

## Installation Instructions

Flexible Corner Guard (CGFLX60)

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- Flexible corner guards must be installed in environmentally controlled conditions and must be allowed to acclimatize
  to room temperature for 24 hours prior to installation. The ideal temperature is between 16°C and 18°C. Before
  installing the cornerguard it is recommended that it is bent together, tape to tape, thereby reducing the resistance
  within the product.
- 2. Before installing, a full inspection of the substrate should be undertaken to ensure that the substrate is flat, sound and free from oil, grease or dust or any contaminants that could prevent good adhesion to the substrate surface, and if necessary, thoroughly primed. Any damage to the substrate should be made good and allowed to cure prior to commencing installation. On a wall where wallpaper is present Gradus recommend that the paper directly behind where the product will sit is removed and the substrate made good. The product should then be adhered directly to the substrate.
- 3. Ensure that accurate measurements have been taken to define the correct size requirements. Flexible corner guards can be cut to size using a chop saw/hacksaw or alternatively can be cut with a craft knife, using several progressively firmer score marks and then snapping it along the cutting line. Ends should be de-burred by using a fine file. The adhesive tape should be trimmed between 1mm and no more than 4mm from the cut edge of the corner guard. All cuts should be made before installation.
- 4. Peel off the tape's protective cover from the cornerguard. Position the cornerguard on the corner and continue installation by pressing it onto the wall over its entire length. Apply firm pressure to the entire surface of the cornerguard to ensure a firm bond. A hard rubber roller or a wood block covered in a soft cloth will aid this step.
- 5. When adhering to porous or difficult surfaces, flexible corner guards should be ordered without tape and a suitable contact adhesive should be used to adhere to the surface. Before installation starts note all the requirements of paragraph #2.

Note: To order Flexible corner guards without the factory applied tape, reference the order with 'N' after the model number. Flexible corner guards with tape are referenced with 'T' after the model number.

