

Inspection/Installation Checklist

Date	
Project Name	
Builder or General Contractor	
Contractor	
Distributor	
Application:	Internal / External
EQUITONE material(s)	
Inspector(s)	

Attach any additional documents and photographs as needed.

Glossary

Witnessed	Inspector observed the process
Claimed	It is based on the statement of others, e.g. installer
<i>*Compliant with EQUITONE guideline: ✓, Non-compliant with EQUITONE guideline: X</i>	

Note: Inspection is carried out on a representative section chosen at random. For all intents and purposes, it is the contracting party's responsibility to ensure compliance with EQUITONE installation guidelines and recommendations.

Storage and handling

Ref.#	Item	Witnessed	Claimed	Comment
1	1. Panels stored indoor and undercover in dry condition.			
	2. Panels stored outdoor, protected from the weather with a tarp. Panels are ventilated.			
2	Panels stored horizontally on a pallet or the like.			
3	Edge protections have been used under the panels temporarily stored vertically against the wall.			
4	Stacking panels correctly aligned with EQUITONE guidelines.			
5	Panels handled and carried correctly.			

Panel preparation

Ref.#	Item	Witnessed	Claimed	Comment
6	Panels have been cut facedown.			
7	Panels have been cut on a secured workbench with protective paper/foam.			
8	Panel edges have been sanded after cutting with 80 grit sandpaper.			
9	Dust has been removed from the panel immediately after cutting and sanding.			
10	Panels have been drilled with EQUITONE 7mm drill bit.			
11	Panels have been drilled, faced up.			

12	Dust has been removed from the panel immediately after drilling.			
EQUITONE [natura] & [natura] PRO				
13	LUKO edge sealer has been applied to all the panel cut edges.			
14	All dust has been removed from panel edges before the application of LUKO.			
15	Excess/residue of LUKO has been thoroughly immediately removed from the panel face, using a paper towel/clean cloth.			
16	EQUITONE applicator kit has been used to apply LUKO.			
17	LUKO has been stored on site as per LUKO application guidelines .			
EQUITONE [lines]				
18	Milling tool (with 7mm drill bit) has been used correctly with EQUITONE [lines], perpendicular to the panel face with gentle, consistent pressure as per EQUITONE guidelines.			
19	EQUITONE [lines] has been drilled on a solid, stable workbench.			
20	A sacrificial FC sheet has been placed under the panels during drilling process.			
Cladding framing				
Ref.#	Item	Witnessed	Claimed	Comment
21	Cladding framing is compliant with EQUITONE requirements (in terms of width, structural grade, preservative treatment).			

22	All battens are covered, before panel installation, with an EPDM tape (cover the batten and overhang Min.5mm each side).			
23	Farming has been installed with correct orientation, allowing for ventilation.			
24	Control/expansion/movement joints have been allowed in the cladding framing, e.g. under floor levels.			

Panel installation

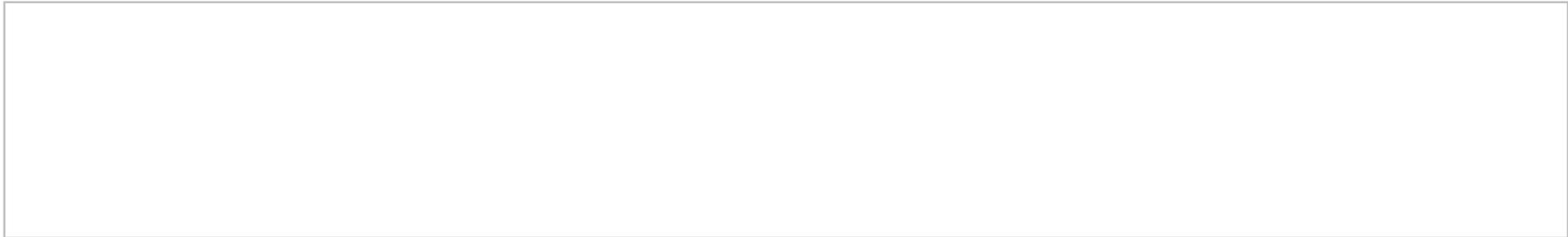
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25	The screw collar has been inserted into all holes before screw fixings (only required for [natura] pro & [pictura]).			
25	UNI-Screw fixings have been installed radiating outwards from the centre of the panel to the panel edges.			
28	Drill gun has been used correctly, perpendicular to the panel face.			
29	Screws sit flat on the panel surface and are not overtightened.			
30	The thickness of the flashings/angles placed in between the panel and timber batten is Max. 0.8mm.			
31	EQUITONE panel fixings edge distances are respected.			
32	Panel fixings spacing on vertical applications cannot exceed 600mm or less depending on wind loading.			
33	Panel fixings spacing on non-vertical applications cannot exceed 400mm or less depending on wind loading.			
34	Panel and its cladding framing must not bridge any control/movement/deflection joints.			

Ventilation

Ref.#	Item	Witnessed	Claimed	Comment
35	At the bottom and top of the façade/application			

36	Interfaces with window head/sill and the like			
37	Interfaces with slab			
38	Interfaces with soffit			
39	Interfaces with capping			
40	Other interfaces as applicable			

Any other comments:



Information



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