

Installation Guide

Senso Sheet Vinyl

Sheet vinyl flooring offers a practical and affordable solution that can transform the look of your home. Its durability, water resistance and ability to resist scratches and stains makes it a dependable choice for busy households. Plus, it is low maintenance and easy to install making it the perfect product for a DIY project. Ready to upgrade your home? Follow these steps for a professional quality finish.

Note: Always wear the appropriate safety equipment and refer to detailed Installation & Maintenance Guidelines for full details.

Tools & Materials



Tools:

- Broom
- Measuring tape
- Roller
- Utility knife
- Sweeper or vacuum
- V-notch towel

Materials:

- Masonite
- Vinyl adhesive
- Vinyl flooring

1 Prepare the room

Select the room, measure the space and thoroughly inspect your vinyl sheet for any visible defects. Do not install product if there are defects.

Tip: For a neat and professional finish, it is recommended to remove skirting boards prior to installation and reinstall them once the flooring is complete.



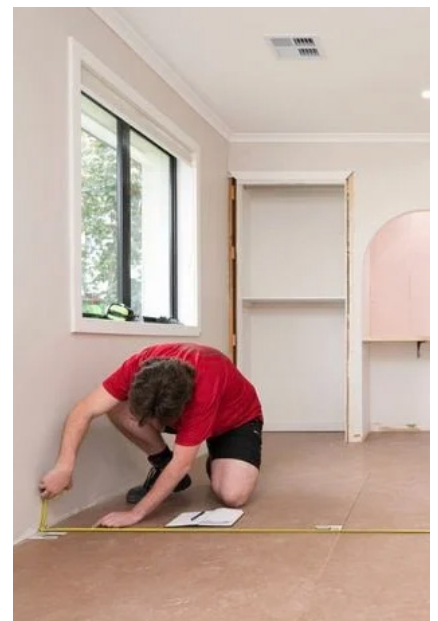
2 Prepare the substrate

For particleboard and timber subfloors, install an underlay like Masonite in dry areas or cement sheet underlay in wet areas. For concrete subfloors, apply a suitable levelling compound to any unevenness. Conduct a final sweep or vacuum and address any imperfections, as they may show through the vinyl. Keep the room temperature between 15°C and 28°C (ideally 22°C) to ensure proper installation.



3 Measure the space

Measure the maximum length and width of the room, including all recesses, doorways and irregular features. Add an allowance for trimming of a minimum of 100-150mm to each dimension.



4 Lay the vinyl

Unroll the vinyl ensuring the pattern aligns correctly with the room's layout. Step back to check the design is straight and adjust as needed for proper alignment. Allow the vinyl to acclimatise to the room's temperature for a minimum of 24 hours prior to adhesion, minimising the chance of stretching or bubbling during installation.



5 Apply the adhesive

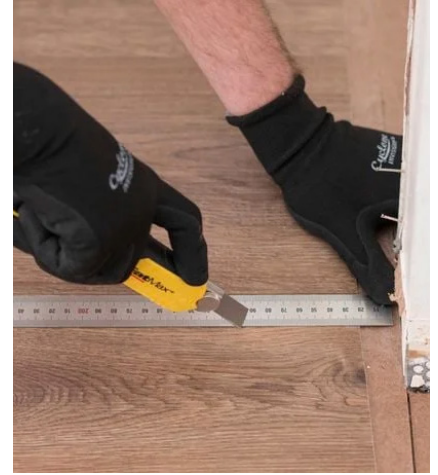
Use the hard-set adhesive flooring type. Fold back half of the vinyl sheet. Using a V1 notched trowel, apply the adhesive evenly across the exposed subfloor area. Allow a brief "open time" to develop tack. Gently unfold the vinyl over the adhered area, progressively smoothing it out to eliminate air entrapment. Repeat for the remaining half of the sheet vinyl.

Note: If loose laying, the perimeter can be fixed with double sided tape.



6 Cut the vinyl

Trim the edges with a sharp utility knife, leaving a 1–2mm gap for expansion, which will later be hidden by skirting boards. Make precise relief cuts in corners and doorways to ensure the vinyl lays flat without tearing.



7 Finish up

Re-attach skirting boards if removed for a neat finish. To maintain your vinyl flooring, regularly sweep or vacuum to prevent dirt and grit from scratching the surface.



Maintenance Tips



Regularly sweep or vacuum to remove dirt and debris.



Clean up spills immediately to prevent damage.



Use a damp mop for cleaning but avoid excessive water.