

Installation Guidelines

PVC Skirtings – Sit-On

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These installation guidelines apply to the following Gradus profiles:

SO 25, SO 75, SO 100, SO 150

The sit-on skirting should be allowed to acclimatise for 24 hours prior to installation at an ambient temperature of 18o Celsius.

Sit-on skirtings are installed after the floorcovering has been fitted.

1. It should be ensured that all surfaces to which the profile is to be fixed are sound, dry, flat and free from any contaminants. Wall surfaces should be free from any previous coverings, linings or adhesive residues used to fix them. Paint films and any mould must be removed and the affected surface treated correctly.
2. Using a piece of skirting as a gauging template, place in position and use a pencil to mark the wall to provide a guideline for adhesive application.
3. All internal and external corners should be mitre cut.
4. Apply one of the recommended adhesives listed below and follow the manufacturer's instructions for application. The adhesive is applied only to that section of the wall where the vertical face of the sit-on skirting will be bonded, not to the foot of the skirting or flooring.
5. Bring both surfaces together and apply even pressure along the skirting ensuring any air bubbles are removed and full contact is made with the wall.

Recommended adhesive products for PVC skirtings – sit-on

Gradus Limited provides this information only as guidance and the legal responsibility for the supply and performance of the adhesives listed below shall remain the sole responsibility of the relevant manufacturer.

By providing this information, Gradus Limited does not imply any equivalents between each of the different manufacturers' products, or that other products would prove unsatisfactory. However, use of adhesives not recommended by Gradus should be supported by a guarantee from the adhesive supplier.

Application of the named adhesive must be actioned in strict accordance with the relevant manufacturers' instructions.

Gradus do not recommend the use of spray adhesives and double sided tapes.

If you have any queries regarding adhesives, please contact the adhesive manufacturer directly.

Manufacturer	Product Reference	Contact number	Website
F. Ball and Co. Ltd	F60 / F66	+44 (0) 1538 361 633	http://www.f-ball.co.uk/
Tremco	SP060 / SF115	+44 (0) 1942 251400	http://www.tremco-illbruck.co.uk/
UZIN	WK 222 / KE 2000 S	+44 (0) 1788 530 080	http://www.uzin.co.uk/