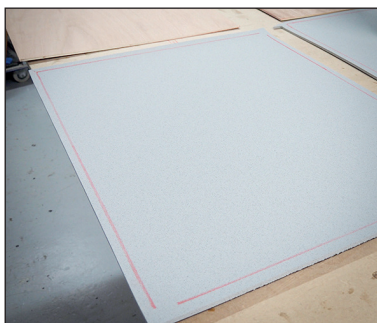




Rubber Pinboard



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Installation recommendations

Self-healing rubber pinboard material provides the ideal solution for those struggling to hammer drawing pins into the rock-hard surface of an old noticeboard or who are tired of breaking your nails trying to remove notices.

6mm thick and light grey in colour, our self-healing rubber pinboard is the ideal substrate for creating easily pinnable noticeboards. Self-healing pinboard is supplied in roll form and is available in widths up to 1250mm and a maximum length of 10 metres.

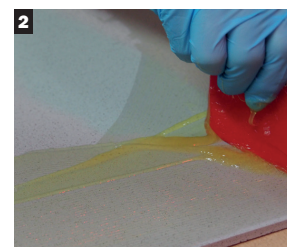
Fixing

Fixing is a straightforward process and can be achieved using any proprietary contact adhesive (such as Evo Stik). There are 2 possible fixing methods for using the material in an existing noticeboard; the method chosen will depend upon the condition of the substrate to which you are applying the material.

Method A:

Where the existing substrate is in good condition, i.e. flat and smooth, Self-healing Rubber Pinboard can be bonded directly to the existing surface using contact adhesive.

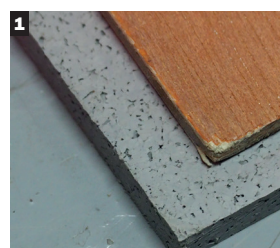
1. Mark up and cut the material to size, (Fig 1). Please note that Self-healing Rubber will stretch by a small amount (typically 3-5mm per metre) when the adhesive is applied. For this reason we recommend leaving a margin around all sides to allow for this. This can be filled with clear silicon mastic later.
2. Apply a proprietary contact adhesive such as Evo Stik to both surfaces following the manufacturer's instructions, (Fig 2). The adhesive should be allowed to become touch-dry before applying the material to the surface. In order to prevent accidental contact whilst positioning the pinboard, a sheet of polythene can be used as a barrier between the back panel of the noticeboard and the new pinboard, (Fig3), until you are confident that the material is correctly located.
3. For unglazed boards (and internal boards where it is deemed aesthetically desirable, any gap around the edge of the new pinboard and the frame of the existing noticeboard should be filled using a clear silicon mastic such as Everflex Premium 450 Builder's Silicon, (Fig 4). To prevent mastic from marking the face of the pinboard, use masking tape along each edge.



Method B:

Where the condition of the existing back panel precludes the use of Method A, e.g. if the surface is uneven or there are fragments of the original display panel that cannot be removed, Self-healing Rubber Pinboard can be fixed to a solid substrate such as 4mm plywood before being fixed in the desired location.

1. Cut a sheet of 4mm plywood (or similar) to the required size; we recommend leaving 3-4mm less than the available space, in both dimensions. Cut the Self-healing Rubber Pinboard material to size, slightly bigger than the ply panel (Fig 5).
2. Apply a proprietary contact adhesive such as Evo Stik to both surfaces following the manufacturer's instructions (Fig 6). The adhesive should be allowed to become touch-dry before applying the material to the surface. In order to prevent accidental contact whilst positioning the pinboard, a sheet of polythene can be used as a barrier between the back panel of the noticeboard and the new pinboard (Fig3) until you are confident that the material is correctly located.
3. Once dry, trim off any surplus pinboard (Fig7) and fix the resulting panel in place using screws and screw cups or glue as appropriate.
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