



# HOW TO:

## Install Click-Lock LVP Flooring



### Tools & Materials

- Measuring tape
- Utility knife
- Pry bar
- Rubber Mallet
- Blocker
- Underlayment (if required)
- Spacers
- LVP Flooring
- Transitions (if required)

### Preparation

- Remove all furniture and belongings from the room.
- Ensure the subfloor is clean, dry, and level.
- Lay underlayment according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- Determine the layout of the flooring.
- Calculate the number of planks needed.

### Pro Tips

- Purchase an extra 10% SQ.FT of flooring for cuts and mistakes.
- Allow the LVP to acclimate to the room temperature for 48 hours before installation.
- Measure the width of the room and then divide by the width of the flooring plank. Determine how many full planks will fit. Take the remaining width and divide by 2. This should be the width of your first and last row. Keep in mind, no row should be less than 2in in width.

### Step By Step Installation

**1)** If you are installing in multiple rooms connected by a hallway, start in the hallway. This will provide a cohesive, professional final result. Start on the longest wall in the room.

**2)** Place the first plank tongue-side facing the wall. Leave a 1/4" expansion gap around the perimeter using spacer wedges.

**3)** Angle the second plank's tongue into the first plank's groove. Tap gently with a rubber mallet and tapping block until they lock together.

**4)** Repeat step 2 for each subsequent plank, ensuring they click securely into place. Consider a staggered pattern for a natural look.

**5)** Use a utility knife to cut planks to fit around corners, doorways, or other obstacles.

**6)** (optional) Use transition pieces to connect LVP flooring to different flooring types in the room or at doorways.

**7)** (optional) Add quarter-round molding around the perimeter of the room. This enhances the finished look and covers the expansion gap



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