



## About our cabinets & some designing advice

### Base cabinets

#### Height -

\*The Standard height of our base cabinet is 870mm. But it is possible for us to make any height between 860mm – 900mm for these, when you order just let us know.

They are also supplied with adjustable feet for levelling and these give 20mm of adjustment upwards.

See our current price list for standard individual cabinet dimension.

#### Depth -

\*The Standard depth of our base cabinet is 580mm with a 50mm recess at the back to accommodate, services such as pipework.

You can however specify any depth up to 600mm, and also any depth of recess at the back. Just remember to tell us or we will make it as standard sizes.

Please note that **cabinets with drawers** have a minimum depth of 350mm to accommodate the soft close drawer runners.

If you require a cut out (for example to fit a cabinet around a soil pipe), please supply a plan view drawing of the cabinet with measurements of the cut out.

\*Plinth for our base cabinets is supplied in 3m lengths and can be cut to fit on site.

### Integrated appliances

Two different options here, depending on what is around the appliance.

**Option 1** – is where the appliance has base cabinets each side of it. You can then just purchase a 600mm door that attaches to the front of the appliance.

The appliance itself sits on the floor so isn't in a cabinet.

**Option 2** – This is usually when you don't have base cabinets both sides of the appliance.

You need to allow 680mm for the appliance; this consists of the appliance itself (usually 600mm) plus an end panel each side of 40mm each (giving an overall size of 680mm)

**Belfast Sinks** – you ALWAYS need the 40mm panels each side of the Belfast sink

Please note that the majority of appliances are a standard size, it is your duty to check that it will fit in the aperture we make. If you are unsure please take measurements and forward to us.

## Sides of Base cabinets

Where there is a cabinet that has a side on show, you can choose whether the side is plain, or V grooved (this gives it a tongue and groove effect and can totally change the whole look of a kitchen)

PLEASE NOTE that V grooves are NOT available on our Oak/Oak Veneer cabinets.

## Drawers

All our drawers (except the spice drawers) are filled with the latest soft close runners as standard.

## Corner Cabinets

L Shaped Corner Cabinets - For L shaped corner cabinets please allow 900mm width along each wall.

You also have the choice of whether this comes with a standard shelf or a carousel (please see our price list for details) and you can also choose whether the door is left or right hinged.

### Hinging Options

\*For 1 door cabinets, choose left or right hinged.

\*For Base pull out ladders & Base Waste Bins they slide forwards so aren't hinged

## Wall cabinets:

Height -

\*The Standard height for wall cabinets is 575mm, 720mm or 900mm, please see our price list for details.

(Please note that this includes the height of the Cornice)

However, we can supply any height. So wall cupboards can go right up to the ceiling if required.

But PLEASE REMEMBER to allow between 450mm to 500mm between the top of the worktop and the bottom of the wall cupboard. This will be your worktop space

Depth –

\*The Standard depth of our wall cupboards is 350mm which includes a 20mm recess at the back to allow for uneven walls, etc.

You can however specify any depth you wish. (Within reason)

The tops of the wall cabinets are recessed to allow for the running of extractor ducting or cables behind the cornice if required.

\*Cornice is supplied in 3m lengths for cutting and fitting on site.

Please see our price list for details and styles available

### **Lighting Recess**

The base of our wall cabinets are recessed by 20mm to allow for lighting.

All of our wall cabinets come with adjustable shelving.

### **Cabinet sides –**

As with the base units, when the side of a wall cabinet is visible you can choose whether the side visible is a plain panel or a V groove panel, please again note that the V groove is not available on the Oak/Oak Veneer cabinets.

### **Hinging options:-**

\*For 1 door cabinets choose left or right hinged.

### **Cornice additional notes**

\*please remember that if you want the cornice to run back down the width of the cabinet to the wall you need to allow a gap between the cabinet and anything else that may be next to it, for example another wall.

The Width of cupboard is the width of the carcass and doesn't include the overhang of the Cornice on each side. This will be approximately 50mm.

If your wall cupboards are going from wall to wall this won't apply.

### **Integrated Microwaves**

If you are planning on having an integrated microwave in a wall cupboard, make sure that you have one designed for that purpose; many are made for tall cabinets and are too deep for wall cabinets.

The majority of wall microwaves are 300mm deep.

## **Tall Cabinets**

### **Heights –**

These should be ordered to match the height of the wall cabinets you have chosen.

For example if you have 40mm worktops, plus the base cabinets are 870mm, then this would be 910mm off the floor, then add in your gap between the worktops and bottom of the wall cabinet of 450mm, and then add the height of your wall cabinet, say 720mm. This gives us 2080mm overall height.

You should then order your tall units at this height.

### **Integrated appliances**

Please allow a 680mm width for oven housings, coffee machines, microwave housings, & Warming drawers.

The standard depth for tall appliance housings is 580mm, but you can go deeper if you need to. Please let us know.

If you are planning on having a few appliances in the same housing, for example a single oven and then a combi Microwave oven, please consider the height of the top appliance, as can then drop things down a little and make it easier and safer to use. We find it useful to draw it out on a piece of paper and then measure it out on a wall.

### **Hinging Options –**

As with the other cabinets if you have a standard door you have an option of having this as left or right hand hinged, just remember to tell us which you want.

For tall units that have a pull out larder option fitted there is no hinging option as it pulls the door forward.

### **Cabinet sides -**

As with the base units & wall units, when the side of a tall cabinet is visible you can choose whether the side visible is a plain panel or a V groove panel, please again note that the V groove is not available on the Oak/Oak Veneer cabinets.

## **Worktops - Wood:**

Did you know we did wooden worktops too?

Please see our price list for details.

We have two types available, block or planked.

Butchers block are made of small blocks of wood put together at intervals.

Planked worktops are made from long lengths of wood than run the full length of the worktop.

Please see our price lists for details and specifications.

### **Depth required –**

Don't forget that you will probably want an overhang on the worktops of at least 20mm so with the cabinet depth of 580mm you need worktops that are at least 620mm deep.

You also need to work out the best place to put in any joints and any overhangs on the end of a run you might want.

Add all these bits together and you should be able to work out how many meters you need and the most cost effective way of buying them.

Our worktops come in various sizes and will be as one sheet and will be needed to be cut and finished on site. Please remember to read the care instructions that come with the worktops carefully.

Wooden worktops look amazing but you do have to look after them.

Most kitchen fitters and carpenters will be able to do this very easily for you.

### Worktops – Granite/Quartz or Corian:

We can arrange quotes for granite, Quartz or Corian worktops through a company we have used for many years, please ask for a granite quote with your kitchen quote., we will then forward it to them and they will quote for you.

### Door Hinges & Catches

There are three finishes of our standard butt hinge available, Brassed, Chromed or Bronzed

There are two types of door catches available roller catches and magnetic catches for the doors. Please remember to specify which you want.

## Delivery

We offer a kerbside delivery service throughout the UK; you will need to make sure you have people there to help you carry the cabinets into the house.

Please also remember to look at the access to the room they will be fitted into, think about the height, width, depth and Weight.

Are there any narrow doors or sharp corners you may need to get the cabinets around??

## Additional Information

Don't forget that you can call us; we won't bite or laugh too loudly at your questions, 😊  
Over the years we have heard it all and ultimately we are here to help you get the kitchen you want.

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