

Installation recommendations and suggestions

EuroLux™ Type I Commercial / Residential Wallcover

Tools required

- Wallpaper adhesive
- 9 to 11-in. deep well paint roller tray
- 9 to 10³/₈-in. nap paint roller
- 12 to 18-in. wallcover smoothing brush
- 6-in. smoothing tool
- Wallcover seam roller
- Heavy-duty snap utility knife

Smooth the wall

Every great installation starts with careful site preparation. Measure and inspect the walls to make sure they are smooth and you have the correct amount of product. If the walls show any damage be sure to correct those deficiencies before installing. Pay particular attention to smoothing any rough spots on the wall including removing protruding nails and filling surface holes, cracks, or indentations with an acrylic spackling paste before sanding the area smooth.

Wash the wall

After ensuring a smooth surface, clean the wall to remove surface dust, dirt, mold, mildew, and stains using a combination of warm water and vinegar on a dampened microfibre cloth or sponge. Ensure the wall is dry before continuing.

Apply a primer

Apply a fresh coat of primer ensures a good bond between the wallcover and the wall surface. We recommend using a high-quality primer such as Roman's Pro 977 Ultra Prime, but you should choose the best primer for your wall surface (smooth, knockdown, bare wall, etc.). Allow 24-48 hours for the primer to dry before continuing.

Plan your install

Always measure your walls a second time before starting. Plan where your pattern and drop match will lay against the wall to ensure symmetry of the pattern or placement of the graphics. Shut off the power to any wall switches or outlets located on the wall and remove switch plate covers to maintain the flat wall surface. Use a level or a plumb bob to draw a straight line on your wall. This will act as a guide mark for your first panel.

Paste the wallcover

Use an appropriate high-quality adhesive for your wall type and covering. If clay or a clear is an option, we recommend Roman's Pro-880 Ultra Clear Strippable or Pro-774 Clay Strippable adhesives. We suggest pouring the product into a paint roller tray and applying the adhesive with 9 to 10³/₈-in. nap paint roller.

- Lay your panel on a clean table or pasting board.
- Roll the paste onto the upper half of the panel.
- Gently fold the upper pasted surface onto itself, being careful not to put a hard crease into the fold.
- Rotate the panel and apply the paste to the bottom half of the panel and repeat the folding process.
- Once fully pasted, lay the panels to the middle and allow them to set, or book, for up to 20 minutes before installing the panel to the wall.

Install the panel

Locate the guideline you drew while planning for your install and use it as your reference point.

- Open the top half of the folded panel and apply it to the wall with your brush following the guide line.
- Use the brush to brush from the inside to the outside of the panel to affix the wallcover to the wall.
- Press firmly enough to evacuate any air between the covering and the wall but not so firm that you push the paste out.
- Repeat the process for the bottom half of the panel.
- Use your 6-in. smoothing tool to gently push the panel up and onto your ceiling line then again at the baseboard.
- Use a clean utility knife to trim the panel to match the ceiling and baseboard. Clean the blade tip after each cut.



Recommendations and suggestions presented as a guide to assist in the installation of PSPI ProTex™ Wallcover product.