

CUTTING

- Use standard wood working equipment for cutting.
- Carbide tipped blades are recommended.
- Avoid using fine tooth metal cutting blades.
- Rough edge from cutting may be caused by excessive friction, poor board support, or improper tooling.

FASTENING

- Use standard nail guns or wood working tools.
- Stainless steel or hot-dipped galvanized nails are recommended.
- Do not use brads, staples, wire nails, ring-shank nails or fine-threaded wood screws.
- Place nails and screws on center of board and keep approximately 3/4" from each edge.
- Fasteners should penetrate into flat, solid wood substrate or framing member a minimum of 1-1/4".
- If nailing product at 32°F or below, pre-drilling is required.
- Pre-drilling and/or counter-sink are typically not required unless a larger fastener is used.

PAINTING

- Clean surface prior to painting.
- Both oil base and latex paints are desirable. Follow paint manufacturer's recommendations.
- Avoid painting dark colors in area of direct sunlight.
- Acrylic or urethane based latex exterior or interior paints are recommended. General brands such as Sherwin Williams, Behr, Glide, etc. are all suitable.

GLUING

- Standard PVC cements or cellular PVC cements provide a strong Veranda™HP PVC TRIM to Veranda™HP PVC TRIM bond.
- For the best result, glue all joints between trim pieces such as long fascia runs, window surrounds, etc., to prevent joint separation.
- Various adhesives, such as epoxy or polyurethane adhesives may be used to bond Veranda™HP PVC TRIM to other substrates. Consult adhesive labeling to determine suitability.
- Glue joints should be secured with fasteners on each side of the joint.

TOUCH UP

- Recommend non-solvent base fillers.

- Very good with All Purpose Painter's Putty and High Performance Wood Filler.
- Good with Fill-N-Finish Light Wood Filler and Shrink Free Spackling.
- Clean with a damp cloth with soap and water.

DRILLING AND ROUTING

- Use standard wood working drills and routers.
- Care should be taken to avoid frictional heat build-up.
- Periodic removal of shaving from the drill hole may be necessary.
- Carbide tipped router bits are recommended.

MOISTURE

- Veranda™HP PVC TRIM does not absorb moisture, it can be installed at or below grade.
- It is perfect for use in moisture prone applications such as ground contact, masonry contact, hot tub surrounds, freeze boards, rooflines and garage door jambs, etc.

EXPANSION & CONTRACTION

- Allow 1/8" space per 18 foot for expansion and contraction, Veranda™HP PVC TRIM expands and contracts with changes in temperature. Joints between pieces should be glued to eliminate joint separation — see "gluing" section.
- Properly fastening Veranda™HP PVC TRIM along its entire length will minimize expansion and contraction.
- When gaps are glued on a long run of the board, allow suitable expansion and contraction space at ends of the run.
- Scarf joints are recommended to minimize seams and allow expansion & contraction.

SPANNING

- Never span Veranda™HP PVC TRIM more than 24".
- Must not be used in load bearing applications, but maybe used in spanned applications such as soffits and ceilings, with suitable thickness.

STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Store on a flat and level surface.
- Should be handled in a fashion as pine, because it has a density comparable to pine with more flexibility.
- Keep product free of dirt and debris at job site. If product gets dirty, clean after installation.

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CLAIMS

In order to file a valid warranty claim, and before IPG's obligation under this warranty shall commence, the original purchaser must send proof of purchase, photographs of the defective Veranda™HP PVC TRIM product, and a written description giving full particulars within 30 days of discovering a defect believed to be covered by this warranty (and prior to beginning a repair or alteration) to:

Inteplast Group Ltd./World-Pak Division
9 Peach Tree Hill Rd.
Livingston, NJ 07039
Attn: Veranda™HP PVC TRIM Products

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EXCLUSIONS

The warranty is limited to the foregoing and shall NOT apply to: (1) product which was not installed in accordance with IPG's installation guidelines or installed in a less than workmanlike manner; (2) product which has been structurally altered or damaged by fire, flood, lightning, windstorm, hurricane, earthquakes, tornado or other acts of God; (3) product which has been put in unusual service, or used for purpose for which it was not designed originally; (4) natural effects under normal weathering of the surface (including fading,

peeling or discoloring due to exposure to sunlight or weather conditions); (5) cost of labor, materials or the expenses incidental to the repair, removal, installation or replacement of the warranted product; (6) product which has not been properly stored or handled; (7) product which has been damaged during shipment, storage, handling, or installation; or (8) any applications of painting or coating to the Product.

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