



## INSTALLATION SILICONE vs. INSTANT ADHESIVE

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There are thousands of different installation applications varying with surface materials (wood, metal, masonry, sheetrock, ceramic tile etc), textures (rough, smooth), temperature ranges, climatic conditions, moisture levels, etc..

In principle, each of these conditions requires a slightly different adhesive solution for maximum effectiveness.

We can only recommend adhesives that will work in “most”, but not necessarily, all cases.

Warranty will be voided if other non-approved adhesives are used.

### A. Silicone

- use *GE Silicone, I or II or 2X* (Do not use DAP, Liquid Nails etc)
- best if you eventually want/need to remove our safety padding
- best for rough surfaces or where there are some thin “gaps” between our product and the surface
- 12-24 hour cure time
- available from most home builder/hardware/DIY suppliers
- you can download detailed instructions from our website [www.boingsafety.com](http://www.boingsafety.com)
- one tube can cover about 6 Basic Corner Strips



### B. Instant Adhesive

- for small quantity use *Loctite Super Glue - Extra Time Control* (4gm) or similar off-the-shelf product
- for larger quantity: Use **BoingSafety 4000** (28.4gm or 57gm) We stock.
- best when you want a really strong, permanent bond
- best for smooth/flat surfaces for maximum bond
- the bond is so strong that foam or rubber padding can actually rip when you try and remove
- 20 second wait time
- one 1oz bottle can cover about 5 Basic Corner Strips



#### 1. Preparation

- ensure that non-porous surfaces are clean and dry (painted or unpainted)
- use isopropyl (rubbing) alcohol wipes for best cleaning results
- seal/waterproof moist/damp areas (use *Thompson Water Seal*) or moisture will loosen adhesive from behind

2. Cut to size with a very sharp, thin blade knife.

3. Apply **Silicone** or **Instant Adhesive** as per manufacturer’s instructions

**SILICONE REMOVAL - use DAP “Silicone-Be-Gone”** (see DAP website for store locations)

### DAILY/WEEKLY CLEANING & MAINTENANCE:

Use any general household cleaner + soft cloth

**Do not** use harsh abrasive scrubbing agents

**Do not** use strong chemicals like Citrus spray or Bleach

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