installation instructions:

FAUX STONE SIDING

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Make sure to use the correct tools recommended.

Wear proper protective gear.

Follow power tool and adhesive instructions, and user manuals.

Use common sense and follow good construction practices.

TOOL & MATERIAL CHECKLIST

- ☐ tape measure and level
- ☐ construction adhesive & caulking gun
- ☐ electric or hand saw
- ☐ screws
- ☐ power drill
- ☐ quality UV/fade resistant, exterior varnish

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Measure the space, layout panels in horizontal row and make any cuts needed.
   Pro Tip: Shimming the panel to install level is recommended for a seamless fit. Panels must be installed from bottom up and the entire row should be completed before starting the next.
2. Apply a generous amount of construction adhesive to the back of each panel. Press the panel firmly onto the mounting service and screw or nail the panel into place.
   Pro Tip: Screws / nails should be installed along the tongue among other unnoticeable places. If you need to conceal a screw hole, fill with wood filler and once dry apply touch up paint.
3. Once the first panel is in place, repeat the processes above ensuring that each panel fits tightly and straight against one another. Stagger the panels from row to row for a natural stone pattern look.
4. For lasting beauty, we recommend painting the installed siding with a quality UV/fade resistant, exterior varnish.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

- Approximate adhesive needed: 4 Panels = 1 tube of construction adhesive
- You can miter the full panel or use inside/outside corners to transition through a 90º corner.
- Trim sills are designed to butt up against the top of the panels for a more complete and waterproof seal.
- Matching eletrical covers are available too for a more professional finish.

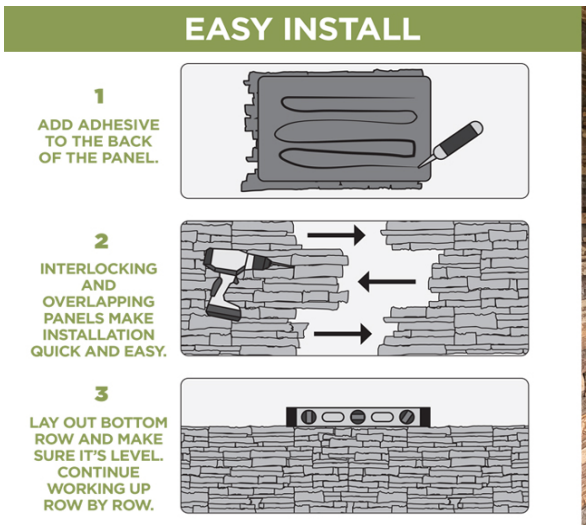
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND NOTES

- Faux stone siding should be climatized for 24 hours prior to installation and should be stored flat to prevent bowing.
- Due to textured front, it is recommended that all measurements be marked and cut on the flat backside of the panel.
- Siding panels interlock at each end and along the top / bottom for a seamless look. Sometimes the first panel will need the "fingers" trimmed off to create a straight edge.
- Panels should be installed onto a clean flat dry surface.
- The panels should be installed from the bottom corner in a straight line. It is very important that the first role of panels is level and straight for best outcome. Always install the panels in full rows working your way up. If the floor is not perfectly straight, the bottom of the panel may need to be slightly trimmed to ensure a straight and level installation.
- When installing the siding, we recommend staggering the panels.

EXAMPLE INSTALLATION DIAGRAMS









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