

Field Modification

Painted/Unpainted

I. Inspection

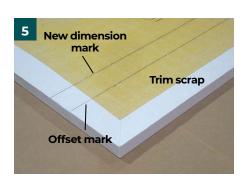
- **Freight Damage:** Inspect cartons for obvious damage before accepting <u>and note</u> on delivery ticket.
- **Concealed Damage:** Notify Conwed of any concealed damage within five (5) business days of receipt. Claims beyond five (5) days will be honored at the discretion of Conwed or the freight company.
- Do not install panels of unacceptable quality. Contact your sales representative immediately. Conwed will not be responsible for installation or removal costs of unacceptable panels.

II. Handling & Storage

- · Handle individual panels 'on edge' to avoid bending when moving and carrying.
- · Store panels on a flat, dry, solid surface. Do not store on edge.
- Take necessary measures to keep panels dry, clean and free from dust. Pay special attention to edges.

III. Instructions

- If possible, do not field cut New Dimensions panels. If field cutting is required, hide the field cut using 'T' or "L:" channel. If 'T' or "L:" channel cannot be used, the steps below describe how to field cut and finish the edge of a New Dimensions panel. The example shown is for a square edge panel.
- 1. Required tools:
 - → Clean gloves (for handling the panels)
 - → Small circular saw with adjustable depth and rip fence
 - → Shop knife (square edges)
 - → Contact spray adhesive
 - → ·Straightedge (T square)
 - → Pencil
 - → 120 grit sandpaper
- 2. Determine new dimensions for the panel.
- 3. Lay panel face down on a clean surface.
- 4. Verify panel's original dimensions.
- Mark the back of the panel to the new dimensions.
- **6.** Mark a second line offset by the thickness of the panel plus I ½ inches, see example.

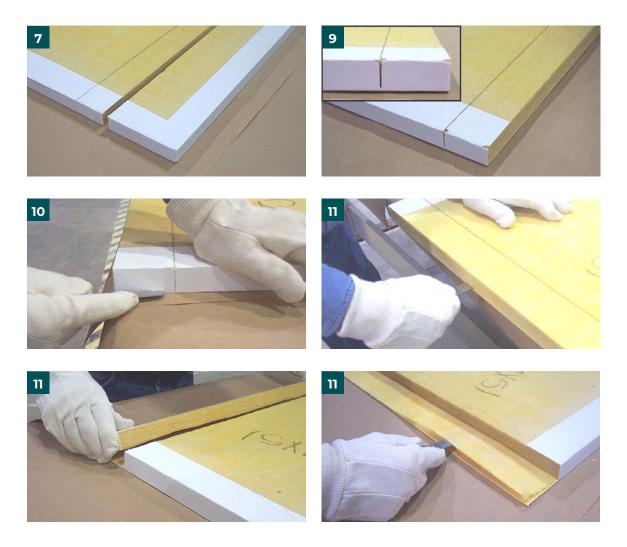


Disclaimer: The following are guidelines given in good faith to help avoid common errors. They are not intended to be a step-by-step list of instructions or a checklist, and it is assumed the installer has general construction knowledge. Conwed bears no responsibility for any installation actions taken or not taken, and is not responsible for installer selection.



III. Instructions (continued)

- 7. Cut through the panel on the offset mark. Use rip fence if available.
- 8. Set blade depth to cut most of the way through the panel. Practice on the Trim Scrap.
- **9.** Cut partially through the thickness of the panel on the mark for the new panel dimensions. Use a rip fence if available.
- 10. Cut the painted fiberglass mat free of the yellow fiberglass board.
- 11. Clean out the yellow fiberglass.





III. Instructions (continued)

- 12. Clean the mat with the blade edge of the shop knife.
- **13.** Score LIGHTLY with the BLUNT corner of the shop knife, or any blunt edge. Scoring allows the mat to bend where you want it to bend. (Scoring too hard will cause a cut in the white mat and the yellow fibers will show through!)
- 14. Spray contact glue on the mat and panel, and then wrap the edge with mat.
- **15.** Only if necessary, touch-up the corners and edges with the paint that came with the panels from Conwed.

