

COTTON VALLEY OAK LAMINATE FLOORING

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25 Year Residential Warranty

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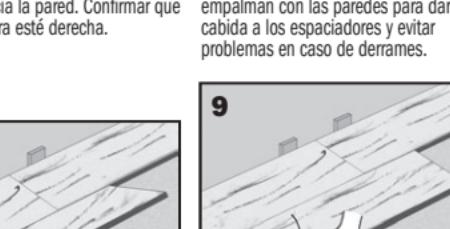
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Installation

IMPORTANT – Do not open immediately. Before opening, acclimate planks for 48 hours by laying each box horizontally and individually in center of room where they will be installed. Make sure subfloor is clean, dry and flat. Always use safety glasses and a mask. Visit our website for more help.

For Successful Installation, remember:

1. Acclimate for 48 hours before installing (buy on Wednesday to install Saturday)
2. Identify the tongue side and the groove side



3. The tongue side (the smaller extension without a ridge on it) goes against the beginning wall

Suitable subfloors for Manufacturer Laminate Flooring are:

- Existing floor surfaces including hardwood floors, linoleum, resilient vinyl, PVC (plastic floor surfaces must be permanently attached to the subfloor), needle felt, (dry) ceramic flooring.
- Cement floors on all grades/elevations (maximum residual moisture 2.0 CM%). With a calcium chloride test, the maximum acceptable reading is 5.0 lbs/24 hours/1000 sq. ft.
- Anhydrite and Anhydritite tiles (max residual moisture 0.3 CM%)
- Magnesium Cement (max residual moisture 0.3 CM%)

Instalación

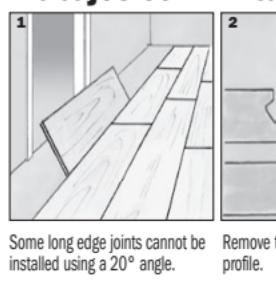
IMPORTANTE – No abra inmediatamente. Antes de abrir, aclimate las planchas durante 48 horas colocando cada caja horizontalmente y de forma individual al centro de la habitación donde serán instaladas. Verifique que el contrapiso esté limpio, seco y plano. Siempre utilice gafas de seguridad y una máscara facial. Visite nuestro sitio en Internet para obtener más ayuda.

Para la correcta instalación, recuerde:

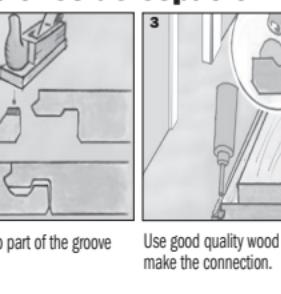
1. Aclimatarse durante 48 horas antes de la instalación (comprar el miércoles para instalar el sábado)
2. Identificar el lado de la lanza y el lado de la ranura
3. El lateral de la lanza (la menor extensión sin cresta sobre ella) va contra el principio pared

Los contrapisos adecuados para los pisos de laminado del fabricante son:

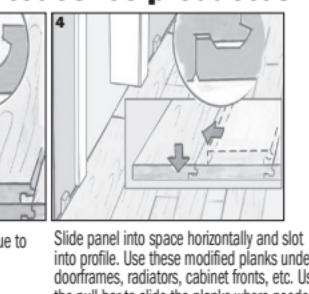
- Superficies de piso existentes incluyendo pisos de madera dura, linóleo, vinilo resistente, PVC (los pisos de cerámica (seco).
- Pisos de cemento a todos los niveles/elevaciones (humedad residual máxima 2,0 CM%). Con una prueba de cloruro de calcio, la lectura máxima aceptable es 2,3 kg/24 horas/92,9 m2.
- Anhidrita y baldosas de anhidrita (humedad residual máx. 0,3 CM%)
- Cemento de magnesio (humedad residual máx. 0,3 CM%)



Install vapor barrier if subfloor is cement (6 mil polyethylene film).



Always use an underlayment padding above the vapor barrier and below the laminate flooring planks. If pad is pre-attached, no additional underlayment should be used.



Install parallel to main light source; if no exterior light source, install parallel to longest wall.



If possible, start to lay panels under the door jam and finish installing planks on a wall without a door jam. See Working with Limited Clearance section.



Start placing panels so that tongue sides face the wall. Confirm first row is straight.



Remove the tongue on the panels that abut the walls to allow room for spacers and prevent problems from spills.



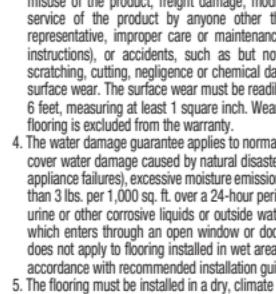
12° end joint stagger row to row. 16° smallest usable piece.



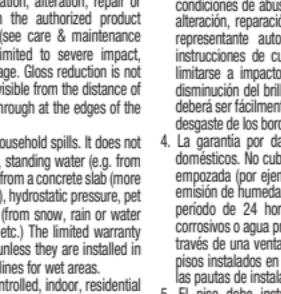
Engage next plank and slide into overlapping end joints position.



Push down to engage end joint. Long joint of next row holds end joint in place. End joints in first and last rows are held in place by base molding/1/4 round.



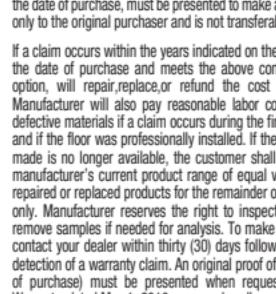
Always allow for 5/16" - 3/8" expansion around fixed objects.



An expansion gap T-strip is required when length of planks measure 40' max. and when width of planks measures 25' max. Transition strips should be placed in all doorways directly under the door when the door is closed.



Corte la hilera a lo largo de la pared para acomodar el desnivel de la pared mientras deje un espacio de 9,5 mm para expansión (ancho mínimo de placa 6,4 cm).



To measure and cut last piece in a row, rotate offcut section 180°, mark accordingly, cut, rotate back 180° and slot into space.



Para medir y cortar la última pieza de una hilera, rote la sección del recorte a 180°, marque debidamente, corte, rote nuevamente a 180° y coloque en el espacio.



Presionar hacia abajo para acoplar la junta del extremo. La junta larga de la siguiente hilera mantiene a la junta del extremo en posición. Las juntas del extremo de la primera y última hilera se mantienen en posición con el zócalo/1/4 redondo.

Limited Warranty

Manufacturer* warrants to the original residential purchaser for a period indicated on the front of this carton from the original date of purchase that:

1. The design layer of the floor will not wear through, fade from normal sunlight or artificial lighting or stain under normal use conditions in a dry indoor residential setting.

2. The floor will be free of manufacturing defects.

3. The floor joints will remain secure under normal use conditions.

4. The floor will resist water damage caused by normal household spills and cleaning when our recommended cleaning practices are used.

Conditions

This Limited Warranty is made subject to the following conditions:

1. The flooring must be installed in accordance with flooring installation instructions. Flooring in bathroom applications must be installed using proper techniques. Warranty does not apply if the laminate flooring has not been cleaned, maintained or cared for according to the cleaning and care instructions provided by manufacturer.

2. Manufacturer warrants its products against manufacturing defects that exist in its products prior to product installation. Flooring installed with known defects is not covered under this warranty. All planks must be inspected for possible, recognizable defects before and during the installation as any right to claim under warranty becomes invalid after planks with visible defects have been installed. Warranty claims can only be accepted if the planks were delivered by the dealer in the original packaging.

3. The surface wear or damage must not be the result of abusive conditions, misuse of the product, freight damage, modification, alteration, repair or service of the product by anyone other than the authorized product representative, or accidents, such as but not limited to severe impact, scratching, cutting, negligence or chemical damage. Gloss reduction is not surface wear. The surface wear must be readily visible from the distance of 6 feet, measuring at least 1 square inch. Wear-through at the edges of the floor is excluded from the warranty.

4. The water damage guarantee applies to normal household spills. It does not cover water damage caused by natural disasters, standing water (e.g. from appliance failures), excessive moisture emissions from a concrete slab (more than 3 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. over a 24-hour period), hydrostatic pressure, pet urine or other corrosive liquids or outside water (from snow, rain or water which enters through an open window or door, etc.) The limited warranty does not apply to flooring installed in wet areas unless they are installed in accordance with recommended installation guidelines for wet areas.

5. The flooring must be installed in a dry, climate controlled, indoor, residential environment.

6. Approved accessories and underlayment MUST be used to validate water warranty.

7. Molding and accessories are not covered by this warranty.

What happens in the unlikely event you have a claim:

To make a warranty claim, contact your retailer. Proof of purchase, including the date of purchase, must be presented to make a claim. This warranty applies only to the original purchaser and is not transferable.

If a claim occurs within the years indicated on the front of this carton, starting with the date of purchase and meets the above conditions, the manufacturer, at its option, will repair, replace or refund the cost of the defective materials.

Manufacturer will also pay reasonable labor costs to repair or replace the defective materials if a claim occurs during the first five years after installation and if the floor was professionally installed. If the product for which a claim is made is no longer available, the customer shall be able to choose from the manufacturer's current product range of equal value. Manufacturer warrants repaired or replaced products for the remainder of the original warranty period only. Manufacturer reserves the right to inspect the installed planks and to remove samples if needed for analysis.

To make a claim under this warranty, contact your dealer within thirty (30) days following the date of discovery or detection of a warranty claim. An original proof of purchase (including the date of purchase, name of dealer, and date of purchase) must be presented when requesting warranty service. This warranty, dated May 1, 2010, supersedes all warranties previously issued.

Effective date: May 2010.

All references of "Manufacturer" made within this document are meant to be "Kronotex USA".

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CLEANING & CARE

Congratulations on choosing your new laminate floor. Laminate flooring is virtually maintenance free. Because we impregnate our surface with melamine, it is resistant to dirt and dust. Normal vacuuming and/or sweeping will usually keep your floor clean. If stubborn spots still remain, use a laminate floor cleaner.

Never leave any amounts of liquids (water, juices, soft drinks, alcohol, etc.) on the floor for more than the time necessary to clean the spill. Immediately wipe up wet areas from spills, foreign substances or wet shoes.

Do not use any cleaning agents containing wax, oil or polish. Left over residue from these agents can leave a dull film on the floor.

Do not use steel wool or scouring powder, as this could scratch the floor.

Use either a natural or color-fast doormat outside and inside each entrance to your home to prevent dirt, sand, grit and other substances from being tracked onto the floor.

Use wear-bearing, non-staining floor protectors, such as hard plastic felt protectors for chair legs and table legs.

Cleaning Stains and Other Problems

Juice, Wine, Grease, Chocolate

Cigarette Burns, Asphalt, Shoe Polish, Paint, Ink, Crayon, Dried Foods, Nail Polish

Candle Wax, Chewing Gum

Dampen a rag with water and a laminate floor cleaner and spot clean.

Allow to harden and gently scrape with a plastic scraper.

Remove top part of the groove profile.

Use good quality wood glue to make the connection.

Utilize pegments for wood of good quality to effect the connection.

Compruebe que el suelo esté seco y limpío.

Verifique que el suelo esté se