



## INSTALLATION DO-s AND DON'T-s

### Do-s

- ▶ Do.....Always pre-drill before screwing
- ▶ Do.....Use 64 tooth triple chip (sharpened) Carbide tip blade in your radial saw
- ▶ Do.....Pre-Drill and counter bore when using screws for attachment
- ▶ Do.....Use narrow head trim screws
- ▶ Do.....Use 18 gauge brads in your Neumatic nail gun
- ▶ Do.....Hold nail gun tight and firm to surface when nailing to avoid back lash
- ▶ Do.....Store in a clean, dry area
- ▶ Do.....Allow SpecTrim® to acclimate 48 hours in the area to be installed prior to using or installing
- ▶ Do.....Plan ahead to allow space for casing, back stops and especially corner/end trims before cutting your horizontal base and cap and before you layout your panel spacing
- ▶ Do.....Position Corner/End Trims prior to installing your base molding

### Don't-s

- ▶ Don't....Leave SpecTrim® in the rain
- ▶ Don't....Store outside or expose product for long periods of time to extreme temperatures, (below 65° F or above 85° F) and/or high or low relative humidity
- ▶ Don't....Use dull unsharpened blades to cut material
- ▶ Don't....Clean with abrasive/powdered cleaners
- ▶ Don't....Use Screws without Pre-Drilling
- ▶ Don't....Install base until all notch cuts are made
- ▶ Don't....Install parts out of level or plumb
- ▶ Don't....Slide finished parts along the ground
- ▶ Don't....Lift large quantities of SpecTrim® without the help of another person
- ▶ Don't....Install SpecTrim® in exterior spaces
- ▶ Don't....Hold nail-gun loosely when shooting nails