying (approx. 24hrs) fill the adhesive joins again.



5. Using adhesive, finish and seal all sections of the window frame profile, to ensure no water ingress behind the profile.







6. After the joints have dried (approx. 24hrs), smooth the reveal along the protruding edge with a filler.



7. After drying, finish the profiles with a couple of coats of a good quality exterior grade paint.

