

installation instructions:

# PVC CROWN MOULDING

## 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.

### TOOL & MATERIAL CHECKLIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> miter saw            | <input type="checkbox"/> 100% acrylic paint      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> miter box            | <input type="checkbox"/> Acrylic caulk & gun     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> hammer or nail gun   | <input type="checkbox"/> tape measure            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> nails                | <input type="checkbox"/> utility knife           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PVC cement           | <input type="checkbox"/> ladder                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> carbide-tipped blade | <input type="checkbox"/> safety glasses          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> angle finder         | <input type="checkbox"/> chalk line box & pencil |
| <input type="checkbox"/> paint brush          | <input type="checkbox"/> sandpaper               |

### SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS & NOTES

- You can use standard woodworking tools to cut PVC products.
- 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 fit tightly. 60-80 degrees, leave a 1/16-in gap for 18 ft of length. Below 60 degrees, leave a 1/8-in gap. After installation cover gap with acrylic caulk.
- Fill fastener holes in PVC with acrylic caulk.
- Glue joints and miters together with PVC cement.
- Use 100% acrylic paint before installing, finish with final coat to cover chalked holes.
- When ending moulding at a corner, cut a return piece and glue. Hold until set.

### STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

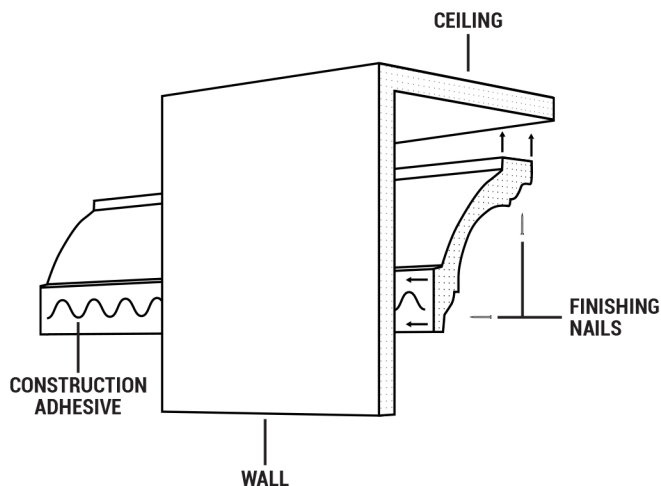
#### Mitering Corners

1. Place moulding in the miter box with the wall side against the side of the miter box opposite you and the ceiling touching side against the bottom of the box.
2. Cut miters and butt joints prior to installation.

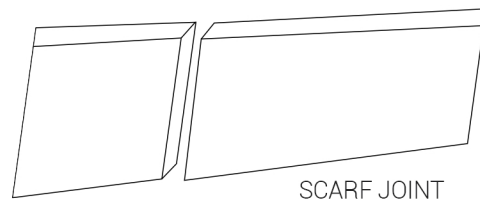
#### Crown Moulding Installation

1. Apply a continuous 1/2" bead of adhesive along the top and back of moulding lengths and universal corners. Press moulding into place.
2. Secure the moulding in place with finishing nails
3. Apply putty/filler in remaining gaps and smooth with finger or putty knife.
4. Touch-up moulding as needed and light sand areas with excess putty.

### EXAMPLE INSTALLATION DIAGRAMS



**\*Helpful Tip:** If using multiple pieces of moulding on the same wall, install and join moulding using a scarf joint to hide the seam as much as possible and make installation easier.



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