

SCREENWOOD

**SOUNDLINA™**

## Installation Guide

### Easy to install - no joiner required

SOUNDLINA™ can be quickly and easily installed by a qualified tradesperson, saving considerable budget without compromising aesthetics or acoustic performance. It's easily applied to walls, ceilings, curves and corners with no shop drawings, pattern matching or specific sequences required.

### Step-by-Step Installation Guide for SOUNDLINA™

Screenwood recommends that installation is completed by a qualified tradesperson.

#### Tools required:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sandpaper                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Roller tray   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sanding pad and pole             | <input type="checkbox"/> Roller frame  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duster                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Roller sleeve with medium nap                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tape measure                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Roller pole   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pencil                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Roman Pro-880 Ultra® Clear Strippable Wallcovering Adhesive |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snap off knife with spare blades | <input type="checkbox"/> Laser plumb or spirit level                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drop sheet                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic smoother / spatula                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate step ladder          | <input type="checkbox"/> 75mm metal scraper for detail trimming                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wallpaper table                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Clean sponge  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 75mm paint brush                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Water bucket  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 litre pot                      |  |

#### Wall Preparation:

- Install perforated plasterboard using a qualified installer in accordance with manufacturer's specification.
- Paint the plasterboard with a matt black ceiling paint to ensure a uniform colour through the perforations and improve adhesive quality.
- Ensure the painted surface is dry and remove any dust with a dusting brush.

#### Planning and Measuring:

- Measure the width of the wall and determine the number of drops required.

Tip: The roll width is 600mm, designed to fit between perforations that are at 25mm centres (on 1200mm plasterboard sheets). For even numbers of drops, work left to right. For odd numbers of drops, find the centre of the wall and measure 300mm each side. Start in the centre and work outwards.



## Cutting and Measuring:

- Measure the wall height and add an extra margin of 10cm (5cm for the top and 5cm for the bottom) for trimming.
- Cut lengths using a tape measure and a sharp blade, regularly changing the blade.
- Lay cut lengths on a clean, dry cloth without folding or creasing.

Tip: No need to number the sheets or worry about pattern matching, or specific sequencing.

## Paste the Wall Method:

- Mark the wall to identify where the adhesive is needed.
- Apply Roman Pro-880 Ultra® Clear Strippable Wallcovering Adhesive on the wall evenly for the width of the roll, slightly wider than 600mm.

Tip: The glue dries quickly (within 5 mins) but can be reapplied if necessary.

## Hanging the First Drop:

- Set up the positioning of the wallpaper using a laser level to ensure a straight/plumb installation.
- Hang a test drop for practice (usually done for larger jobs).

Tip: SOUNDLINA<sup>TM</sup> can be applied to flat surfaces such as walls and ceilings, curves, and corners seamlessly. Use a butted seam or overlap where required, without visible bumps or joints.

## Smoothing:

- Use a plastic smoother/spatula to smooth out surface and remove any bubbles.
- Use a damp sponge (not wet) to remove excess glue or creases.

## Trimming:

- Create a fold with the plastic smoother/spatula at the top/bottom of skirting/ ceiling before cutting.
- Use a sharp knife or 75mm metal scraper for detail trimming. Refresh the blade frequently.

## Wiping Glue off the Surface of Wallpaper:

- Wipe down each length of wallpaper thoroughly with a clean damp sponge to remove glue seepage through perforations. This step is essential for a proper installation.

## Continue Hanging the Remainder of Drops:

- Follow the same process of smoothing, trimming, and cleaning for all remaining drops.

## Internal/ External Corners:

- When covering two adjacent walls, overlap the corner edge.
- On the second wall, overlap the wallpaper to create a seamless appearance.

## Maintenance and Care:

SOUNDLINA<sup>TM</sup> wallpaper is easy to maintain. Simply wipe down any marks with a damp cloth for quick cleaning. For the full SOUNDLINA<sup>TM</sup> cleaning and maintenance guide, please visit <https://screenwood.com.au/resources/>.

For a video demonstration of the installation process, please visit <https://screenwood.com.au/soundlina>.