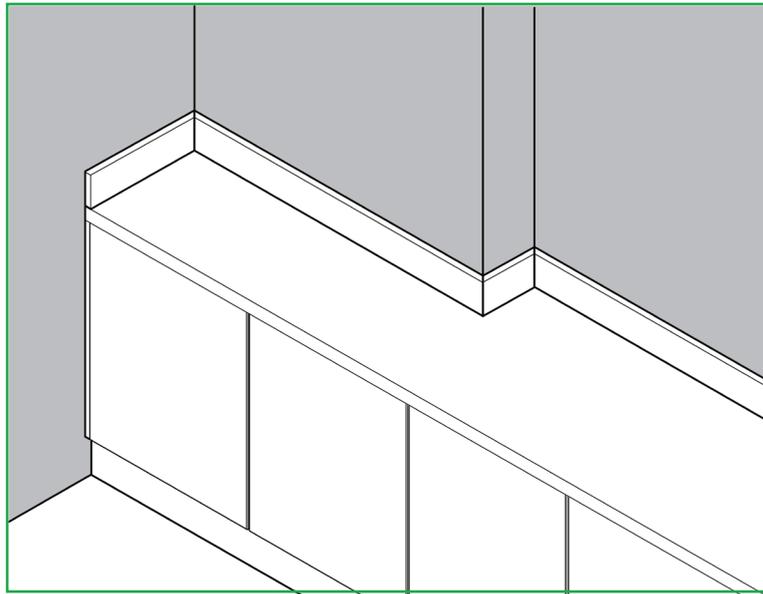
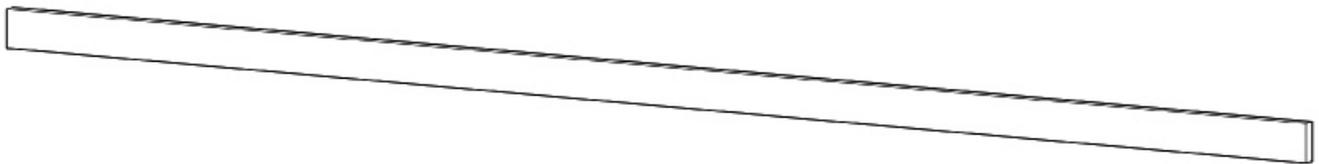


Upstand

Upstand, Fitting Guide

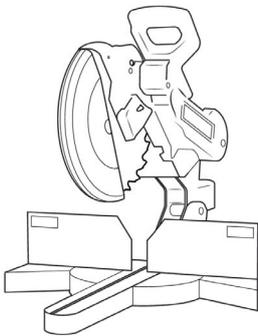


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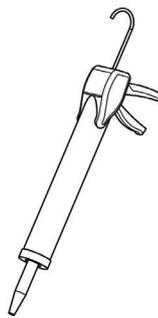


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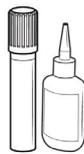
Tools Required



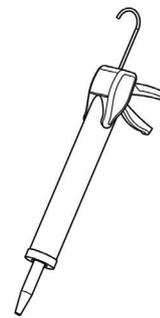
Saw



Adhesive



Mitre Glue



Silicone sealant



Pencil



Tape Measure

Upstand joints

Please see the diagrams showing the different upstand joints

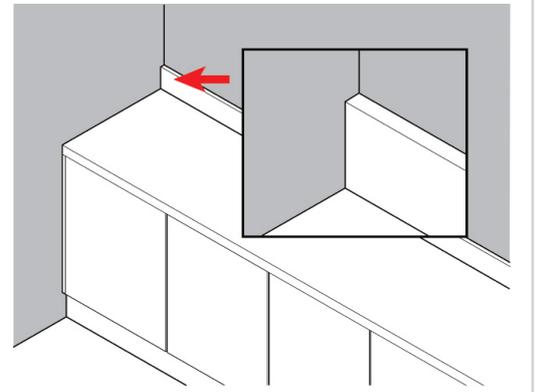
A - **Butted joint**

B - **Return mitre (open end)**

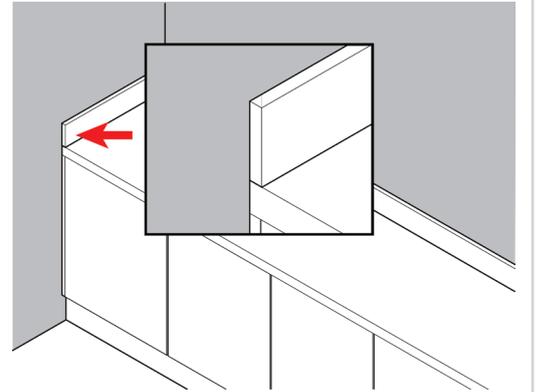
C - **Internal mitre**

D - **External mitre**

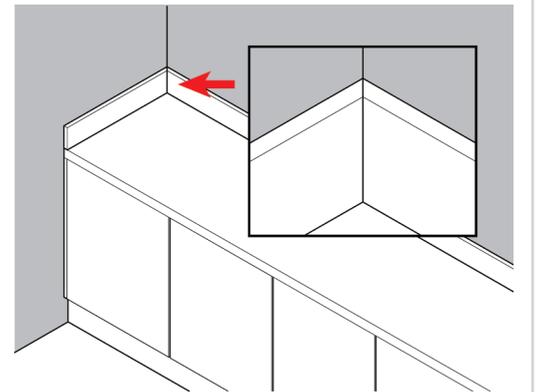
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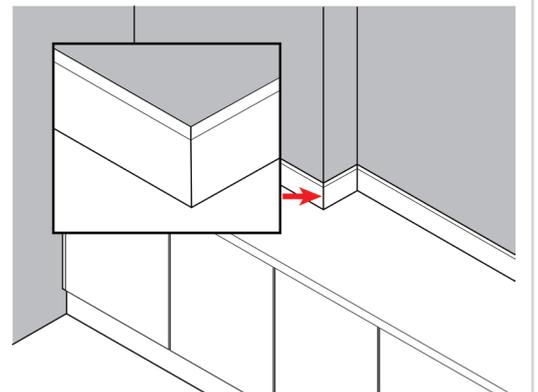
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C



D



Planning upstand near hobs and splashbacks

Whilst planning upstands near splashbacks please ensure the size of the splashback has been accounted for.

Whilst planning upstands near hobs please leave sufficient clearance in accordance to the manufacturers guidelines.

Finding the upstand measurement

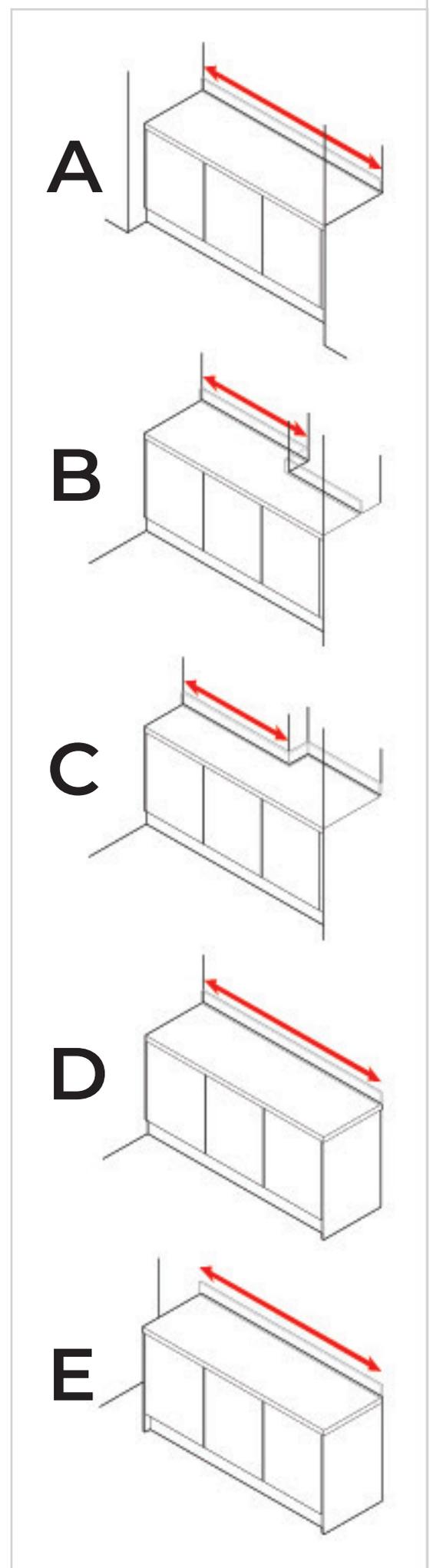
A - **Butted to butted** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

B - **Butted to internal corner** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

C - **Butted to external corner** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

D - **Butted to return mitre (open end)** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

E - **Return mitre to return mitre (open end to open end)** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the length of the worktop.



F - **Internal mitre to internal mitre** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

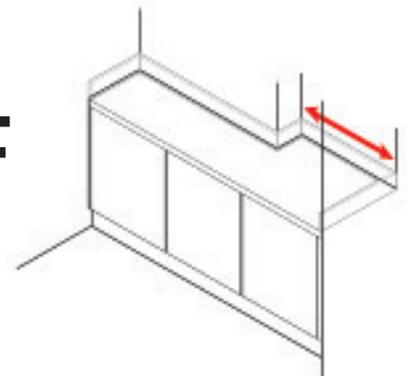
G - **Internal mitre to external mitre** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

H - **Internal mitre to return mitre (open end)** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 points as shown.

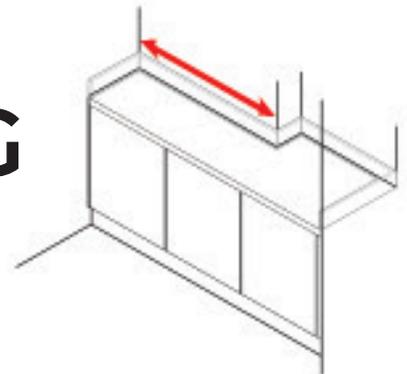
I - **External mitre to external mitre** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the 2 external corners.

J - **External mitre to return mitre (open end)** - Find the measurement of the run by measuring the distance between the external corner and end of the worktop.

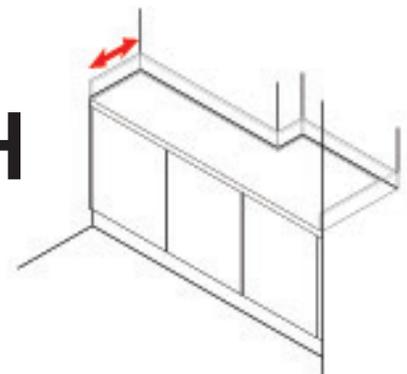
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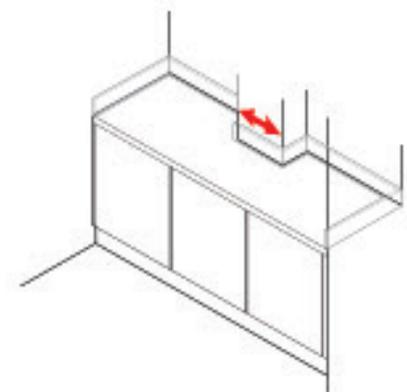
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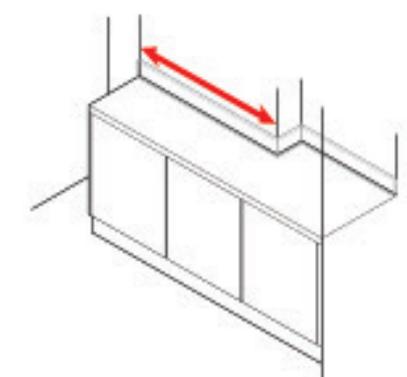
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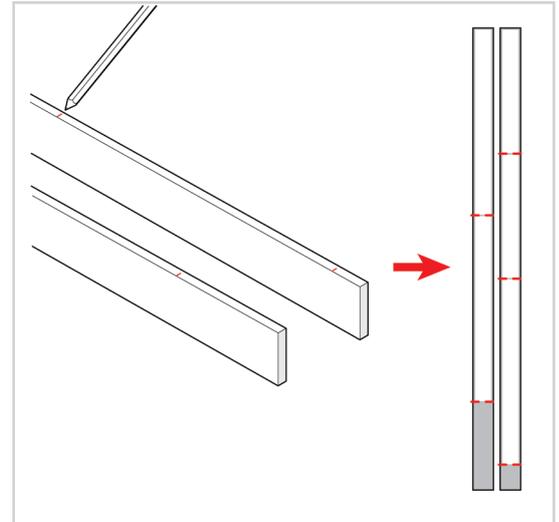
Remember to take care when unpacking. Please keep your workspace clean, clear and tidy when working. This will help keep all items safe from any damages. Any un-needed cardboard or plastic should be flattened down and placed in the bin.

Creating a cutting list

Make a cutting list of the pieces required. Plan how you will get the pieces from the lengths of upstand you have.

This step will help you avoid mistakes and will allow you to determine the most efficient use of the materials available.

Mark the measurements on the top edge of the upstand as shown.



Ensure you add an additional 30mm for each external corner and return mitre. This will ensure you have enough material for any cut you make.

Cutting the upstand

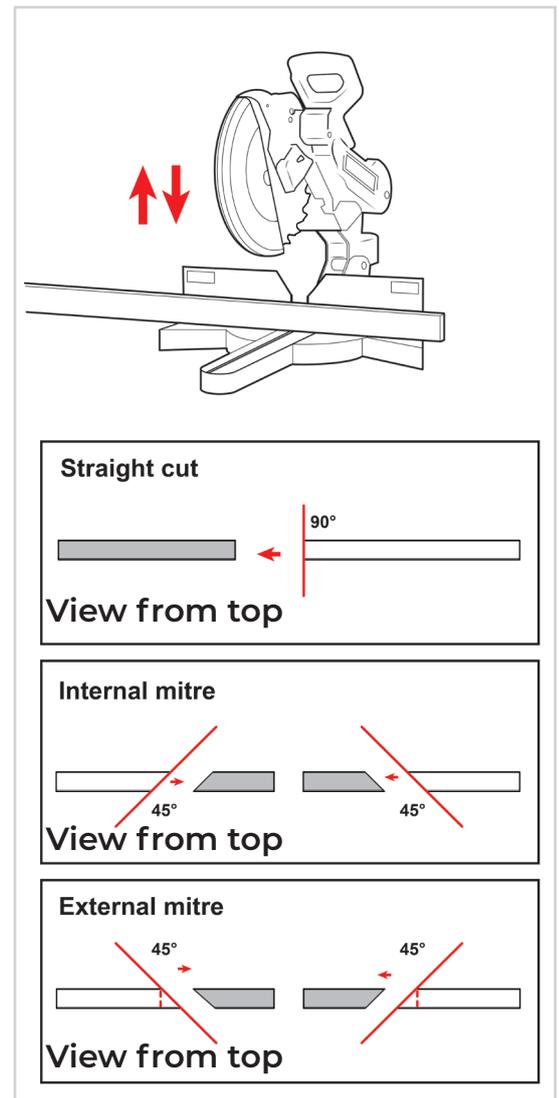
Straight cut -

Set the saw to a **90 degree angle** and position the upstand on the saw making sure the marked side of the upstand is at the top and the unfinished side is facing away to the rear.

Mitre cut -

Set the saw to a **45 degree angle** and position the upstand on the saw making sure the marked side of the upstand is at the top and the unfinished side is facing away to the rear.

Make a practice cut close to the marked measurement before you make the final cut. This will help to ensure the upstand is cut correctly.



Upstand return mitre cut (if required)

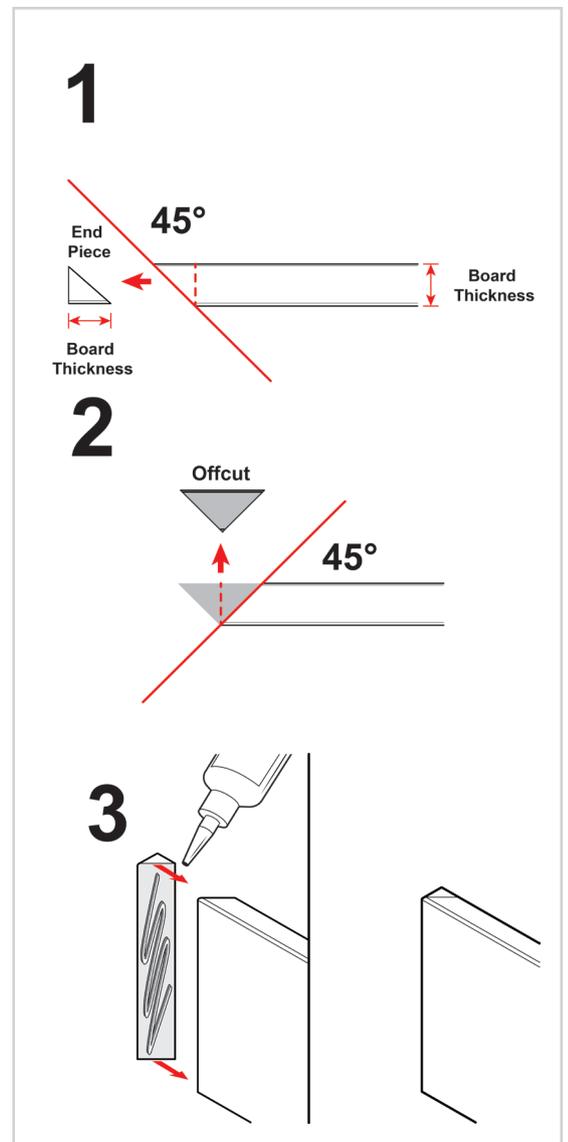
To hide unfinished upstand edges a return mitre joint is required. please see the following steps-

1. End piece - Cut the upstand with a 45 degree mitre cut to create the end piece. The width of this piece must match the thickness of the upstand.

2. Main piece - Cut the main piece of upstand to the correct size required with a 45 degree mitre cut running in the opposite direction.

3. Attaching the pieces together -

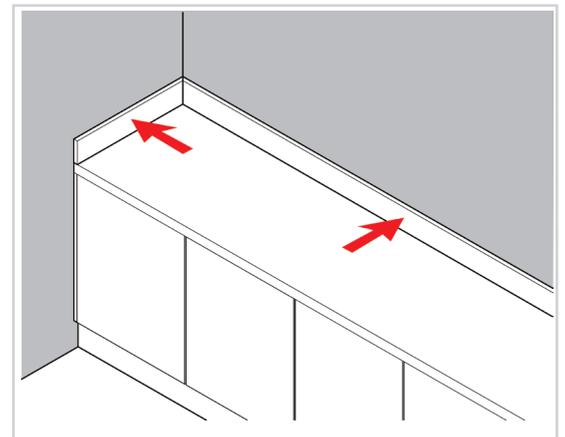
Secure the pieces together using mitre glue.



Checking the upstand

Place the upstand in position along the wall to check the fit.

If any adjustments are required, make them now before continuing.

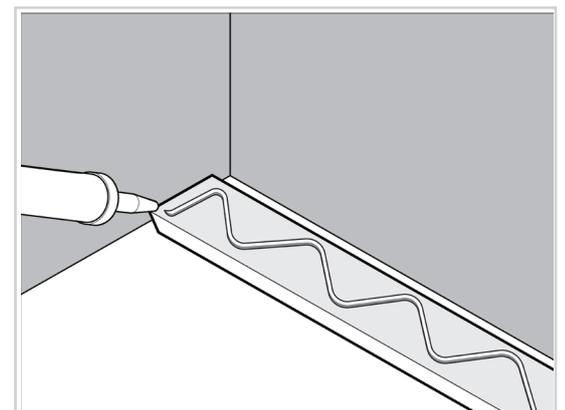


Applying the adhesive

Position the upstand in the correct position on the worktop, facing down.

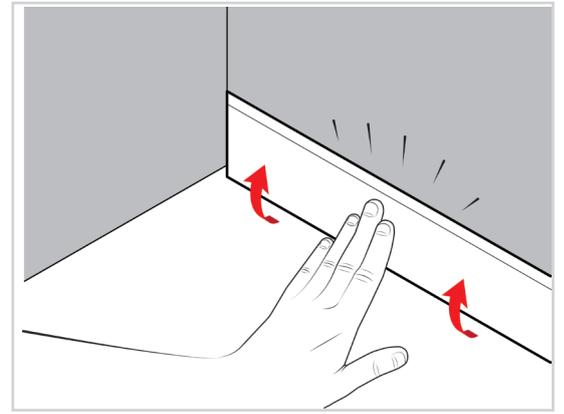
Apply the appropriate adhesive to the back of the upstand in a zig-zag motion.

The upstand will only be attached at the wall and not the worktop.



Placing the upstand on the wall

Lift the upstand against the wall with care and wipe away any excess adhesive before it dries.



Please ensure all of the upstand pieces have been fixed to the wall before applying the sealant

Applying the silicone to the upstand

After the adhesive has dried, apply a silicone sealant to fill the gaps between the upstand pieces and worktop.

