

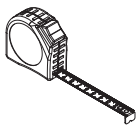
STRATAWOOD Ceiling Installation

Acoustical Ceiling Panels

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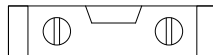
Tools You Will Need



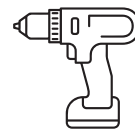
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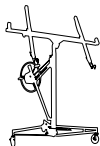
Pencil



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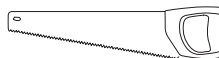
Drill



Drywall Hoist Lift
optional



Circular Saw



Hand Saw



Utility Knife
w/ sharp blade

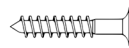
Material You Will Need



1.25"
Black Drywall Screws



Furring Strips
(7/8" or 2" thickness recommended)



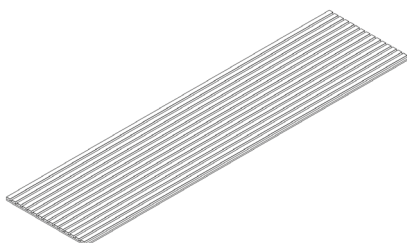
7/16"
Drywall Screws



Masking Tape

Items Included

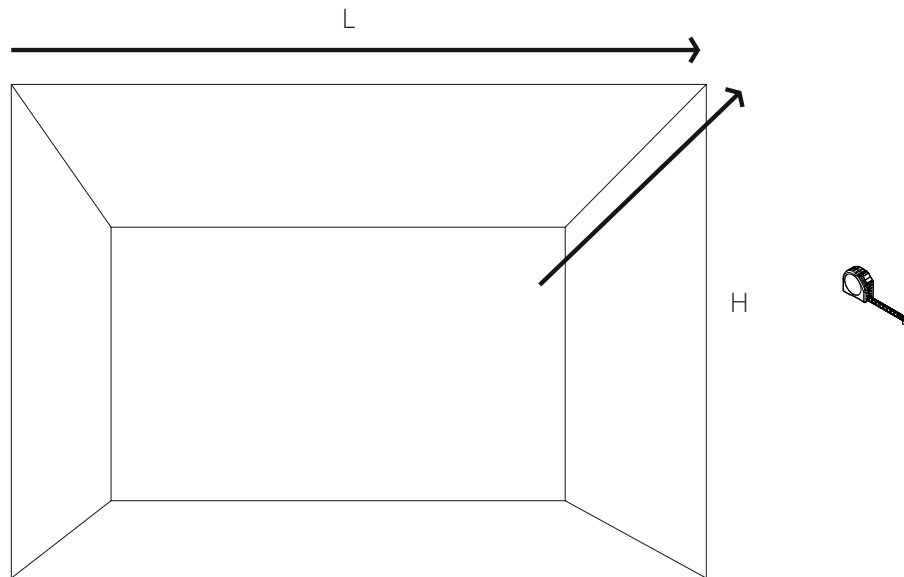
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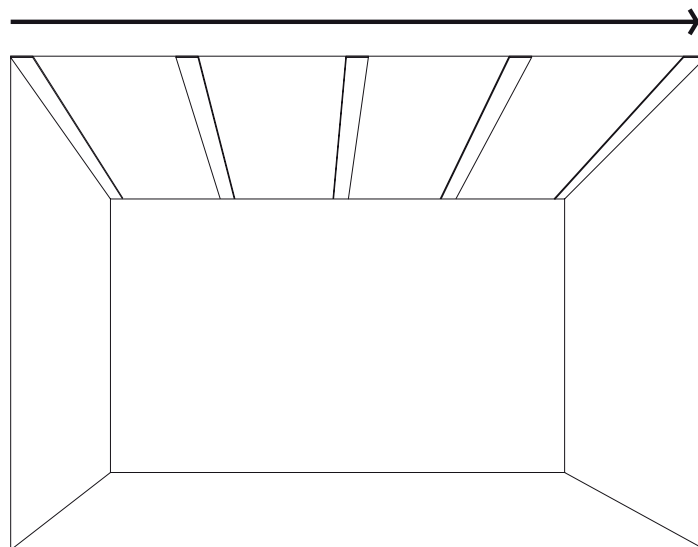
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1. Start by preparing the ceiling. Clean the ceiling and remove any screws, nails and other obstacles. Measure the dimensions of the ceiling.



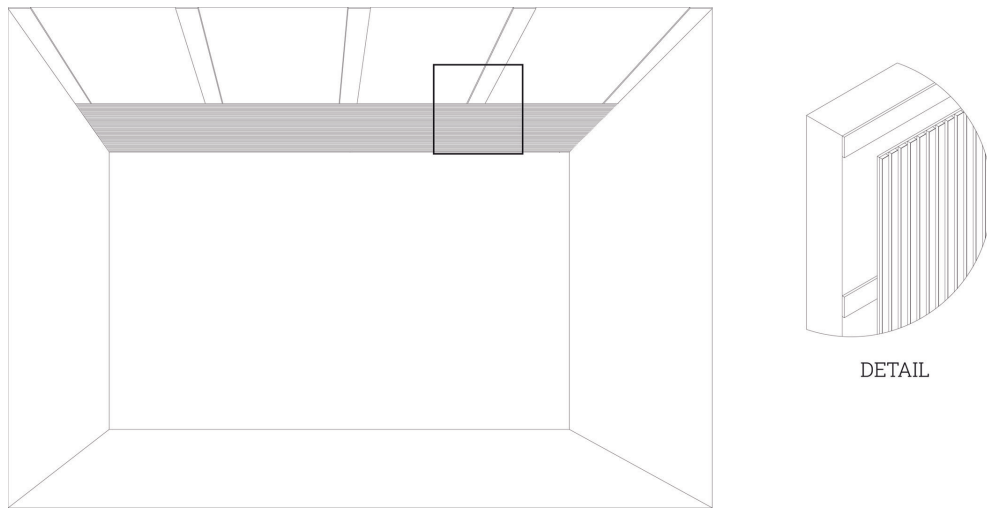
2. Create a framework by evenly spacing furring strips on ceiling every 24". The framework should point the opposite way of the STRATAWOOD direction. **NOTE: The thicker the furring strips, the larger the air cavity, therefore increased sound absorption.**



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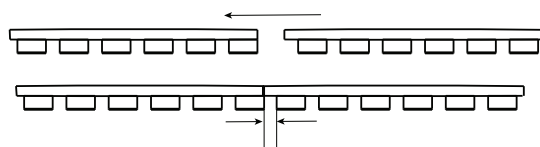
- Position and secure STRATAWOOD to the furring strips on the ceiling with screws, placing them approximately every 16" to 24". **TIP: If desired, use a drywall hoist to aid in completing this step.**



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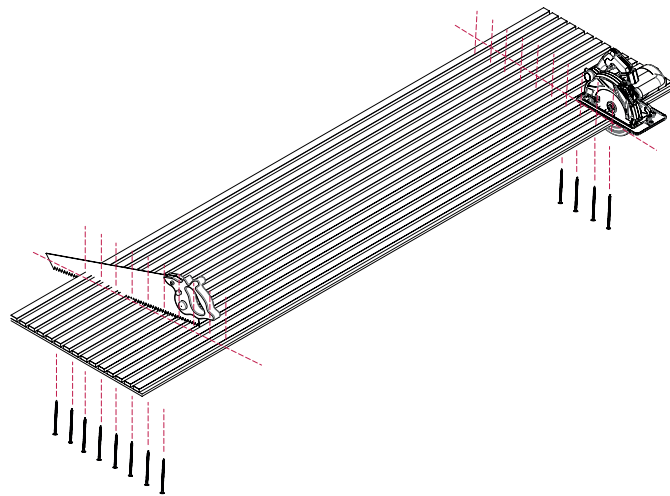
Use the premade shiplap joint to maintain even spacing and to avoid visible seams.



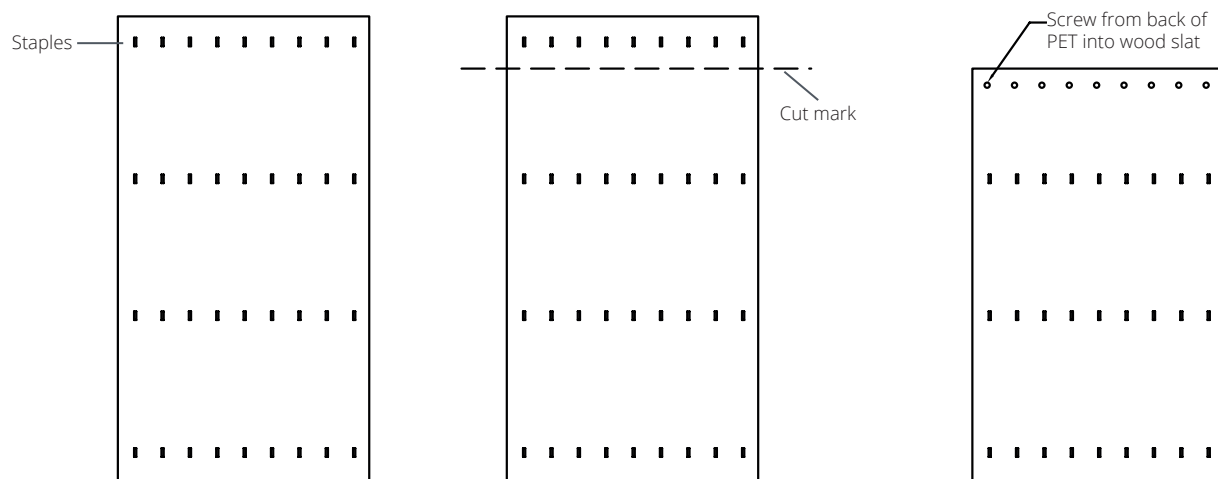
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4. Cut excess material to fit the ceiling or accommodate obstacles, if necessary. When cutting through PET, use box knife. When cutting through wood veneer, use handsaw or jigsaw. Use masking tape to prevent splintering or splitting.



After cuts are made, reattach the wooden slats to PET backing with .5" screws, working from the backside of the panel.

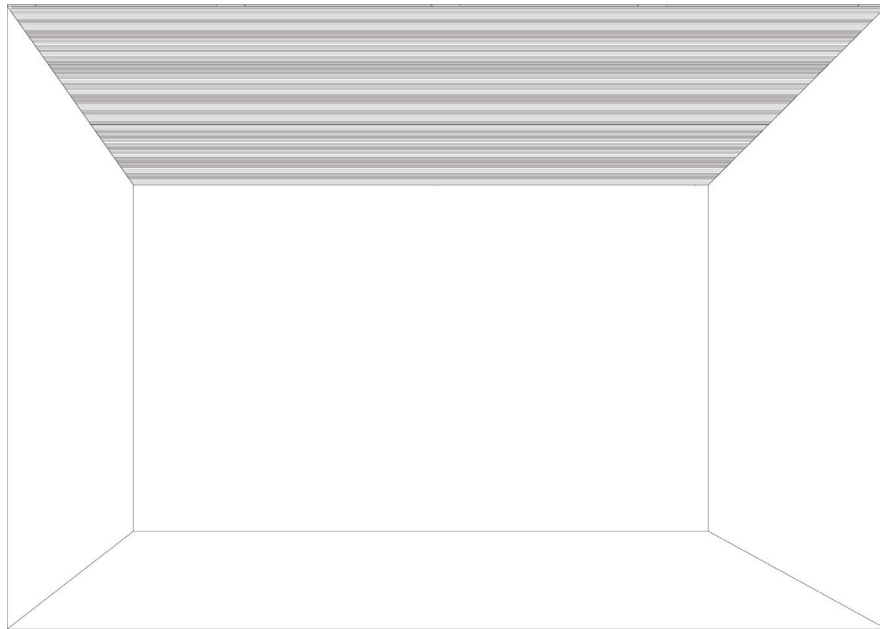


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5. Repeat the process to install the rest of STRATAWOOD to the ceiling. STRATAWOOD will look best when installed with no gaps between ends or rows.

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STRATAWOOD T-Grid Ceiling Installation Direct Install with Screws

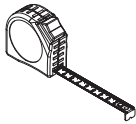
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NOTE: Check the T-Grid's weight capacity prior to install to confirm product selection.
STRATAWOOD Panel: 35 lbs

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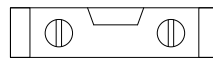
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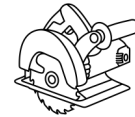
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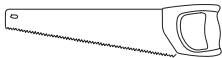
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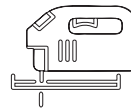
Circular Saw



Hand Saw

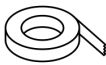


Utility Knife
w/ sharp blade

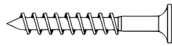


Jigsaw
(hole cutter)

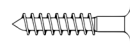
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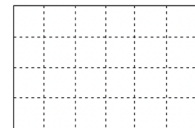
Masking Tape



3/4" Thread Forming
Sheet Metal Screw



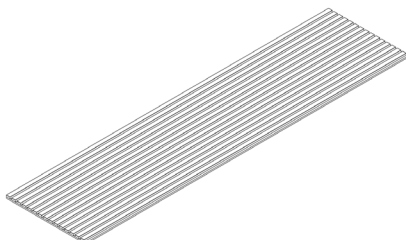
1/2"
Black Screws



T-Grid Installed

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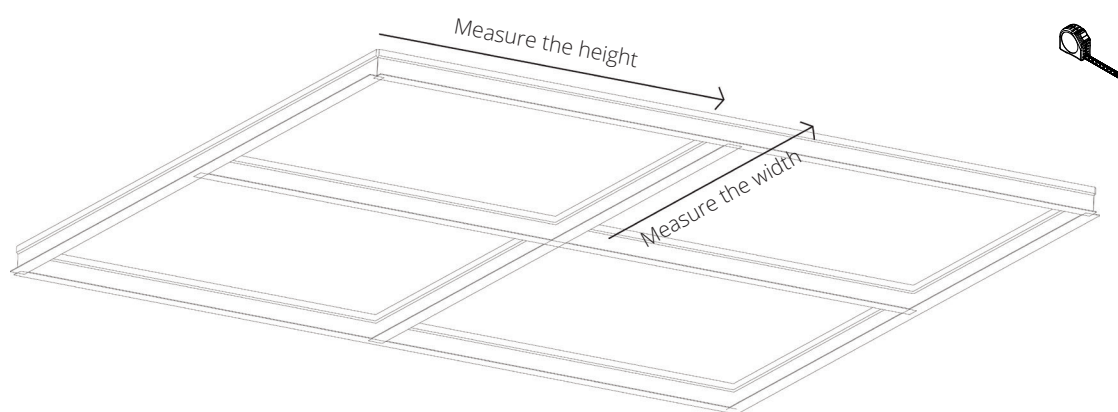
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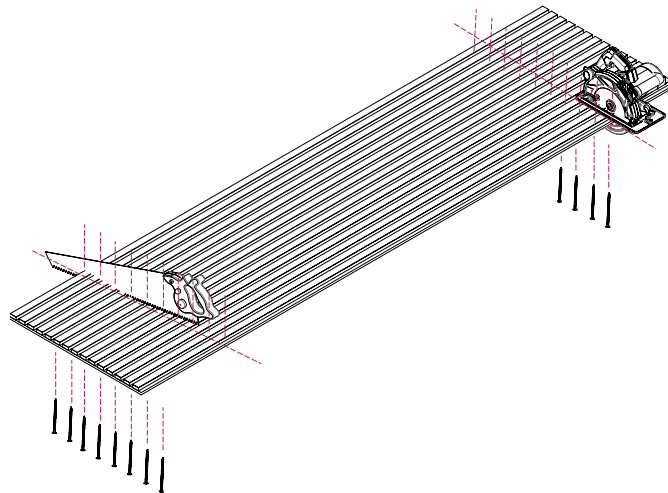


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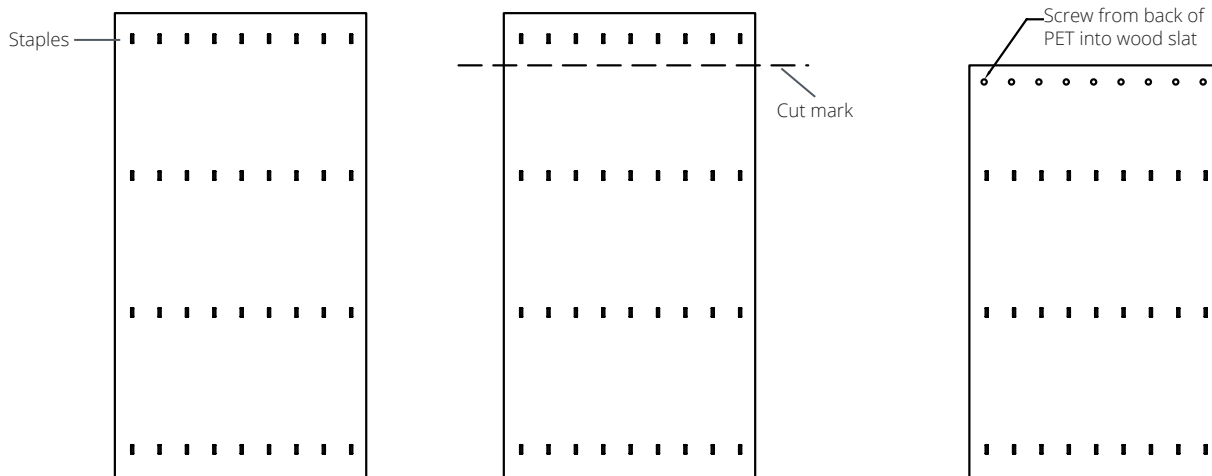
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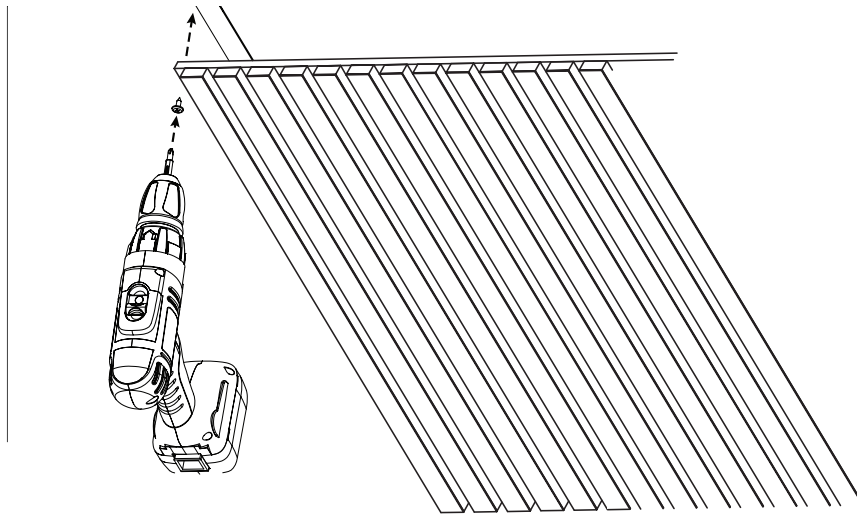
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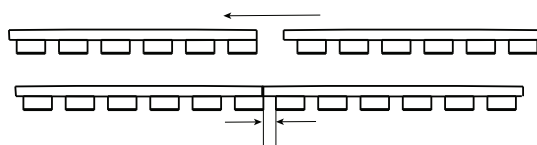
3. Position and secure STRATAWOOD on the ceiling T-Grid with screws, placing them approximately every 24 inches. Use $\frac{3}{4}$ " black head sheet metal screws. It is recommended a drywall brace or lift is used for this process.



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