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- **IMPORTANT:** Precision is the key when installing Herringbone hardwood flooring. Verify measurements and frequently check row alignment to ensure the pattern is laid accurately and evenly. Installing Herringbone flooring requires a high degree of technical ability and should be only performed by qualified professional installers.
- Herringbone flooring must be installed using glue down method only.
- Herringbone should be installed using a line of one run of left tongue plank and one line of right tongue plank with either side of a determined line from the center of the room/area using a laser along the desired center point of the installation.
- Herringbone floors require that a section of left tongue and right tongue is dry-laid prior to installation in order to establish the alignment for the left and right. A working line is then drawn either side of the center in order to keep the alignment of the herringbone pattern.
- Flatness of the subfloor is critical when dealing with a herringbone installation.
- Adhesive will allow pieces to slip when sideways pressure is applied for some time after open time has elapsed. Use a releasable blue tape to prevent slippage. For the same reason, no heavy furniture or activity should be allowed on the finished floor for a minimum of 24 hours

## Herringbone Working Lines:

