

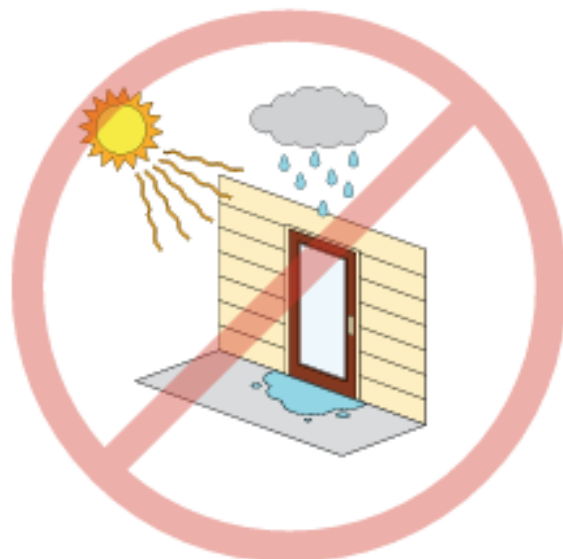
DOOR HANDLING & CARE

We recommend all product be installed by a licensed contractor.

OVERHANG

OVERHANG REQUIRED FOR WOOD, PRE-FINISHED FIBERGLASS, AND PATIO DOOR UNITS.

OVERHANG RECOMMENDED FOR ALL OTHER DOOR UNITS.



Sunlight on any part of the door, will deteriorate the door finish. A proper overhang is required to protect the door from sunlight, as well as rain or snow exposure. Lack of proper overhang will void the warranty and **require routine maintenance**.



A proper overhang protects the door from **sunlight** on any part of the door, as well as rain or snow exposure. Lack of proper overhang will void the warranty and require **routine maintenance**.

A. UPON RECEIVING YOUR DOOR UNIT

- Inspect your door unit immediately and report any damages or defects to the store in which you made your purchase. We are not responsible for damage once the door leaves the store.
- Do not install any door unit that is defective, damaged, or has broken glass. Installing such a door will void the warranty.
- Concealed damages will not be covered if not discovered and noted at time of delivery or pick-up.
- Compensation, if required, will be limited to door replacement only and no labor or other charge backs.

B. MAINTENANCE FOR PRE-FINISHED DOORS

- A pre-finished door unit is a fine piece of furniture and must be maintained as such. Exposure to the elements (sun, rain, snow, sleet and air pollutants) will cause a well finished door unit to be affected. The following requirements will help you understand the maintenance needed to protect your investment.
- Direct sunlight will cause the finish on any door unit to deteriorate faster.
- The entryway must provide adequate protection against the elements. **See box "OVERHANG"**.
- Inspect your door unit periodically. If the topcoat has been damaged or is showing signs of deterioration, an additional application of top coat will need to be applied.
- Depending on the environment, the door unit will need to be refinished periodically.

C. STORAGE & HANDLING OF WOOD DOORS

- Door slabs must be finished or primed and painted on all six sides immediately.
- Pre-hung door units must be completely finished or primed and painted immediately.
- Do not use a water base primer.
- If painting: Use good quality oil base or acrylic latex paints. Higher gloss paints will offer better protection than "flat/low gloss" paints.
- If staining: Follow the stain manufacturer's instructions. The door should be fully sanded and prepared before proceeding with staining. Depending on the stain, a pre-stain wood conditioner or sanding sealer may be required for a more uniform appearance.
- For wood fillers before staining, we recommend FamoWood® "Latex Wood Filler".
- We cannot evaluate all possible paint, stain and finish applications. Contact a local paint dealer for systems best suited for your geographic region.
- We are not responsible for finishing imperfections.
- Unfinished product must be finished immediately prior to storage
- Store in a well ventilated area.
- Deliver door unit to the job site only after plaster, texture and/or cement is dry.
- Door units stored in excess of 60-days prior to installation will void the warranty.