



## **Sustainable Materials CSI Spec. for Metalegance™**

### **PRIMECORK WALL PANELS**

#### **1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE**

##### **A. Qualifications:**

###### **1. Manufacturer Qualifications:**

- a. Use of cork sourced from the *Quercus Suber* tree as found only in Southwest Europe and North Africa
- b. Use of low-VOC, E1 Compliant, and CARB compliant adhesives in manufacturing of all products.
- c. Prior production of material for no less than 3 years.

#### **1.04 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING**

A. Deliver wall paneling to project site, or fabrication site, not less than 3 days prior to start of installation (to allow for suitable acclimation).

#### **1.05 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS**

A. Environmental Requirements: Installation spaces, unboxed Metalegance™ and adhesive must be maintained at normal occupancy temperature and humidity levels (HVAC working) for minimum of 48 hours prior to installation.

#### **1.06 WARRANTY**

##### **A. Special Warranty:**

1. Sustainable Materials Structural Warranty: 10 years against delamination or separation as a result of a manufacturing defect when finished and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions.

### **PART 2 – PRODUCTS**

#### **2.01 MANUFACTURER**

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B. Metalegance™ Colors (select one):

1. Metallic Black
2. Metallic Champagne
3. Metallic Gold
4. Metallic Bronze
5. Metallic Copper
6. Metallic Silver
7. Clear Cement
8. Platinum Cement
9. Oxide
10. Plain Bronze

C. Substitutions: None Permitted.

## 2.02 MATERIALS

A. Metalegance™:

1. Composition: Polyester fiber backing, granulated acoustic cork core, with a metallic sheet coated with a mixture of fibers, metallic granules and color pigments

2. Size: 900mm x 600mm x 4mm (approx. 35.4" x 23.6" x 1/6")

B. Installation Adhesive: water-based contact cement (recommend: Loba Wakol D3540), or fast-setting 'no sag' adhesive (recommend: Sika Flex 11FC).

C. Finish: Surface protectant and finish applied at factory (product does NOT need additional finishing)

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

A. Examine substrate(s) to which Metalegance™ panels will be applied:

1. Components must be clean, dry, and free of contaminants that would interfere with adhesive bond.
2. Drywall or other substrate surface must be 'primed' (or sealed) to ensure suitable bond with contact cement

B. Verify that HVAC system is operating and maintaining occupancy level temperature and humidity conditions for no less than 48 hours prior to the installation (with material unboxes and acclimating).

C. If either of the above needs attention, coordinate with responsible entity to correct unsatisfactory site conditions.

### 3.02 PREPARATION

A. Acclimatization: Open all Metalegance™ packages and allow to acclimate for a minimum of 48 hours prior to the start of the installation.

B. Fix substrate if needed (as per Examination needs and those relating to the adhesive bond per the instructions of the adhesive selected for use).

### 3.03 INSTALLATION

A. Find Center: using a chalk line, find the symmetrical axes of the wall sides to determine starting point. Measure from the middle to ensure that the edge pieces (those against the adjacent walls) are identical in size and greater than 2" in width.



- B. Follow the Manufacturer's installation instructions of the adhesive selected.
- C. Install in a "brick" bond pattern (staggered edges).
- D. Press tiles into place (per adhesive Manufacturer's instructions and dry time requirements)
- E. See 'Metalegance Installation Instructions' for further details.

### **3.04 CLEANING and MAINTENANCE**

A. Clean and maintain in accordance with "finish" Manufacturer's recommendations (see Sustainable Materials Care and Maintenance Sheet)

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