

TEXTURES INSTALL GUIDE



* Texture shown as an example only. Instructions apply to all Texture designs.

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STEP 1

Ensure that the wall substrate is dust and residue free. Check Adhesive manufacturer's instructions to ensure that the wall surface is appropriate for the recommended adhesive (Loctite - Powergrab express heavy Duty).

STEP 2

Mark the wall substrate for layout, beginning with a plumb line to which the first panel will be aligned. Consider all obstacles and openings for which you may need to make adjustments or cutouts in the panels. Template accordingly and transfer the template to the correct panel. *Please note that Zintra Textured Panels are not intended for installation on ceilings, only wall (vertical) installation is recommended.

STEP 3

Cuts can be addressed by first drilling a hole and then using a fine toothed jig saw blade at a slow and steady speed. If marking the panel face, use blue painter's low tack tape before marking (as pencil lines will not be able to be removed from the panel face.) *Please note that Zintra Textured Panels are not intended to be resized on site, only cutting around field obstacles is recommended by trained installers.

STEP 4

Complete all trimming or cutouts before proceeding. Dry fit panel in templated area to be fully confident of the fit before proceeding.

STEP 5

Identify the panel faces. All textures will have "nubs" attached to the backside of the panel. Those "nubs" will raise the precut hinges off the surface to create the textured appearance.

STEP 6

Place the first panel face down ("nub" side up) on a clean and protected working surface (commonly 4×8 plywood on sawhorses.)

STEP 7

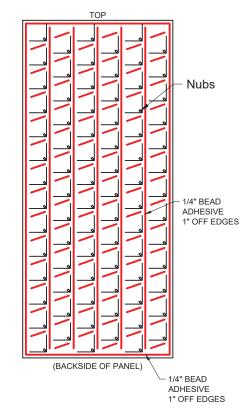
Carefully lift the panel with one arm and push down/out each of the nubbed/hinged sections to free their movement.

STEP 8

Apply Loctite - Powergrab express heavy duty in a specific manner (see attached image), each with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " bead. Please note that ONLY full surface adhesive attachment is recommended. Z clips, furring strips or standoffs are NOT recommended for Zintra Textured Panels.

4 steps to apply adhesive:

- a. Encircle the perimeter of the panel, staying in from the outer edge by 1" when placing the bead.
- b. Place a bead of adhesive to surround each of the hinged areas, making sure to not place adhesive within the hinged portion of the material.
- c. Place a dime sized spot of adhesive on each nub.
- d. Encircle any cut out areas for obstacles or protrusions.



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STEP 9

Pay attention to the adhesive open time and avoid adhesive skin over. Apply the panel to the wall within 10 minutes of first adhesive application.

STEP 10

Take the panel to the wall, align to plumb line and firmly press the panel into place, applying firm flat hand pressure to those portions of the texture that make contact to the wall. Apply pressure to all contact areas to fully set the full panel.

STEP 11

Carefully remove panel from the wall and place back onto a horizontal surface with the back of the panel (Zintra "nubs") facing upward making sure that adhesive does not make it way onto the face side of the panel. After one minute-reposition the panel in the templated spot on the wall substrate and firmly push the panel to the substrate making contact with all areas. Use a rubber roller for the flat areas of the panels around the textured reliefs for maximum pressure. The process of removing the panel and then reinstalling assists in activating the adhesive for a stronger and quicker bond.

STEP 12

Some surfaces may require bracing until the adhesive has fully set, typically 4-6 hours. Temporary attachments (finishing nails) can also be used (check with specifier before assuming.)