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**MDF Wall
Panel Kit**
Fitting Instructions



Important Information

The following instructions are for installing the **MDF Wall Panel Kit**

MDF Wall Kit has a coverage of approx. 1.2m².

If you have any queries please contact our technical helpline on **0191 489 8231**

Please note:

All components should be inspected BEFORE installation commences for any damage, as M.H. Southern & Co. cannot be held responsible for any damage caused during installation. We do not recommend the use of a sharp blade to open the packaging as this may damage the product

Tools required:

Tape measure, pencil, adhesive, nail gun.

Kit contents

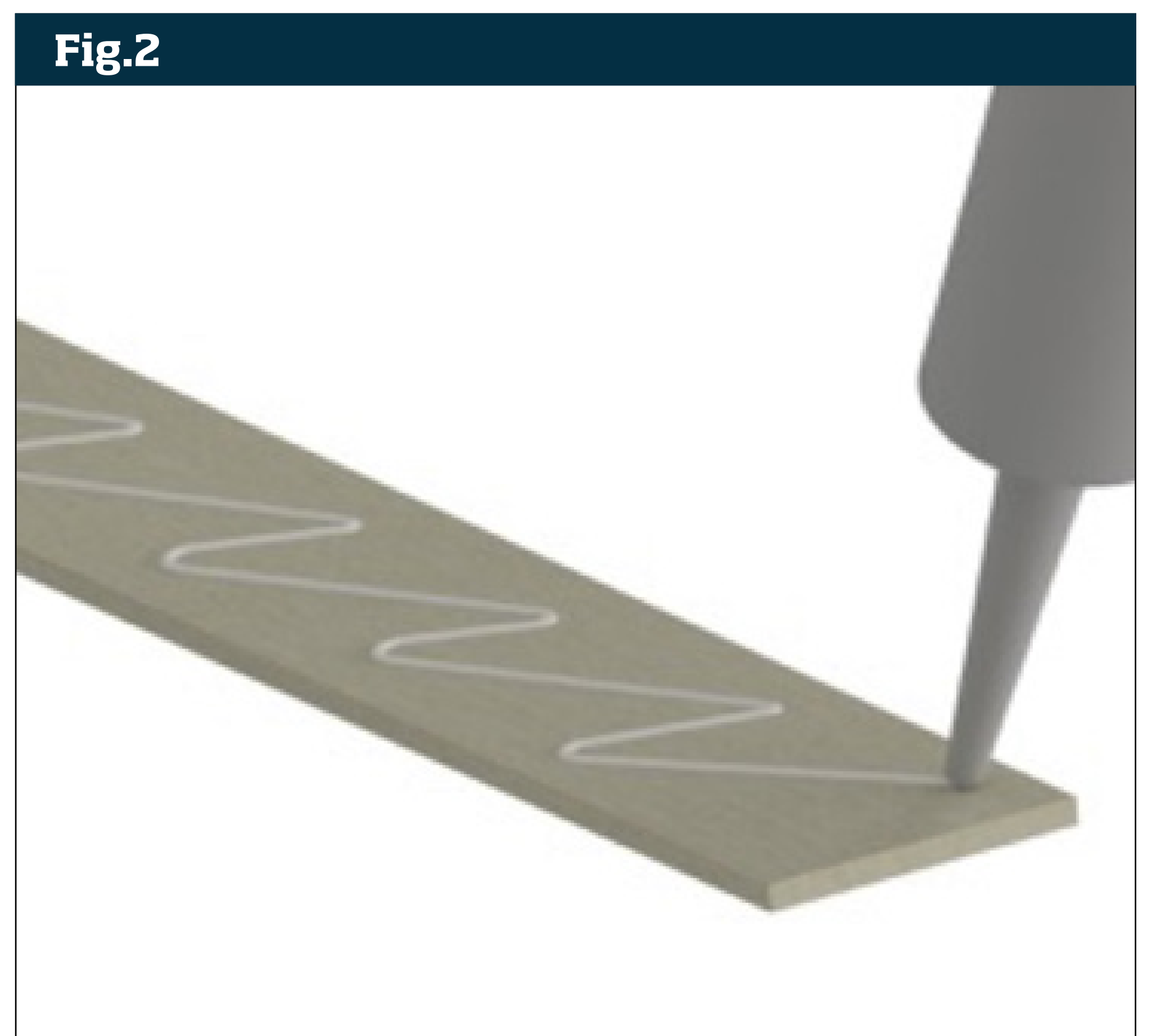
6x 1.2m MDF Strips (97mm x 9mm)
All products unfinished



Measure up from top of skirting board to your preferred panelling height. Mark position and draw horizontal line across. Check with spirit level (**Fig 1**).



Measure length of wall. Mark and cut enough strips to run across top of skirting and across horizontal line previously drawn. Apply adhesive to backs of strips (**Fig 2**).



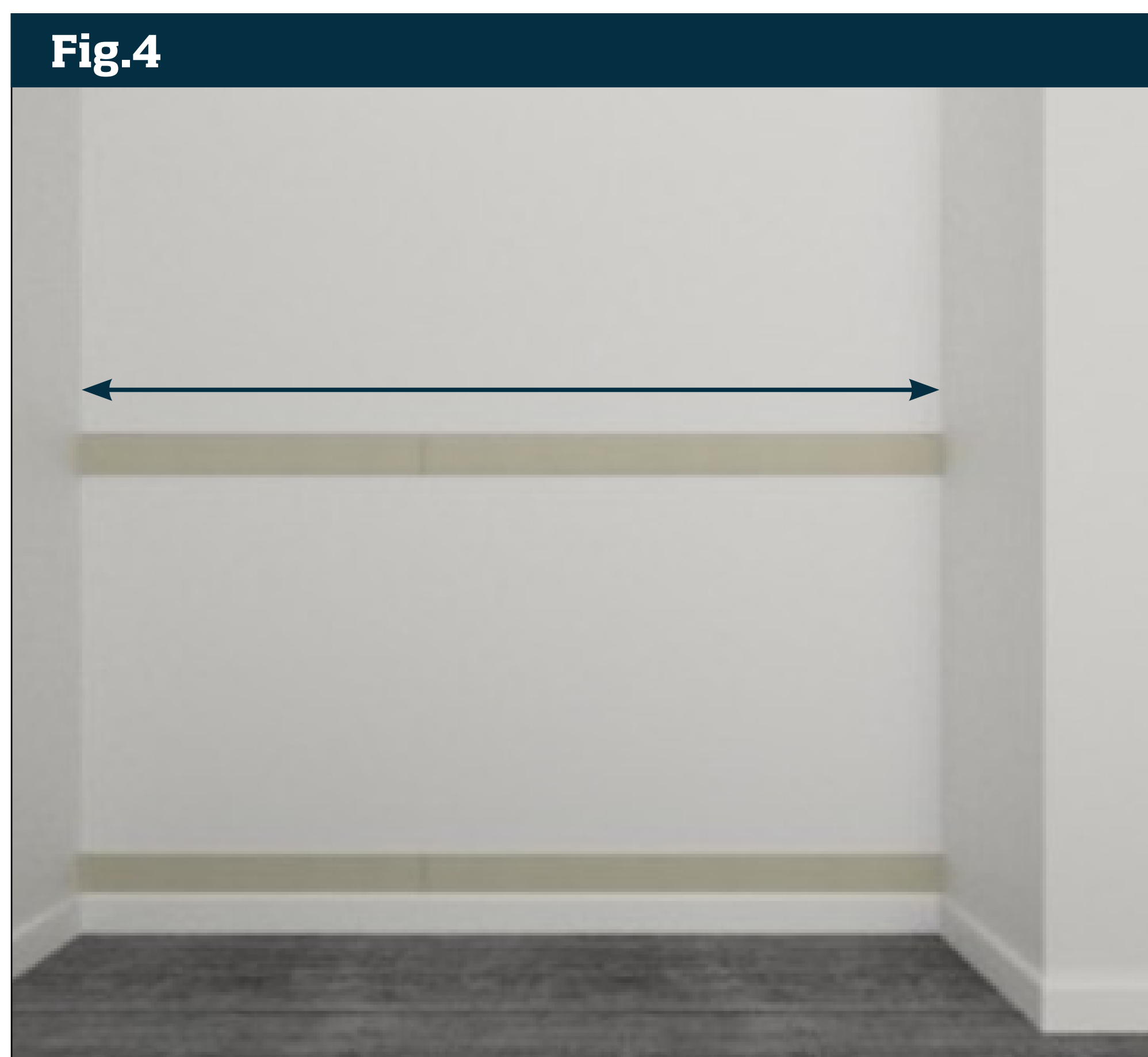
Offer strips into position and secure with nail gun (**Fig 3**).



To work out how many panels you require, measure wall length and subtract width of 1 panel strip. **(Fig 4)**.

Example:

- Wall length = 2000mm
- Width of wall panel strip = 97mm
- $2000\text{mm} - 97\text{mm} = 1903\text{mm}$
- Divide this dimension by how many panels you prefer.
In this example we are using 3 panels
- $1903\text{mm} \text{ divided by } 3 = 634\text{mm} \text{ centres}$
- The actual distance between panel strips will be 634mm minus width of 1 panel strip
- $634\text{mm} - 97\text{mm} = 537\text{mm} \text{ between strips}$



Measure distance between top and bottom strips and cut 4 vertical panel strips. Apply adhesive to back of strips. Offer 2 strips between horizontal strips, placing one of them at each end of the run. Secure with nail gun **(Fig 5)**.



Offer remaining strips between horizontal strips and space them according to figure worked out in Fig 4 ie 537mm between strips. Secure with nail gun **(Fig 6)**.

Fill all gaps and joints with decorators caulk.
Wipe off any excess with damp cloth. Sand to a smooth finish.
You are now ready to paint.



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