installation instructions:

PVC RUNNING TRIM

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Make sure to use the recommended tools.

Wear proper protective gear.

Follow fixture, power tools, manufacturers' instructions, and user manuals.

Use common sense and follow good construction practices.

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TOOL & MATERIAL CHECKLIST

- ☐ hammer
- ☐ nail gun
- ☐ PVC glue
- ☐ PVC acrylic caulk
- ☐ caulk gun
- ☐ 320-grit sandpaper
- ☐ outdoor construction adhesive
- ☐ stainless-steel nails/screws
- ☐ miter saw with carbide blade
- ☐ 100% acrylic latex paint
- ☐ tape measure
- ☐ utility knife
- ☐ safety glasses

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS & NOTES

- You can use standard woodworking tools to cut or drill.
- When sections are installed end to end the pattern continues seamlessly.
- Hot-dipped galvanized or stainless-steel nails/screws are best for PVC trim.
- PVC expands and contracts with temperature. If you are installing above 80 degrees F, cut pieces to fight tightly. 60-80 degrees, leave a 1/16-in gap for 18 ft of length. Below 60 degrees, leave a 1/8-in gap.
- Fill fastener holes with PVC acrylic caulk.
- Glue joints together with PVC glue prior to installation.
- Use 100% acrylic latex paint before installing, finish with final coat after installation.

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

Running Trim Installation

OPTION 1:

1. Running Trim should be predrilled and can be attached directly to substrate by screwing or nailing through front or backside of trim. Apply a heavy duty outdoor construction adhesive to the backside (if applicable) and the ends of the trim piece for secure attachment.

2. Running Trim can be butted end to end and/or trimmed to fit. For spanned applications, glue each of the trim ends together with a PVC glue prior to installation. Let dry before attaching to substrate.

3. If needed, fill nail holes with acrylic caulk. After drying, lightly sand and touch up paint as needed.

OPTION 2:

1. Attach running trim to appropriate size backrail with a heavy duty outdoor construction adhesive. Let dry before installing.

2. Screw or nail through backrail up into header substrate.

3. Running Trim can be butted end to end and/or trimmed to fit. For spanned applications, glue each of the trim ends together with a PVC glue prior to installation. Let dry before attaching to substrate.

4. If needed, fill nail holes with acrylic caulk. After drying, lightly sand and touch up paint as needed.

EXAMPLE INSTALLATION DIAGRAMS

attached to backrail   *directly through trim*