

# PORTA CONTOURS INSTALLATION QUICK GUIDE

## SUITABILITY

- Porta Contours is suitable for flat and curved, vertical and horizontal applications.
- Lining boards are suitable for curved applications down to a 1000mm radius.
- For tighter curves, corner beads are available for applications down to a 500mm radius.
- Corner beads are available for Riverine, Wave, Ripple, Strata, Cirque, Traverse, & Vast profiles.
- Contours is not recommended for areas where it would receive frequent wetting or immersion, such as shower cubicles, bath surrounds, basins, splashbacks or unprotected direct exterior exposure.

## ACCLIMATISATION

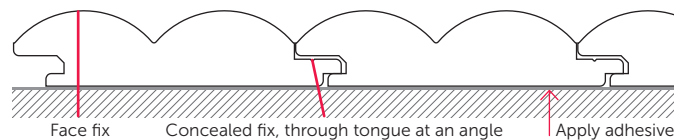
- Timber will expand and contract due in local conditions due to changes in temperature, ambient moisture and humidity.
- Acclimatise timber to your conditions by storing it in a similar environment to where it will be installed in for a period of at least 48 hours and up to, and over, two weeks if exposed to a dramatic change in environment.
- In larger installations and climates with changeable conditions or where there is exposure to direct sunlight expansion may continue, and should be allowed for with expansion joints every 3 metres.
- Ensure adequate ventilation behind panels and/or complete coverage with a vapour barrier Bradford Thermo seal or Enviroseal.

## COATINGS

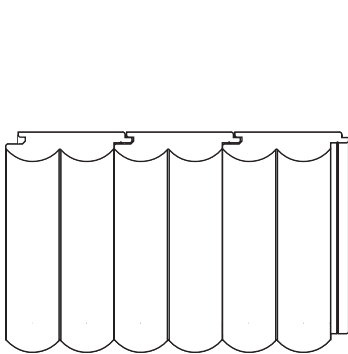
- Porta Contours range is available in Tasmanian Oak and Clear Pine which is ideal for painting and staining.
- Select profiles are available in Pre-primed pine ideal for painting.
- It is recommended that boards are pre-finished to prevent build up and adhesion of the paint or stain at the joint and overlaps.
- Care should be taken when refinishing and maintaining coatings not to flood joints, remove excess from the joint area to prevent adhesion.

## INSTALLATION

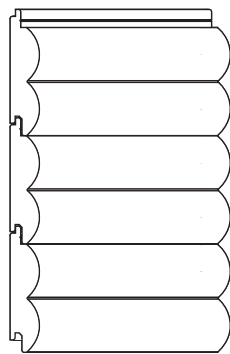
- Porta Contours can be affixed to battens spaced at no more than 450mm spacing or flush fixed with construction adhesive.
- Brad nails (40mm x 16g) should be used in all cases with 450mm spacing along the length of the board.
- Face fixing should be used for the initial board and then secret fixing can be used through the tongue of subsequent boards.



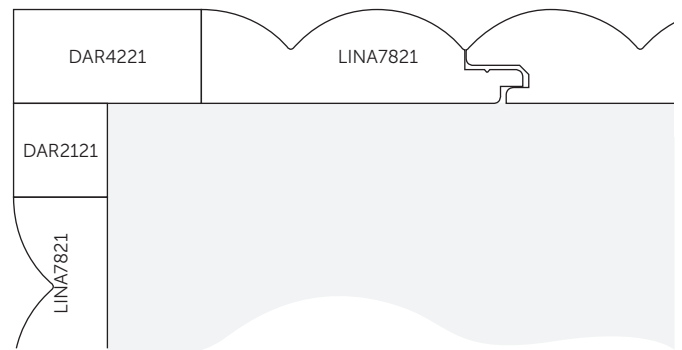
- External and internal corners can be finished using Porta DAR4221 and DAR2121 as corner blocks or trimmed to a mitred finish.



Vertical Installation



Horizontal Installation



Corner Installation



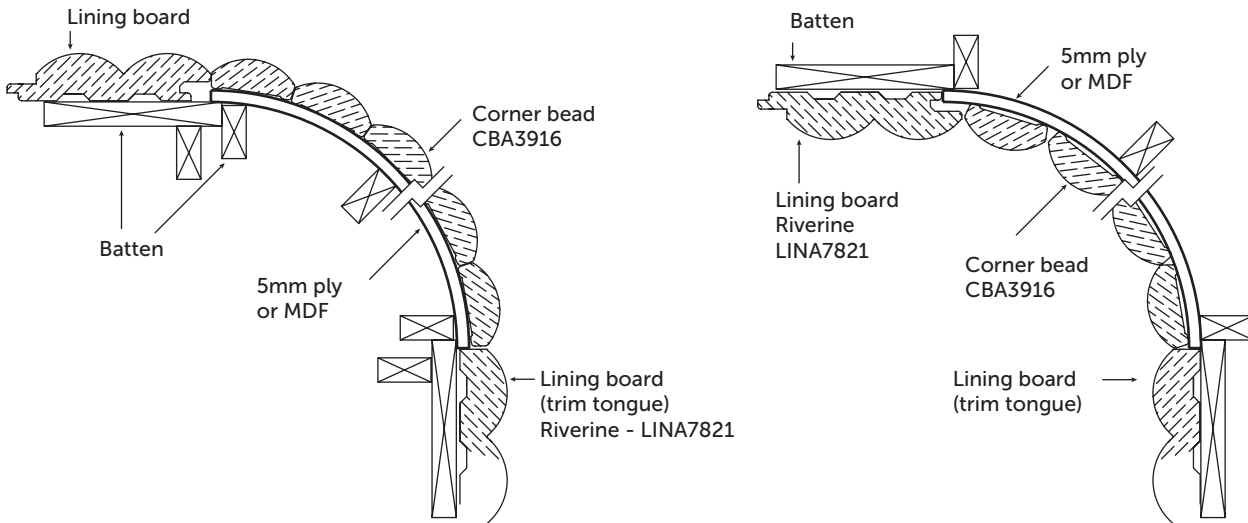
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# PORTA CONTOURS CURVED APPLICATIONS

Porta Contours are suitable for curved wall down to a 1,000mm radius. For tighter curves down to a 500mm radius use matching corner beads (available for Riverine, Wave, Ripple, Cirque, Traverse, Vast and Strata).

## SPECIFICATIONS

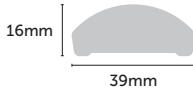
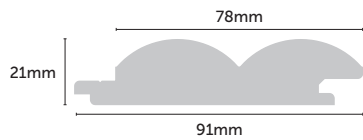
- Lining boards can be used for curved walls down to a minimum radius of 1,000mm.
- Corner beads can be used for curved walls down to a minimum radius of 500mm.
- Corner beads are currently available to match lining board profiles: Riverine, Wave, Ripple, Cirque, Traverse, Vast and Strata.
- Fix lining boards on to the straight walls, trim edge as required to provide a matching surface.
- Apply corner beads to 5mm ply or MDF fixed around a curved wall of battens.
- Corner beads can be attached with builders adhesive to the curved wall. Glue and hold in position until the adhesive cures and/or nail in position with a brad (38 x 16 gauge / 1.6mm) at each end.



### RIVERINE

LINING BOARD LINA7821

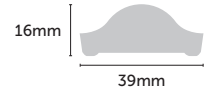
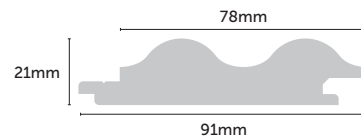
CORNER BEAD CBA3916



### WAVE

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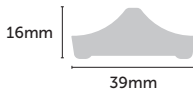
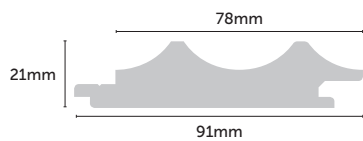
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### CIRQUE

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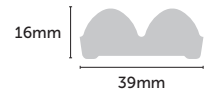
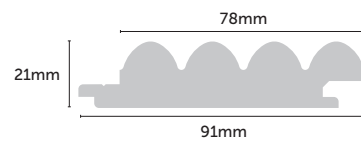
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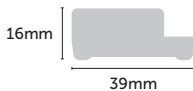
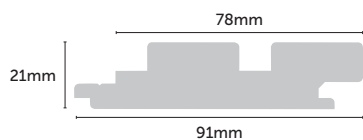
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### STRATA

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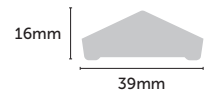
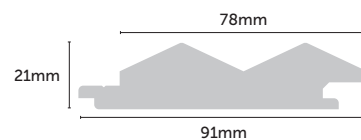
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### VAST

LINING BOARD LINO7821

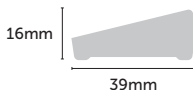
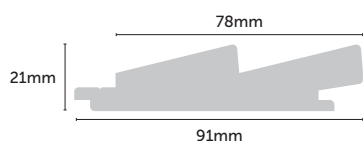
CORNER BEAD CBO3916



### TRAVERSE

LINING BOARD LINI7821

CORNER BEAD CB13916



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