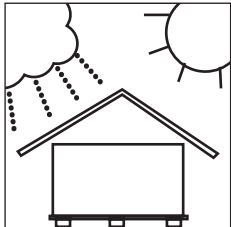
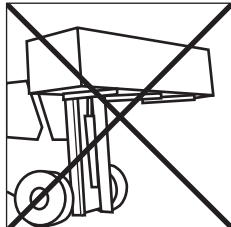


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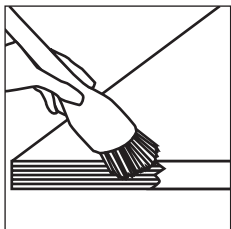
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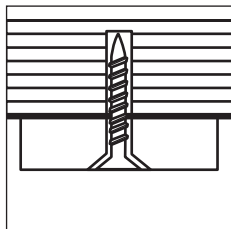
Protect the panels



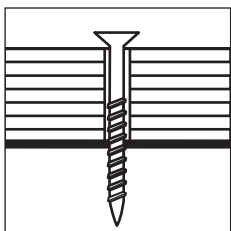
Do not move the pallet after removing the strapping



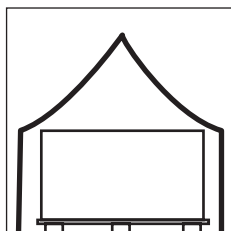
Protect the edges and holes



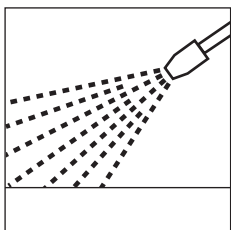
Back face fastening (recommended)



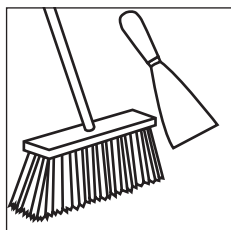
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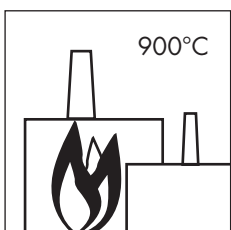
Protect the panels after use from direct sunlight



Oil the panels



Use appropriate tools to clean the panels



Panels can be utilized as a bio energy production



All WISA plywood packaging material is recyclable

Careful site handling and cleaning between castings prolongs the service life of the plywood and gives better results to the surface quality of the concrete.

Before use

- Protect the panels from contact with water and direct sunlight by storing in a building or by covering with a suitable waterproof cover.
- Store panels flat on level ground, well clear of mud or standing water, and away from any risk of contact with vehicles or machinery.
- Avoid storing in very hot and dry places which may lead to panel distortion.
- If the panels are to be stored on site for more than a few days, the outer packing and strapping should be removed.
- CAUTION: Once the strapping has been removed the boards should not be moved further on site using mechanical handling equipment, as overlaid panels are extremely slippery.

Form preparation

- Coated WISA-Form plywoods are delivered with all 4 edges protected with edge paint to help reduce moisture penetration. If panels are cut or drilled all cut edges and holes must be painted immediately with a suitable acrylic based paint.
- To give the best results we recommend that the plywood should be fastened from the formwork support members into the back of the panel.
- Formwork panels should be oiled before each and every use regardless of the storage conditions or interval between pours.
- The selection of the most suitable type of release agent for the type of overlay (e.g. phenol film or MDO) will ensure cleaner striking of the forms and more reuses. The quality of the release agent may also affect the quality or appearance of the concrete finish. Please follow the instructions of the release agent supplier regarding application rate.

After Use

- Clean the plywood panel carefully, dry and re-oil immediately. Any forms not cleaned immediately after use are likely to be damaged when attempts are made to remove fully cured concrete from the forming face (panel surface).
- Take care not to damage the panel surface when cleaning the form of residues of concrete. We recommend plastic or nylon tools when cleaning, metal brushes and high-pressure washers should not be used.
- Store the forms with the face away from the sun as exposure can lead to rapid loss of moisture from the face veneer and damage to the overlay.
- Repair small scratches with a suitable mastic.
- Fill deeper scratches, nail or screw holes with mastic or epoxy filler. Wooden insert systems are available for larger repairs.
- At the end of their useful life WISA-Form panels can be chipped and utilized as a bio energy production for a power plant.