

Installation

E Range Stair Nosings (intended for interior applications only)

Introduction:

Please read these instructions before using this product. If there is anything you do not understand or if you want to know more about these items, please contact GA.

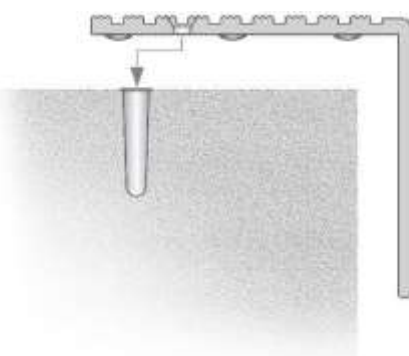
E Range stair nosings must be installed by suitably qualified contractors with the required knowledge and expertise. Current standard construction methods must be used.

It is the responsibility of the contractor to ensure proper safety during and after completion of the installation, so that the nosings remain safely secured to the steps.

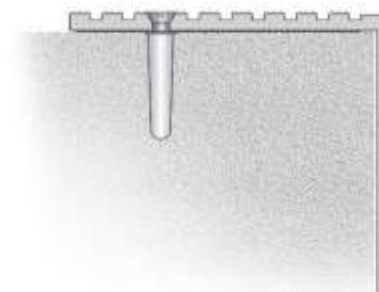
Before beginning the installation, please refer to our Health & Safety data sheet, for guidance regarding Off-Loading, Site Storage etc.

Please note that on anodised stock lengths, jig or clamp marks are normally visible at the extreme ends. These unsightly marks should be cut away before cutting to the required stair width.

Fixing:



Typical detail: Nosing before fixing



Typical detail: Nosing after fixing

The nosings must be secured by both a rapid curing flexible adhesive* (e.g. Stycco Flex or similar) and screw fixings.

Csk. holes should be drilled 70mm in from each end and then at approximately 350mm centres to accept either No. 6 csk. (3.5mm \varnothing) screws or No. 8 csk. (4mm \varnothing) screws.

Using the cut lengths of nosing as templates, mark out the location of the fixing holes in the steps.

Pre-drill timber/board steps with a pilot hole or drill and plug other surfaces.

The fixing surface must be in good sound condition, level, dry and free of dust/dirt etc.

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Ensure the underside of the hosting profiles are degreased and cleaned of any other contaminants.

Apply the adhesive manufacturer's recommended number of continuous and evenly spaced beads of adhesive to the underside of the nosings and press fit/slide into position, while applying a firm even pressure across the full stair width, to ensure an even spread.

Once positioned on the step screw down the nosing, using No.8 (4mm \emptyset) screws.

Wait until the adhesive* is completely cured before cleaning away any dirt, grease, or other contaminants from the tread surface.

*Adhesives must be applied in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Attention should be made to curing times and ambient temperature conditions for fixing.

Note 1. The legal responsibility, for the supply and performance of the adhesives, lies with the adhesive manufacturer.

Note 2. These stair nosings are intended for dry interior environments only.

Cleaning & Maintenance:

Regular housekeeping, maintenance and inspection are key to reducing the likelihood of stair falls.

Frequent checks should be made to ensure that the nosings and treads remain securely fitted and maintained to remain so.

All that is normally required, to maintain the appearance and prevent the build-up of surface contaminants on the tread surface, is a daily vacuum with a soft brush attachment followed by a wipe over with a soft, dry cloth.

Any liquids being used for cleaning purposes must be applied in small amounts to a soft cloth. Grease or oil deposits can be removed with an organic solvent such as white spirit, followed by wiping over with a mild diluted detergent and rinsing with cold clean water. Dry off with a soft cloth, treads must not be left in a wet condition.

It is important that abrasive cleaners or scourers are not used as they may damage the surface. Polishes and floor sealers will reduce slip resistance and therefore must not be used.

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