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INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE POP AND AVANTI INTERIOR DECORATION PANELS

The POP interior panels are installed with concealed aluminium profiles, which are available in two types: edge profile and intermediate profile.

The key requirement for the installation is a straight and even base. Special attention should be paid to accurate positioning of the profile from the very start. The minimum spacing should be 60 cm.

Begin with perforating the aluminium profiles at ca 30-cm intervals, preferably with 4.5-mm holes. The screws should be 0,5 mm smaller. Self-drilling screws may not produce a fully satisfactory installation. The profiles should preferably be cut ca 5 cm shorter than the width of the area to be covered. This allows for the mounting of vertical edge profiles to support and trim the edges of the panelling.

Start installation the panels along the lower edge profile fixed on the wall. Proceed with one row at a time and screw an intermediate profile between each horizontal row.

If the installation is several metres wide, it is useful to add a vertical profile, for instance at two-metre intervals, to ensure accurate positioning of joints and corners. Also, if you have cut the panel size – normally a flat one – into a smaller size in order to fit it into the given wall dimension, for example, and have that's why "lost" the groove from one edge of the panel. Here you normally can use short cuts of the profile in other direction (often vertically).

Whenever a complete wall is to be covered with the POP or AVANTI interior panels (from wall to wall up to the ceiling), the installation of a panel in the final upper corner may be a problem unless the profile is cut clearly shorter than the panelled area. For practical reasons it may be necessary to use a small and inconspicuous additional fastener, such as a screw or a nail.

If only a part of the wall is panelled and the edges remain visible, they may be covered with a thin trim to give the installation a finished appearance.

NOTE ! ALWAYS INSTALL THE PANELS WITH THE WOOD GRAIN IN THE SAME DIRECTION.
(Of course, in case of works of art the situations may vary)

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