

Your Single Source Solution In High Quality Doors

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How To Hang a Door

- To assess whether the opening of a door frame is square or not and to determine how much will have to be trimmed off the door, measure the diagonals of the door frame. There should ideally be a maximum clearance of 5 mm at the bottom of the door and 3 mm clearance on the other three sides. To reduce in width, remove equal amounts up to 5mm from both sides and up to 10mm from the top and 15mm from the bottom of the door, again equally for reductions in length of the door.
- If hinges are not on the door frame already these sholud be fitted at +/- 180 mm from both the top and the bottom of the door frame prior to any measuring or marking.
- Place the trimmed door in the opening and wedge it into position both top and bottom.
- Mark the hinge positions on the door edges from the hinges on the frame, then remove the door and extend the markings over the edges prior to scoring.
- The hinge outline are now scored with a chisel.
- Cut the recess into the door and frame, ensuring the hinge is flush with the edge of the door. The screw holes are now marked and drilled.
- The hinge recesses are cut slightly deeper on the inside of the frame so that the hinge is not completely closed when the door is closed. The thickness of the hinge leaves at the knuckle and the recess depth should be the same. The knuckle should protrude from the frame and the door. Use a marking gauge to obtain the same depth for each hinge. Should you not succeed in setting the hinges evenly in the frame the door will not swing freely necessitating time consuming adjustment. Should the door not close easily the hinges need adjusting.
- Once the hinges have been positioned correctly they can be screwed up tightly.

The above is to be used as a guideline only. As manufacturers we cannot be held responsible for how doors are installed and maintained on site.

Mixed Timber Panel Doors



6 PANEL MT 12E 0037



8 PANEL MT 12E 0038 Also available in Stable







10 PANEL MT 12E 0039







Mixed Timber Glass Range



Carolina **Double Sided** Engineered 12E 0092







Kentucky **Double Sided** Engineered 12E 0093







Double Sided Engineered 12E 0094 / 12E 0104 Also available in Stable







18 Light Engineered 12E 0864





SA Pine Panel Doors



6 Panel **SA Pine** 03H 0309







8 Panel **SA Pine** 03H 0305







10 Panel **SA Pine** 03H 0307





Pre-Hung Pivot Doors

Doors are 1.2m x 2.1m, pre-hung in a frame complete with lock, handle and hinges fitted, ready to be built in The same doors are available not pre-hung



African Sunset 11R 0580







Sunrise 11R 0581







12 Panel 11R 0585







16 Panel 11R 0540







Indigo (without glass) 11R 0541







Horizontal 11R 0583





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Eco Diamond 11R 0625







Eco Rhythm 11R 0629







Eco Kalahari 11R 0576







Eco Indigo 11R 0613







Eco Sunrise 11R 0618







Eco Sunset 11R 0620





Eco Designer Doors



11R 0550



Kalahari 11R 0566



Diamond 11R 0248





Designer Range also available in Stable



Sunset 11R 0011



Indigo (without glass)







Sunrise 11R 0012







Class 1 Full Exterior Doors



SA Pine Solidor Laminated, Finger Jointed, Double Sided 03H 0101 **CLASS 1 EXTERIOR 1** SA Pine Solidor Stable Door 03H 0103



Saligna Solidor Laminated, Finger Jointed, Double Sided 12E 0761 **CLASS 1 EXTERIOR 1** Stable 12E 0762



SD60 Wide Groove Horizontal 12E 0180 **CLASS 1 EXTERIOR 1** Also available in Stable













Frame and Ledged Doors



Framed & Ledged Open Back Braced L/C 12E 0120



Framed & Ledged Open or Flush Back or Plyback **Engineered Hardwood** Open Back 12E 9001 Flush Back 12E 0154 Plyback 12E 0804



Framed & Ledged Open or Plyback Stable **Engineered Hardwood** Open Back 12E 0304 Plyback 12E 0805



Afri-Tech Openback 01H0805 Also available in Stable Door

















Recommended treatment and handling of joinery

Although it is presumed that people involved with the joinery supplied today in the Building Industry are familiar with the correct storage and handling of timber products, experience shows that this is incorrect. Please inspect carefully for correctness, quality and size prior to any cutting finishing or fitting. Failure to do so will invalidate any claim

- Doors should be stored only in dry rooms with normal humidity.
- Moisture from damp floors and screeds must be avoided.
- Never stoor doors in an area where they will be subject to extreme changes in heat or humidity (e.g. open sided corrugated iron sheds, containers).
- Store doors flat on four evenly spaced dunnages approximately 100mm off the floor to avoid twisting.
- Doors should be handled carefully to avoid scratching and other damage.
- The top of the door in the stack should be covered with a suitable material such as plywood, hardboard or cardboard to avoid bow due to loss of moisture on the exposed surface.
- Doors after manufacture will still be subject to shrinking, swelling and warping, as any wood product is, when exposed to dramatic changers in the dryness or temperature and humidity.
- All joinery products, i.e. doors and framing should be sealed immediately after delivery onto site and before hanging, on all six sides to avoid gain or loss of moisture depending on local conditions. Its is imperative that doors be sealed on all six sides after trimming to size and before fitting.
- Avoid hanging doors in a open out rebate where they will be exposed to the weather eg, where there is no sufficent overhang or protection.
- At least three coats of a recommended sealer should be applied within twenty-four hours of one another, to all six sides of the
- Timber doors must be maintained by the client and re-sealed regularly at least six monthly, dependent upon the exposure to the elements i.e. whether north facing etc, and the degree of protection afforded by the overhang of roof, awnings etc, depending on type of finished used.
- Timber products will be degraded and have a reduced aesthetic and functional life span if neglected.
- Proper care and attention should be paid to levels to allow for screed thickness.
- Not to impair the structural strength of a door, doors must be trimmed equally from both sides, top and bottom. A maximum of 5mm from each edge and a total of 10mm in the width, a maximum of 10mm off the top and a maximum of 15mm off the bottom and total of 25mm in height.
- Endeavour to only hang doors as near as occupation as possible to avoid damage due to banging, whilst left open. Fit this into the production programme at the outset.
- Doors must be sealed immediately on all six sides and be fitted with a lock and not allowed to wing freely and bang. Contracts such as schools and compounds must have cabin hooks fitted immediately to prevent damage.
- All exterior doors should be fitted with a weather bar.
- Any door found to have a factory fault will be replaced free of charge within 6 months of delivery. Kindly inspect doors for patent defects before fitting and hanging. Doors with patent defects which have been fitted and hung will not be exchanged. We shall not be held responsible for any incidental work or expenses arising out of, or because of, any defect in our product, and our liability shall in no case exceed our invoiced price.

In conclusion all external timber doors must be maintained throughout their life time. It is however obvious that the doors are being abused and not sealed with three coats immediately before hanging. Failure to do so allows loss or gain of moisture depending on prevailing conditions. The abuse of joinery and its treatment are extremely prevalent. Regular maintenance must be maintained as mentioned earlier. Once deterioration and discolouration, peeling and flaking of the sealer is noticed, a medium sandpaper should be used to remove "dead" sealer and then resealed. Timber is extremely durable if handled in the proper manner, but it is essential that the initial storage, trimming and sealing is done correctly.

Medium hardwoods obviously exhibit less of a tendency to shrinkage than light hardwoods and this should be borne in mind. Most problems generally occur when the product is removed from storage and having been manufactured during the summer rainfall period will absorb moisture to equilibriate moisture in the air. If doors are then exposed to greatly reduced moisture in the air, i.e. in winter, and are not treated and sealed immediately, shrinkage, warpage etc. will be impossible to avoid. This is the basis on which manufacturers world wide expect joinery products to be handled. Solid Doors reserves the right to discontinue any line or product, and change specifications and construction details without notice. E&OE



Routered Medium Duty Range



8 Panel Consul Arched **Medium Duty** 255 0902







San Martino Medium Duty 255 0921







Consul Stable Medium Duty 2SS 0910







Melody Medium Duty 2SS 0917







MD Consul Medium Duty 2SS 0950







Traditional Medium Duty 2\$\$ 0918





Routered Medium Duty Range



Ruby Medium Duty 2SS 0919 Also available in Stable







Big Five Medium Duty 2SS 0273



Medium Duty 2SS 0945



Elephant Medium Duty 2SS 0916









Prime Coated Deep Moulded Doors



Toledo Prime Coated Hollow Core Double Sided 6MO 0009







Townsend Prime Coated Hollow Core Double Sided 6MO 0005







Tudor Prime Coated Hollow Core Double Sided 6MO 0007







Interior Doors



Hollowcore 1HC 0001 S/C Masonite 2CE 3SC 0201







Medium Duty Commericial Horizontal 2CE 2SS 0967







Commercial Veneer Hollowcore 1HC 0301 S/S Commercial 2CE 2SS 0501 S/C Commercial 2CE 3SC 05011







Hollowcore Hardboard Horizontal 1HC 0019







Hollowcore 1HC 0601 S/S Sapele 2CE 2SS 0801 S/C Sapele 2CE 3SC 0801







Hollowcore Perigord Oak 4PR 0140







Senior Sapele Print Hollowcore 4PR 0001







Senior Cherry Print Hollowcore 4PR 0130





1/2 Hour Fire Doors*



Commercial Veneer 8SP 0910



8SP 0920



Hardboard 8SP 0901



Hardboard Horizontal Fire Door 8SP 0933

























Pine and Hardwood Mouldings



19mm; 32mm Quadrant



19mm; 32mm Scotia



50mm; 75mm; 100mm Skirting



63 x 13mm T & G Boarding



32mm Half Round Beading



45mm; 38mm Cover Strip



75mm Cornice



50mm Cleats



19mm Half Round Beading



Single Door Frame Hardwood

Standard Size: 813 x 2032



Double Door Frame Hardwood

Standard Sizes: 1613 x 2032mm

