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Specialty Effects Wood Veneer Installation

Surface Preparation:

Ensure surfaces are dust free, smooth, dry, firm and uniformly colored or primed. Do not install over non-porous surfaces. Previously painted walls may be wiped down with Tri Sodium Phosphate to remove any grease or oil. Glossy paint should be dulled by sanding. Never install these materials over new plaster or un-primed walls. It is best to prime all surfaces with an appropriate high quality acrylic wallcovering primer. All surfaces to be installed should be tested by the installer to determine suitable adherence of existing coatings.

Trimming:

Before cutting and hanging, check color, condition, quantity, and quality. Be certain pattern and color are as ordered. Be sure that there is sufficient material to complete the job. No allowances will be given for cut material. Should you have any questions, contact your local Kravet sales representative, Kravet showroom, or Winfield Thybony Design customer service at 800-486-6800 before proceeding. Even though great care has been taken in the production of this wallcovering, natural variations in color can occur.

Wood veneer wallcoverings are usually cut into strips and dry table trimmed prior to installation. Take care to trim accurately. Be sure edges are both straight and parallel during trimming.

Application:

1. The wall should be properly primed a high quality acrylic wallcovering primer.
2. You must use an extra strength grade of heavy-duty premixed clay adhesive (i.e. Roman Pro 732). Do not dilute. Using another type of adhesive will be solely at the risk of the installer.
Apply an even coat of adhesive to the back of the veneer. Make sure the adhesive is spread out evenly over the entire surface to ensure good adhesion to the wall. Apply additional adhesive near the edge of the material if necessary. This procedure will help avoid open seams. Allow the adhesive to become tacky before applying wallcovering. Never allow the adhesive to get on the front of the raw wood veneer material.
3. Cuts should be made with a sharp razor blade. Do not attempt more than one cut per blade.
4. Use strips in exact order as they are cut from the roll. Straight hang – do not reverse strips. Hang only 1-2 strips at a time. Smooth material with a soft bristle smoothing sweep to eliminate air bubbles and ensure adhesion.
5. REVIEW AND SEEK APPROVAL AFTER APPLYING 3 STRIPS. If there are any excessive variations in color and/or color match, this should be immediately communicated to your local Kravet sales representative, Kravet showroom, or Winfield Thybony Design customer service at 800-486-6800 for inspection before proceeding further with installation.

Winfield Thybony Design assumes no responsibility for the installation of material beyond three panels. Under no circumstances will Winfield Thybony be responsible for labor. This is an industry standard.



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Finishing: This veneer wallcovering can be left unfinished. If a finish is desired, Winfield Thybony Design recommends the use of a MinWax Wipe On Alkyd Polyurethane. Apply according to the manufacturer's directions and applied no sooner than 72 hours after the application of the wallcovering. Winfield Thybony Design advises against staining the veneer at any time.

Special Note: Specialty Effects Wood wallcoverings are manufactured to the highest quality standards possible. However, it should be noted that some items by their nature, require care in handling and installing so as to provide an acceptable wall finish.

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