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OAK STAIRKLAD OILED FINISH

Kladding forms the backbone and is an important part of any new staircase. You should always make sure that you get the best quality and style you can. Our cladding is crafted from the finest kiln dried timbers and with our enviable combination of traditional craftsmanship and state of the art machinery. This ensures that our Klad is always of the absolute highest standard.



OILED - All our Pre-oiled Stair Klad Treads are treated with a natural mineral oil. Following installation it is important they are finished with a flooring maintenance oil and continually maintained as required.

UNFINISHED - All our Unfinished Stair Klad Treads are untreated and can be finished with a suitable lacquer, varnish, stain or oil.

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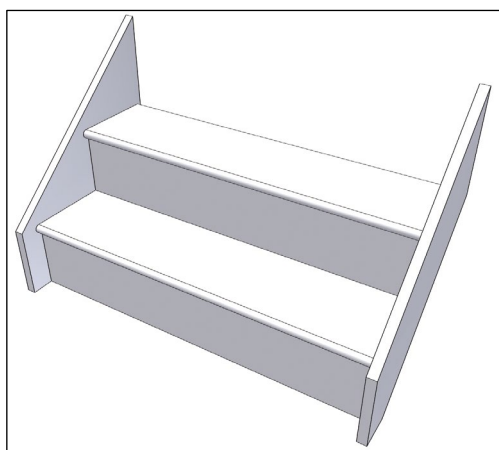


Fig. 1 - Before you start, ensure that all tread surfaces are clean, dry and free from uneven surface defects. These can be sanded away if necessary.

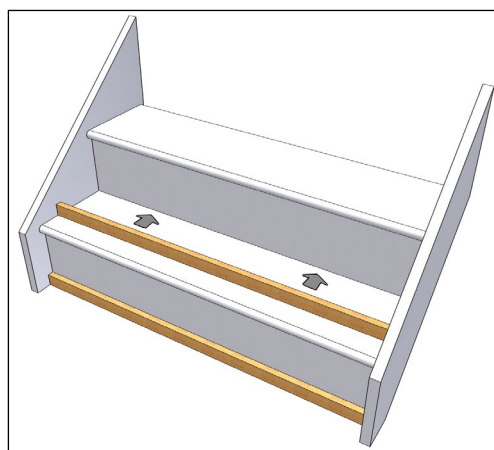


Fig. 2 - Measure the existing bullnose protrusion, from the face of the riser to the outer most point of the bullnose. Using this measurement cut some packing strips down to size, and screw these into place onto all of the existing risers.

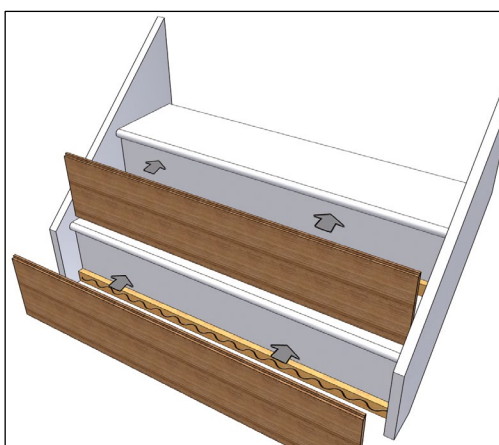


Fig. 3 - Cut two Klad risers down to size, then glue them into place onto the packing strip. This is temporary holding fix as the risers will be held in place by the treads.

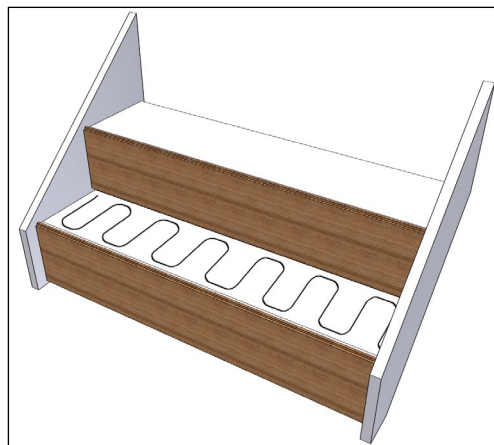


Fig. 4 - Now apply plenty of the Polymer Adhesive to the existing tread, making sure you apply an even bead of adhesive to the tread.



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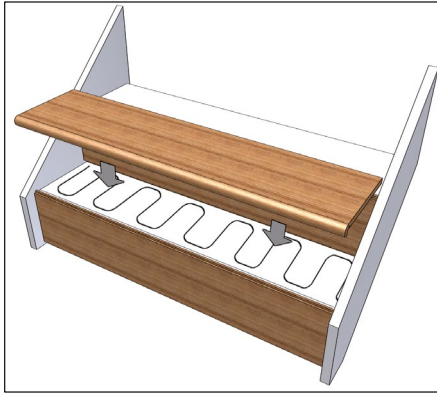


Fig. 5
Take a KLAD tread and cut down to the appropriate size, then lay into position and firmly press down ensuring the lip and recess fit together snugly.



Fig. 6
The first tread assembly should look like this, and now continue up the stairs fitting a riser first followed by the tread.

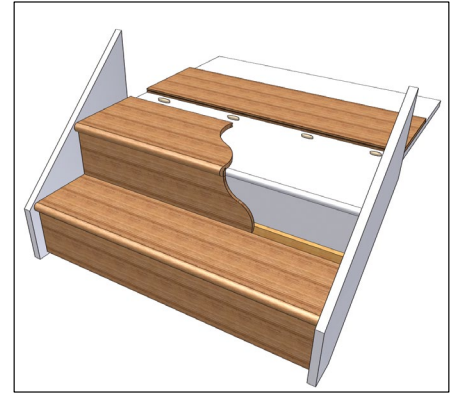


Fig. 7
If you have an intermediate landing or larger than average treads (e.g. kite winders), you can use the KLAD Tread Extension with jointing biscuits to extend a KLAD Tread. Position the jointing biscuits no more than 15-20cm apart.

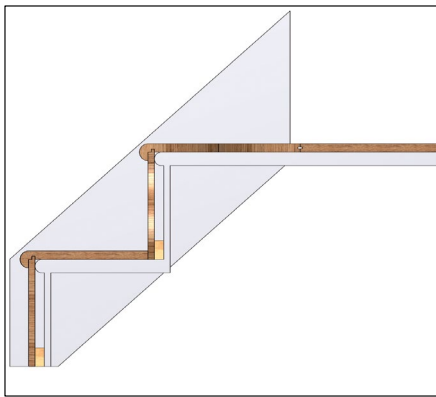


Fig. 8
General side view of KLAD system assembly

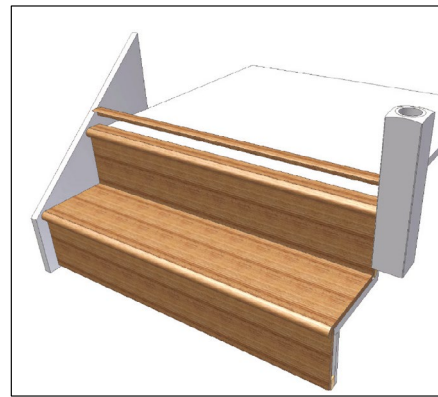


Fig. 9
Once you reach the top of the stairs, first establish the type of flooring you wish to join the cladding to, and then purchase an appropriate threshold (available in store) which will then bridge the join between the two types of flooring. You will have to cut to top tread back so that it is level with the newel post.



Right hand tread

Bullnose right & left

A bullnose step is curved on one side. The diagram illustrates a left hand bullnose (ie curved to the left when looking up the stairs). Fitting a Cheshire Mouldings bullnose tread kit is easy. Firstly, trim the shaped riser according to the depth, width and height of your step. Secondly, offer up the riser and establish where the tread will rest. Trim the tread's width and rear section depth accordingly. The rear tread may need trimming to fit around the newel post. Complete the preparation by trimming the straight riser's length and the step is now ready for installation.



Left hand tread



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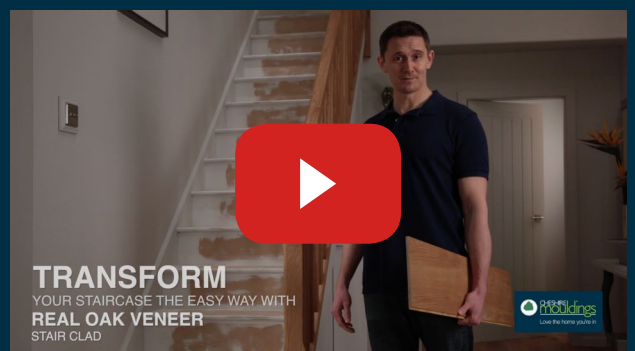
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