

Installation Guide

Expanded steps for Roofroll

1. Preparing the Surface

Tools Needed:

- Broom or brush
- Scraper
- Cleaning solution

Why this step is crucial: A clean surface ensures proper adhesion and prevents premature wear.

Before installing Roofroll, it's crucial to prepare the surface properly.

- 1. **Clear Debris:** Remove all dirt, dust, loose gravel, and any other debris from the roof surface using a broom or brush. A clean surface is essential for proper adhesion.
- Scrape Away Old Material: Use a scraper to remove any old roofing material, such as loose sealant or deteriorated membranes. This will create a smooth and even surface for the new Roofroll.
- Clean the Surface: Wash the surface with a suitable cleaning solution to remove any remaining contaminants, such as oil or grease. Rinse thoroughly and allow the surface to dry completely. Ensure the cleaning solution is compatible with the existing roof material.
- 4. **Inspect for Damage:** Carefully inspect the roof surface for any signs of damage, such as cracks or holes. Repair any damage before proceeding with the installation.

2. Measuring and Cutting Roofroll

Tools Needed:

- Measuring tape
- Utility knife
- Straight edge
- Marker

Precision is key: Accurate measurements ensure minimal waste and a professional finish.

Accurate measurement and precise cutting are essential for a seamless Roofroll installation.

- Measure the Area: Use a measuring tape to determine the exact dimensions of the area where you'll be installing Roofroll. Account for any overlaps or seams required.
- 2. **Transfer Measurements:** Transfer the measurements to the Roofroll material using a marker. Ensure the lines are clear and accurate.
- 3. **Cut the Material:** Using a utility knife and a straight edge, carefully cut the Roofroll material along the marked lines. Make sure the cuts are clean and straight to ensure a snug fit.
- 4. **Dry Fit:** Before applying any adhesive, dry-fit the cut pieces of Roofroll to ensure they fit properly and align correctly. Make any necessary adjustments at this stage.

3. Applying Adhesive or Sealant

Tools Needed:

- Adhesive or sealant
- Caulking gun or applicator
- Trowel (if needed)

Choosing the right product:

Select an adhesive or sealant that is compatible with both the Roofroll material and the existing roof surface.

The correct application of adhesive or sealant ensures a waterproof and long-lasting bond.

- Prepare the Adhesive/Sealant: Ensure the adhesive or sealant is ready for use. If using a caulking gun, load the cartridge properly.
- 2. **Apply Evenly:** Apply the adhesive or sealant evenly to the prepared roof surface or the back of the Roofroll material, depending on the product instructions. Use a trowel if needed to spread the adhesive evenly.
- 3. **Apply Generously:** Apply enough adhesive to create a strong bond, but avoid excessive amounts that could squeeze out and create a mess.
- 4. **Follow Instructions:** Always follow the manufacturer's instructions regarding application techniques and drying times. This will ensure the best possible results.

4. Positioning Roofroll

Tools Needed:

- Gloves
- Soft roller

Careful placement: Proper alignment ensures a professional and watertight finish.

Careful positioning is crucial for a seamless and effective Roofroll installation.

- 1. **Align Carefully:** Carefully align the Roofroll material with the edges of the area to be covered. Ensure there are no gaps or overlaps.
- Press Firmly: Press the Roofroll material firmly onto the adhesive or sealant, working from one edge to the other. Use a soft roller to ensure even contact and eliminate any air pockets.
- 3. **Check Alignment:** Regularly check the alignment to ensure the Roofroll material remains in the correct position. Make any necessary adjustments before the adhesive or sealant sets.
- 4. **Smooth Out Wrinkles:** Smooth out any wrinkles or bubbles in the Roofroll material as you go. This will ensure a smooth and even surface.

5. Sealing/Finishing

Tools Needed:

- Sealing compound
- Caulking gun
- Putty knife

Protection against the elements: Proper sealing ensures a waterproof and durable finish.

Proper sealing and finishing are essential for a long-lasting and watertight Roofroll installation.

- Apply Sealing Compound: Apply a bead of sealing compound along all edges and seams of the Roofroll material. This will create a waterproof seal and prevent water from penetrating underneath.
- Smooth the Sealant: Use a putty knife to smooth the sealing compound and create a neat and professional finish. Remove any excess sealant.
- 3. **Inspect for Gaps:** Carefully inspect all edges and seams for any gaps or imperfections. Apply additional sealant as needed to ensure a complete seal.
- 4. **Allow to Cure:** Allow the sealant to cure completely according to the manufacturer's instructions before exposing the Roofroll to water or heavy traffic.

Next Steps

- Allow sufficient drying time before exposing the area to heavy use.
- Regularly inspect your Roofroll installation for any signs of wear or damage.
- Consult a professional for complex or large-scale installations.