

## Fiber Cement Panel Trims Installation Instructions

- Preparation:
  - Before you begin, review and comply with your local building codes and regulations
  - Refer to the fiber cement panel manufacturer installation instructions for direction on installing panels and substrate fastening
  - Store material in a dry area protected from the weather
  - Review architectural design requirements
  
- Cutting extruded aluminum trims:
  - Cut trims to size using an all-purpose blade designed to cut non-ferrous metals
  - Smooth edges with a rasp, metal file, sandpaper or coarse emery board
  
- Field Painting:
  - Ensure that the surface is clean and dry
  - Material provided in prime finish can be painted with a quality exterior urethane or modified acrylic paint
  - Refer to paint manufacturers recommendations regarding proper paint selection for the application and environment
  
- Fastening:
  - Fasteners must be corrosion resistant, galvanized or stainless steel
  - Refer to substrate regarding direction on specific type of fasteners and spacing requirements
  - When securing more than one length of trim, be sure butt joints are square and flush
  - When fastening trims prior to panel installation, fasten through recessed groove in attachment flange
  - An ideal starting location is at the intersection of a base trim and outside corner
  
- Notes
  - Do not use J-channel trim horizontally with short leg up
  - Do not use Vertical Molding at horizontal joints
  - Do not use Vertical Retainer at horizontal joints

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- If using treated wood next to aluminum products, take care to apply a suitable barrier between the materials