

TEK PANEL KITS INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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This guide is designed to outline basic procedures to install GarageTek TekPanel. It is not meant to provide instruction for every installation situation you may encounter.

TEK PANEL OVERVIEW

- TekPanel is GarageTek's Patented Slatwall
- TekPanel is extruded from Foamed PVC Resin
- Reflective, Bright White Surface for an Instantly Clean Garage
- TekPanel is Molded with the White Color Throughout and is Resistant to Dents, Dings, and Cuts
- Fire-Rated Class A for Safety
- Water-proof & Bug-proof for Low Maintenance
- Panels Interlock via a Tongue-and-Groove System Similar to Hardwood Floors
- #6 X 1 5/8" Screw Head are White Epoxy Coated to Match Panel & are Rust Resistant



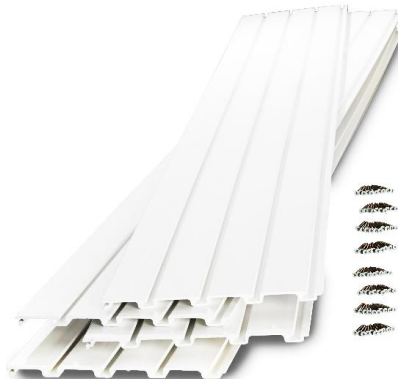
Dimensions: 96" L x 12" H x .25"
Load Capacity: 50 lbs. per 1 ft.

KIT COMPONENTS

Check the parts received are as follows:



GT10001A: 6 pieces of TekPanel and 120 screws
48 square feet



GT10001B: 4 pieces of TekPanel and 80 screws
32 square feet



GT10001C: 2 pieces of TekPanel and 40 screws
16 square feet

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INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

Please read the complete set of instructions before starting the project. Installing TekPanel is not a difficult process, however there are “rules of thumb” which, if followed, will provide you a finished installation that is both beautiful and functional for all your garage organization needs.

TOOLS REQUIRED

- Electric Driver or Drill with Phillips Driver Bit
- Stud Finder
- Level
- Pencil
- Tape Measure
- Safety Glasses

If you intend on cutting the TekPanel to lengths other than that supplied, you will also need one of the following:

- 10” Cross Miter Saw
- Table Saw
- Circular Saw with Fine Tooth Blade

If you intend on cutting around electrical or water outlets, a dremel, roto zip cutter or a jig saw can be used.

PRE-INSTALLATION

Prior to beginning the installation of TekPanels:

- Remove nails and screws from the walls and/or standing studs
- Clean spider webs, dirt and debris with a brush and/or sponges.

INSTALLATION STEPS

1. Mark the Studs

On the wall area(s) where the TekPanel is going to be mounted, locate and mark the stud centerlines. An electronic stud finder is the easiest to use.

2. Plan the Placement of the TekPanel

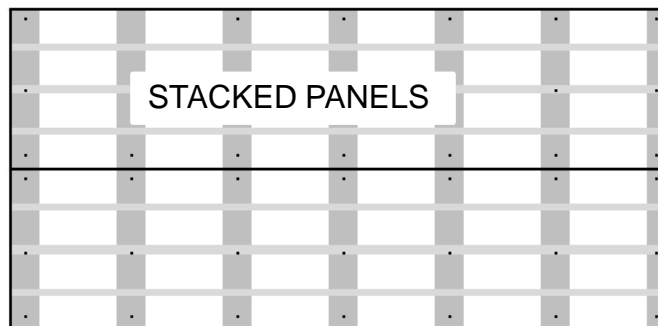
Panel can be installed contiguously for a long strip or stacked for a large square. Mark the area of the wall to be covered in panel with both the dimensions and the stud locations.

3. Level the Bottom Panel

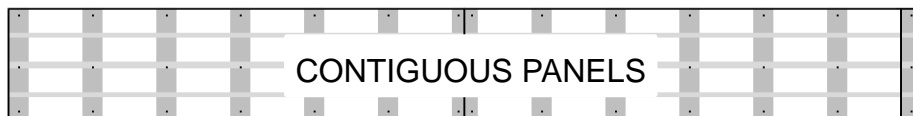
Starting with the bottom panel of TekPanel, level the first panel.



Step 2



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Step 3



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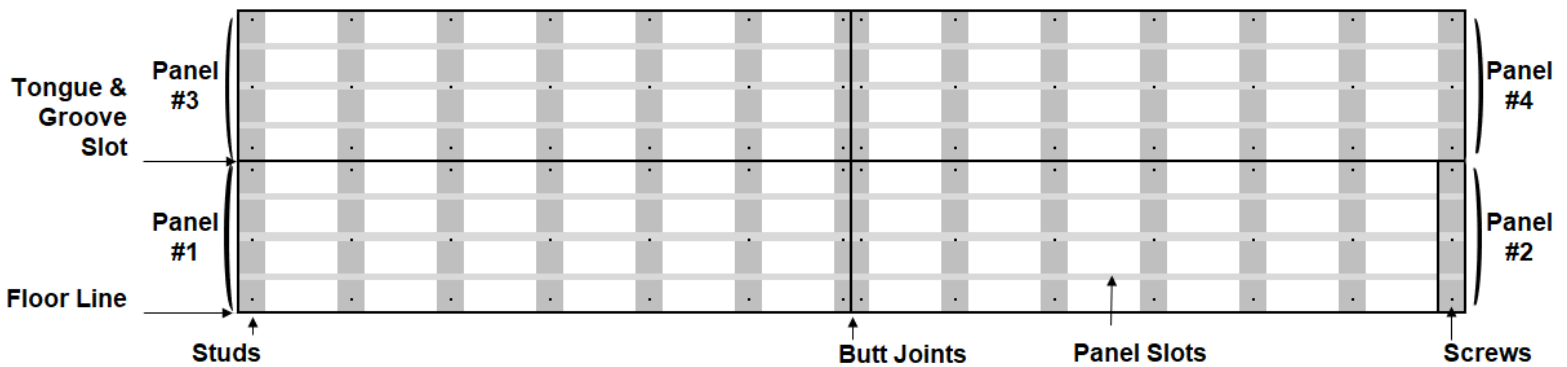
4. Screw Panel into Studs

Drive the supplied screws in the slots through the panel into the studs. Use the pattern shown.

- The screw heads are to be flush with the bottom of the slot
- Always screw into the tongue and groove slot
- Screw both panels at the ends on the butt joints
- Screw into every stud horizontally



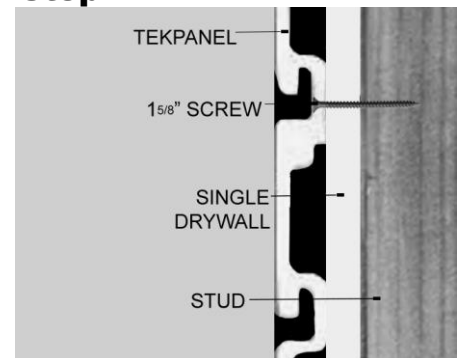
Screw head flush



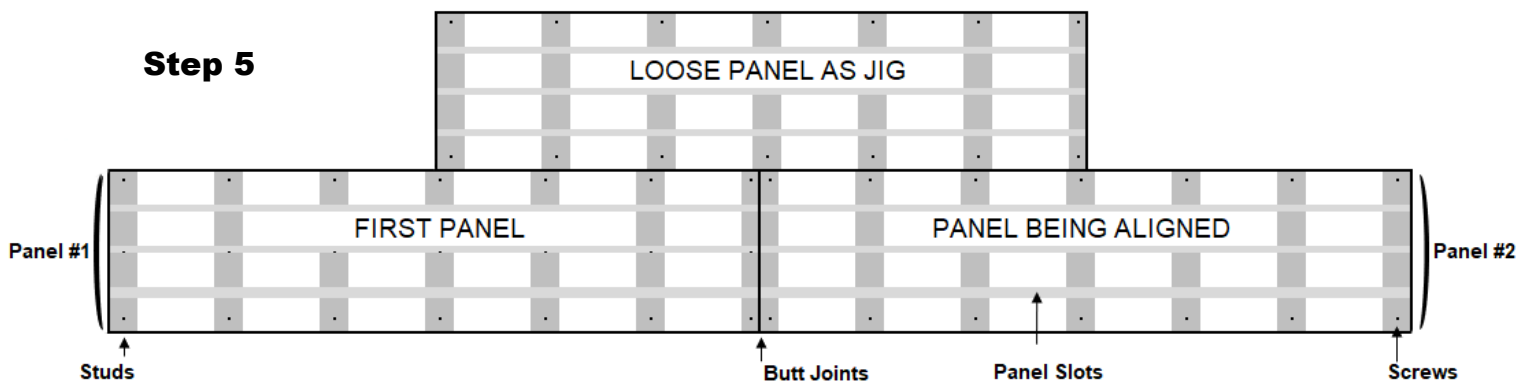
5. Align Additional Panels Horizontally

To install the remaining panels, use a loose panel as a jig as shown. Please the panel being aligned next to the previously installed panel, bring it level with the “jig panel” and screw it into place. Continue along horizontally, before adding panels on top on one another. This ensures the bottom panels are in-line and the butt joints are even and tight.

Step 4



Step 5



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6. Add Panels on Top of One Another

With the bottom row installed, continue installing panel above this row. Ensure the tongue is fully seated in the groove of the bottom panel.



**Tongue and Groove
Interlocking Panels**

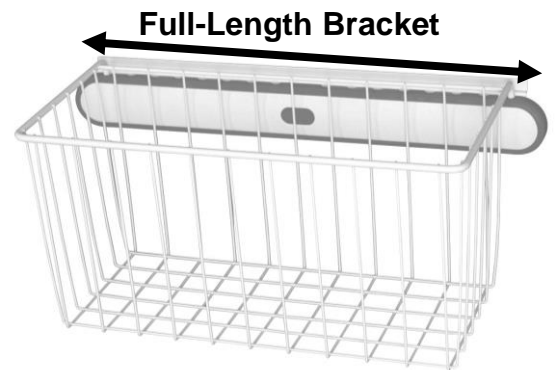
ACCESSORY INSTALLATION

A GarageTek system will get everything off the floor which makes the room safer and easy to keep clean. The TekPanel is the backbone of the system with every inch of the walls available for moveable storage. All GarageTek accessories include:

- A full-bracket the length of the product that locks into the TekPanel and distributes the weight
- White, powder-coated steel construction for unmatched strength and beauty

To move the accessory, lift at a 45 degree angle and slide to a new position on the wall or take completely off the panel and move to a new wall.

Below are just a few of the top-selling GarageTek accessories. You can find an assortment of accessories on **Amazon** and the full product line at www.GarageTek.com.

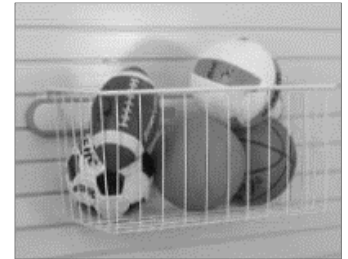


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It is simple. If you are not completely satisfied with your purchase, we will offer you a full refund or replacement.



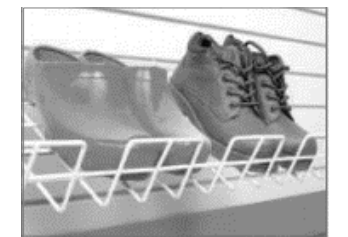
Hang All Bracket



Extra Large Basket



Heavy Duty Shelf



Shoe Shelf

**Thank You
for selecting GarageTek!**



48" Shelf