

Site Storage and Handling of Materials

To ensure the aesthetic and structural integrity of the door and frame assemblies, care must be taken at all times through the delivery and installation phase of each project. It is the responsibility of the distributor and contractor to verify that these materials are properly stored and protected.

General Instructions

- Refer to NAAMM Standard 840: **Guide Specifications for Installation and Storage of Hollow Metal Doors and Frames.**
- Doors must remain in a climate controlled environment at all times.
- In no instance should doors be stored in an exterior location.
- Materials should be covered to protect them from damage but in a manner as to permit air circulation.

Doors laminated in Surfacequest material

- Surfacequest laminated doors are not recommended for or warranted for exterior use.
- Extra care should be taken in handling edges and door face cutouts.
- Do not deliver or install Surfacequest laminated doors until the building's temperature and humidity have been stabilized.
- The doors should be stored in the original shipping container whenever possible. If doors are stored flat, then non-marring spacers should be placed between each door. No more than 10 doors per stack.
- Surfacequest laminated doors should be installed once substantial completion of the project has been achieved to avoid damage.
- Syntégra will not warranty nor assume responsibility for doors that have not been handled as prescribed.