

Hanging Padua silk wallcovering

This product should be hung by a professional paper hanger with experience of hanging textile wallcoverings. If you would like us to recommend someone, contact us on 01892 750003.

Occasional imperfections in yarn and weave are a natural characteristic of textile wallcoverings. Variations in tone can also appear within the roll and from roll to roll

- Prepare the wall surface such that it is normally absorbent.
- Ensure that the walls are a similar colour to the wallcovering, particularly where it will make a joint.
- Starting with highest numbered roll, cut and mark individual drop lengths in sequence as taken from the roll. Padua should be pattern matched so allow for a 32cm vertical repeat.
- This material is patterned. However, as is traditional with silk wallcovering, the joints will remain visible and it will retain a panelled effect on the wall.
- Paste the wall with an undiluted ready-mixed PVA wallcovering adhesive (e.g. Albany Speciality Wallcovering Adhesive (red top)). Do not use Solvite Red Top it is not strong enough.
- Straight hang the drops as planned. Trim at skirting and ceiling. Butt join the seams taking care not to overwork them.
- Do not to get adhesive onto the face of the wallcovering as it cannot be wiped off.
- After hanging 3 drops inspect the wallcovering to ensure you are happy with the results. If you have any doubts, stop hanging and contact us for advice.

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