

How to replace a strip of Lap siding on a wall

Maibec CanExel™ Engineered Siding

THIS PROCEDURE IS BEST IF INSTALLED BY 2 PEOPLE

1. Using pliers, gently lift the joint molding(s), or remove sealant from strip to be removed;
2. Using a portable circular saw, cut the damaged board in the center, lengthwise, and remove the lower half of the strip. Make sure saw (blade) does not go deeper than 1/2";



3. Gently lift the upper half of the strip;
4. Cut nails with a reciprocating saw with a metal saw blade, pull upper half of siding downwards. Remove both halves of cut strip;
5. If required, properly repair air barrier with house wrap tape;
6. Cut a piece of siding the length needed to replace the piece removed;
7. Remove the spline on replacing board (if Ced'R-Vue™) or cut off v-groove from D5 or UltraPlank™ back bottom;



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8. Slide new siding under the existing siding. Face nail top and bottom of replacement board using the appropriate color of Maibec CanExel™ nails;
9. Bring back down the joint molding(s) or use joint sealant;
10. In the event of minor damage, apply touch-up paint as the same as the Maibec CanExel™ hardboard siding. Before applying touch-up paint, consult the Maibec CanExel™ painting guide at canexel.ca.

