



Primed MDF Cladding Kits

Fitting
Instructions



TM27-1
TM42-1
TM46-1
TM54-1

TM27-2
TM42-2
TM46-2
TM54-2

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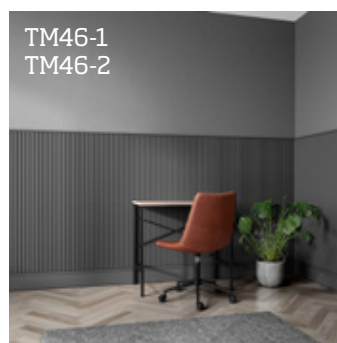
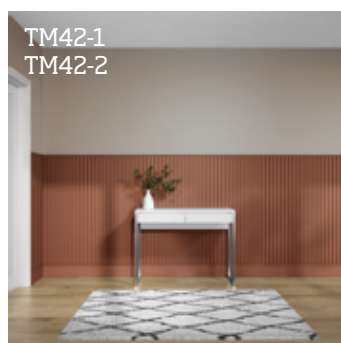
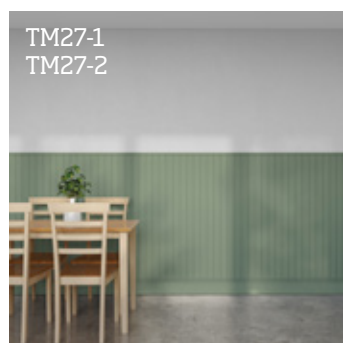
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Important Information

The following instructions are for installing the Cheshire Mouldings **Primed MDF Wall Cladding Kits**.

Kits consist of the following:

Product Code	Pieces in Kits	Length	Profile
TM27-1	4	1200mm	
TM27-2	4	2400mm	
TM42-1	2	1200mm	
TM42-2	2	2400mm	
TM46-1	2	1200mm	
TM46-2	2	2400mm	
TM54-1	2	1200mm	
TM54-2	2	2400mm	



If you have any queries, please contact our technical helpline on **0800 085 3475**.

For the use of MDF panelling, we advise:

Wherever possible, the cutting of MDF panelling should be performed outside and on a dry day, wearing a dust mask and safety glasses.

The use of a dust mask and safety glasses when sanding MDF panelling and ensure that the area you are working in is well ventilated.

Use a vacuum cleaner to remove any dust and wipe down the area with a damp cloth.

Seal/paint the MDF to lock in the dust.

Please note:

All components should be inspected BEFORE installation commences for any damage, as Cheshire Mouldings cannot be held responsible for any damage caused during installation.

We do not recommend the use of a sharp blade to open the packaging as this may damage the product

Tools required:

Tape measure, pencil, adhesive, nail gun, saw, spirit level, decorators caulk and filler.

Direct to Wall

To determine how many panel strips you require, measure wall length (**Fig 1**) and divide this by the width of your chosen profile (**Fig 2**).

Measure up from top of skirting and mark your preferred panelling height (**Fig 3**). For full height installs measure to ceiling.

Cut panel strip to length, apply adhesive to back face and offer into position (**Fig 4**).

Check vertical using spirit level.
Fix in position using a nail gun.

Repeat procedure for remaining panel strips until you have 1 or 2 strips to do. Chances are you are going to need to cut the last panel strip to fit.

Dry fit the second to last full width panel strip into position and measure the remaining gap at the top and bottom (**Fig 5**).

Cut the last panel strip down to correct width. Remove panel strip that was dry fitted and apply adhesive to the back faces of both pieces.

Insert the short width piece into the full width piece and offer both pieces at an angle into the previously fixed pieces. Secure with nail gun (**Fig 6**).

Use a moulding (not supplied) as a capping to finish the panelling off. In the example shown a strip wood was used. Cut moulding to length, apply adhesive and secure with nail gun (**Fig 7**). For full height installs, capping mouldings are not needed.

Fill any gaps with decorators' caulk and wipe any excess off with damp cloth. Apply filler to any nail holes and lightly sand to a smooth finish (**Fig 8**).

You are now ready to paint.

To keep your panelling clean and dust free use a damp cloth.

Fig.1

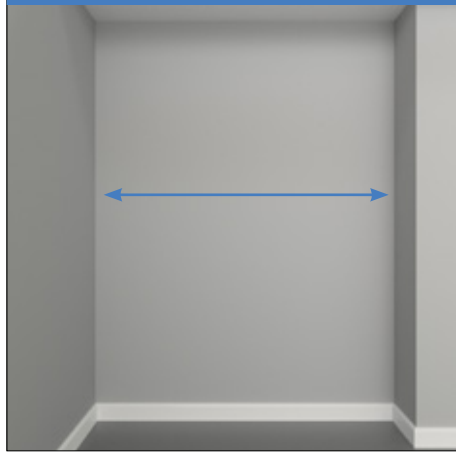


Fig.2

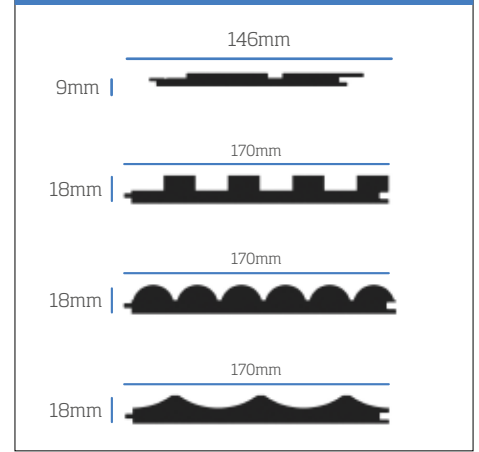


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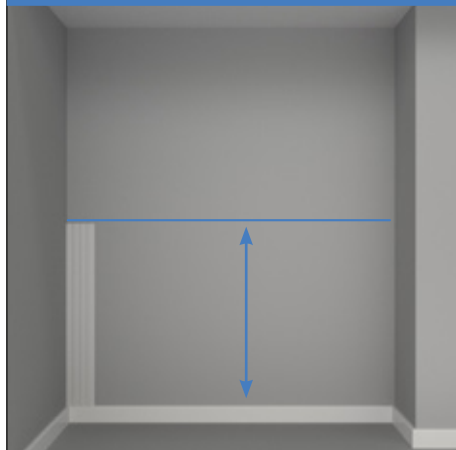


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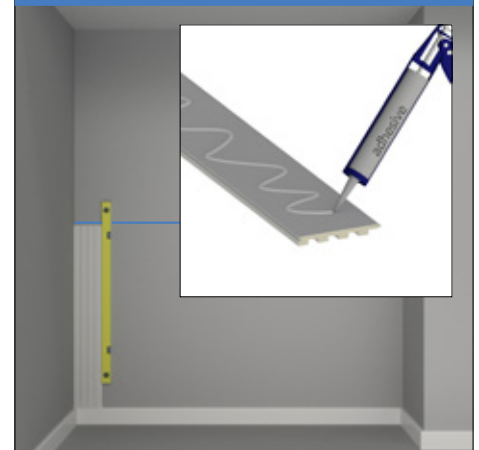


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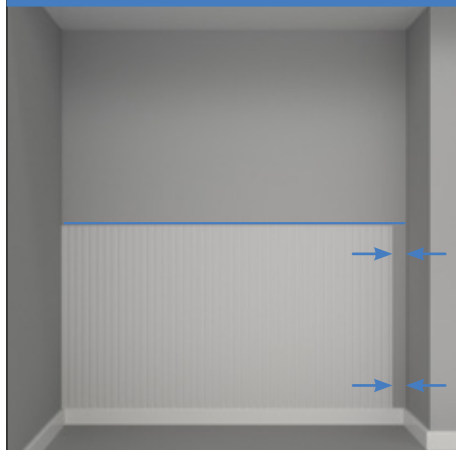


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Fig.7

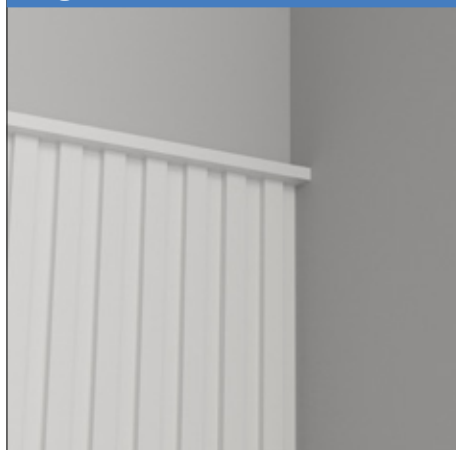
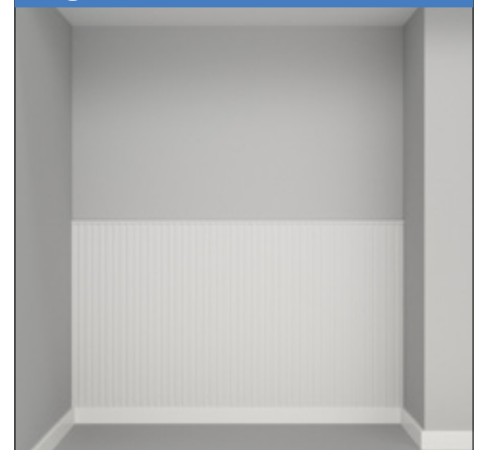


Fig.8



Using Battens

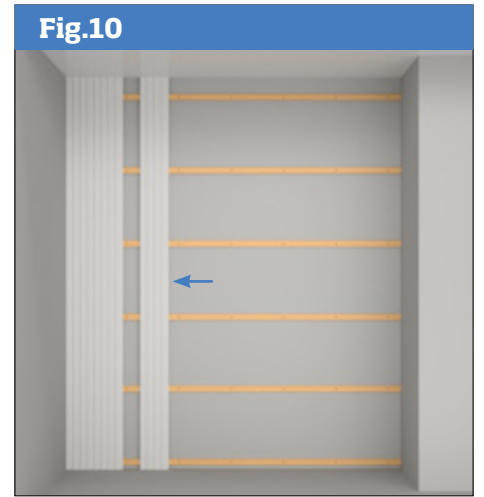
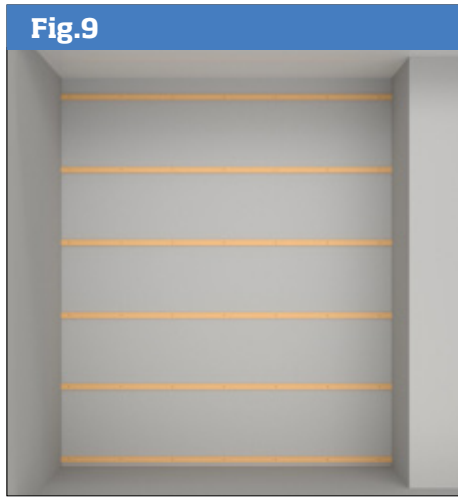
The MDF panel strips can also be mounted onto battens if the wall is not flat or if that is your preference.

Cut battens to length and secure to wall using suitable plugs and screws, spaced every 300mm along each batten. The spacings between battens should be approx. 400-500mm (**Fig 9**).

Run a bead of adhesive along each length of batten and once the panel strip has been offered onto the battens and has been checked using a spirit level, secure to the battens using a nail gun (**Fig 10**).

Repeat for remaining panel strips.

Refer to direct to wall procedure for last couple of pieces and for finishing.



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