# SOURCE ONE Installation Guide





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# HANGING INSTRUCTIONS FOR SOURCE ONE SPECIALITY ALUMINIO WALLCOVERING

## **METAL LEAF PRODUCTS**

Inspect goods carefully. Additional rollage from this dye-lot may not be available. No returns on cut goods.

Confirm that you have the correct color and wallcovering before installing.

No claims allowed for labor charges or consequential damages under any conditions.

Wallcoverings can display certain irregularities which are inherent to the manufacturing process.

### PREPARATION

THIS IS A NATURAL PRODUCT. COLOR VARIATION IS NORMAL. Please carefully grade for color flow before installing.

Prepare Wall with <u>Oil-Based Flat Primer to mirror-smoothness</u>. Primer may be color blended to match wallcovering. Don't paint primer too thick, so moisture from paste can evaporate. Walls must be completely dry before hanging Metal Leaf Products.

## ADHESIVE

Use Pre-mixed Heavy Duty Clear Vinyl paste, e.g. Shur-stik 780. It will take time up to week for adhesive to completely dry out.

# **INSTALLATION**

- Trim with a very sharp razor blade.
- Make sure paste is spread evenly and ADEQUATELY over entire back of wallcovering.
- Apply paste thicker to edges to avoid seams opening.
- Do not fold after pasting, as the creases may be difficult to smooth out.
- Do not pile up folded wallcovering.
- Smooth with a Soft Brush. Don't rub face of paper with stiff brush.
- Immediately wipe off excess paste with soft damp cloth and then, with a dry cloth.
- Never use Roller directly on surface of wallcovering. If you must use a Roller, place a thin paper between the Roller and the surface of the wallcovering.

### **RELAXING TIME**

It is essential to allow wallcovering sufficient relaxing time to avoid Bubbling, Shrinking and Seam Opening. Allow the paste enough time to soak (relax) into a sheet before hanging.

Usual Relaxing Time: 5-10 Minutes.

Do a small test strip to determine the proper relaxing time.

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

<u>Avoid excessively soaking paper.</u> Don't pull panels once they have been placed on the wall. Either of these may cause seams to open during drying.

Avoid direct or brightly reflected sunlight. Not guaranteed against fading or color change.

# DO NOT CREASE WALLCOVERING