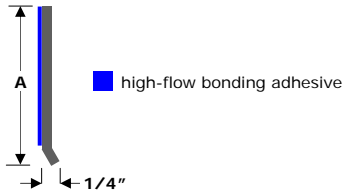
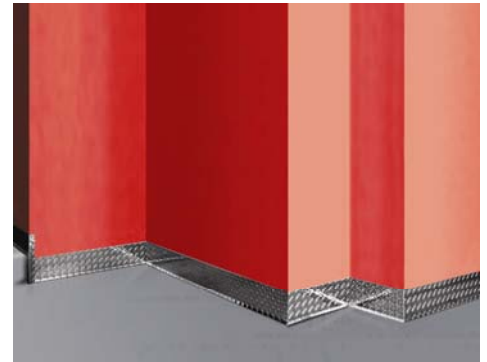


# Instructions

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2"
4-3/4"
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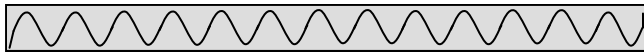


Base Molding MX™  
P/N: HBMA.LL

## Installation Instructions

### Mounting Option 1: use construction adhesive to mount plain back moldings

1. For best adhesion, wall should be clean and free of oil, moisture and dust and should be approximately 60 degrees Fahrenheit. A hair dryer may be used to warm up wall surface if needed.
2. We recommend using Liquid Nails® Polyurethane formulation to mount metal moldings onto drywall
3. Apply an appx 1/4" diameter bead of construction adhesive on the back side of the molding in the "S" pattern shown below. Adhere to wall. Follow remaining instructions listed on the construction adhesive you are using.



### Mounting Option 2: use peel & stick adhesive to mount

1. For best adhesion, wall should be clean and free of oil, moisture and dust and should be approximately 60 degrees Fahrenheit. A hair dryer may be used to warm up wall surface if needed.
2. If your wall is painted and the paint is bonded well to the wall, you can apply Base Molding MX™ directly onto the painted surface. There is a simple test you can do to find out if the paint is well bonded to the wall. First, take a piece of aggressive sticky tape, such as duct tape, and press the tape down firmly on the painted surface, keeping one end of the piece of tape in your hand. Then, rip the tape up quickly. If the paint comes off with the tape, the paint is not well bonded and your wall will need to be stripped before applying Base Molding MX™. If the paint doesn't lift off with the tape, the paint is well bonded to the wall and you can begin applying Base Molding MX™ to the painted surface. Be sure to test several areas of the wall to insure the entire surface is suitable for installation.
3. Peel off paper liner and press Base Molding MX™ to the wall. Use firm and even pressure to secure bond.
4. Do not keep the adhesive exposed to the air for more than a minute as the adhesive will begin to dry immediately and adhesion strength will decrease.
5. For easiest positioning of product, make contact with one corner of the product first and then let the entire product make contact.
6. Once the entire product has made contact, immediately use a rolled up rag or towel and apply good pressure over the entire product to adhere it. It is important to apply this pressure immediately otherwise any existing air gaps will immediately begin to dry the adhesive.
7. For best cutting results on aluminum, use saw blades designed to cut 1/16" thick metal (also known as "sheet metal").
8. For best cutting results on stainless steel, use a low speed saw and use a saw blade designed to cut 1/16" thick metal (also known as "sheet metal").
9. If walls are bowed, product may lift off wall after some time. Fasten product to the wall using either:
  - > liquid adhesive: cyanoacrylate ("super glue" type) or an epoxy type
  - > small finishing nails: for best results, hammer finishing nails into wall at slight angles. One finishing nail per corner is adequate. Pre-drilling holes are optional
11. CAUTION: Even though a freshly painted wall feels dry to the touch, it may not be fully cured. Freshly painted walls can continue to evolve volatile oils (VOC) for weeks which will reduce the adhesion bond strength significantly and cause the product to lift off wall after some time. Consult your paint supplier to determine adequate cure time for the type of paint used and room environment present. Depending on the brand of paint, 8 week cure times are not uncommon. To re-attach product to wall, use a "super glue" type of adhesive or finishing nails as described above.

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### Helpful Hint!

Remove protective plastic film after installation



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It is essential with all adhesives that the surface to be applied to must be clean, dry and free of any contaminating influences such as grease and dirt.

## Accessories



Base Molding MX™ Inside Corner  
shown in Brushed Aluminum  
available in other metals/colors



Base Molding MX™ Outside Corner  
shown in Brushed Aluminum  
available in other metals/colors