



Flat Skirting

Flat, flexible vinyl skirting with tapered edges for use as a wall finish with carpet installations, bump strips or kick plates on doors.

Dimensions in millimeters and are nominal

Product Attributes

Armstrong Flooring accessories are manufactured under strict quality control from a blend of quality raw materials and are designed to colour co-ordinate with Armstrong Flooring resilient ranges and current interior design trends.

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A flat, flexible vinyl skirting with tapered edges with textile floor finishes to provide an attractive cost-effective solution for the protection of wall bases.

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- Stocked in 8 colour ways*
- Available in
- 100mm x 1.5mm x 30 metre coils
- 150mm x 1.5mm x 30 metre coils
- 300mm x 1.5mm x 30 metre coils**

**300mm Flat skirting stocked in Black only, *additional colour ways are available from "standard" range (MOQ and surcharge applies), *Custom colours are available on request, (*MOQ = 5 cartons, 15% surcharge applies), contact your Armstrong Flooring Representative or Customer Services for further information.

Specification

Where noted in the specification and/or schedule of finishes install Armstrong Flooring - Flat Skirting **100mm, 150mm or 300mm** (Colour and size as specified).

When installing to finish to **carpet**, Armstrong Flooring - Flat Skirting shall generally be installed to the face of the wall, prior to the installation of the carpet; finishing so the base of the skirting sits neatly behind the carpet.

Armstrong Flooring accessories should be fixed using **Solvent based (Brushable)** contact adhesive (to manufacturers recommendations) refer to [Recommended Adhesives Guide](#).

Installation to AS1884

Substrate

Armstrong Flooring accessories are suitable for installation on most internal building materials (such as concrete, timber, hardboard and rendered surfaces).

Inspection of the substrate; it shall be the responsibility of the sub-contractor to thoroughly examine the walls and doors prior to the application of vinyl sheet & accessories.

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All surfaces must be dry, clean, smooth, structurally sound and free from moisture, alkali, dust, dirt, wax, oils, grease, loose paint or plaster, or any other foreign matter.

Rectification to imperfections in the surface of the substrate shall be made good prior to fixing vinyl sheet & accessories.

Installation of Armstrong Flooring accessories must conform to **AS 1884**. Special attention should be paid to **AS1884 section 3.1.5 Surface Preparation**.

Set out

To achieve a straight/level finish of skirting, ensure that the desired height is marked at all external and internal corners. Strike a chalk-line between each point to act as a guide.

Fitting

All material should be checked in good natural light for obvious defects prior to fitting; if material has defects immediately contact your supplier.

When installing to finish to **carpet/carpet tiles**; Armstrong Flooring - Flat Skirting shall generally be installed to the face of the wall, prior to the installation of the carpet; finishing so the base of the skirting sits neatly behind the carpet.

All fitting work should be carried out before applying adhesive.

Install Armstrong Flooring - Flat Skirting to finish at wall/floor junction as specified ensuring that edges are straight and level.

Flat Skirting can be wrapped around external corners and can be scribed and mitred at internal corners. Tight external corners may require a groove to be cut from the back of the skirting where the corner will be positioned at a depth of 1/4 of the material.

Install using **Solvent Based Contact Adhesive** (to manufacturers recommendations).

[Recommended Adhesives Guide](#)

1. Ensure backing of Flat Skirting is clean and free of dust.
2. Brush or roll (medium nap roller) **Contact Adhesive** on to the Flat Skirting backing (ensuring full coverage).
3. Ensure substrate is clean and free from dust.
4. Using the chalk line as a guide, brush or roll (medium nap roller) **Contact Adhesive** on to the substrate (ensuring full coverage).
5. Allow both surfaces to dry for 10-15 minutes until "touch dry".
6. Ensure the Flat Skirting is positioned correctly and fits neatly to substrate.
7. Using the chalk line as a guide, bring the two components together and bond together by applying pressure with a hand roller over the entire area.

Caution should be taken with **Solvent Based Contact Adhesive**, as this adhesive can be highly flammable.

Maintenance

Damp wiping with a neutral cleaner (e.g. PeerlessJal Versadet) for general maintenance. A light application of liquid floor polish/finish (e.g. PeerlessJal Gemini) can be used to maintain gloss level. Solvent-based waxes or ammonia-based cleaners should be avoided.

ALL FLOORCOVERINGS, & ACCESSORIES MANUFACTURED IN AUSTRALIA AFTER 1 JANUARY 1984 DO NOT CONTAIN ASBESTOS

WARNING!

Resilient floorcoverings, adhesives and underlays manufactured in or imported to Australia prior to 1 January 1984 may contain asbestos. If it cannot be definitively established that the previous floor coverings, adhesives and/or underlay do not contain asbestos:

- you should avoid creating dust and should not sand, dry sweep, dry scrape, drill, saw, bead blast or mechanically chip or pulverise the existing floorcoverings, adhesives or underlay, and
- the previous flooring should only be removed by an appropriately licensed asbestos removal contractor.

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