

### **SPECIFICATION GUIDE**

Forma slatted cladding takes inspiration from natural western red cedar. This stunning material from the capped Forma® range looks as impressive as natural wood cladding with no need to paint, stain or oil. Forma cladding products come with a 25 year warranty.



### Panel Cladding

Length (mm) 3600

Width (mm) 142 (132 installed width)

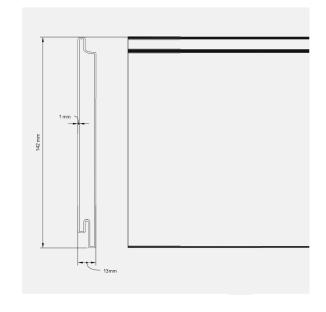
Depth (mm) 24

Weight (p/lm) 2.22kg

Material 2nd Generation

co-extruded WPC

Finish Brushed finish



Midnight



Flint



Silver Birch



Spiced Oak

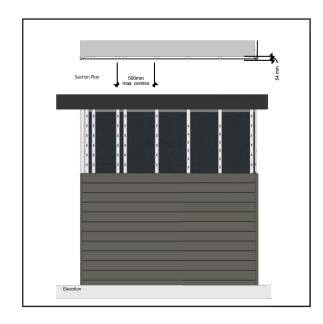


Length 3.6m

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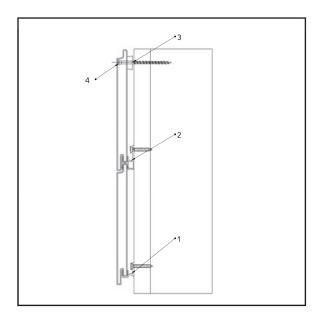
# Working Specification - Panel Cladding

Drawings below show a typical installation detail for BM Steel Panel Cladding including maximum substructure centres, depiction of our hidden clips system, and trims.



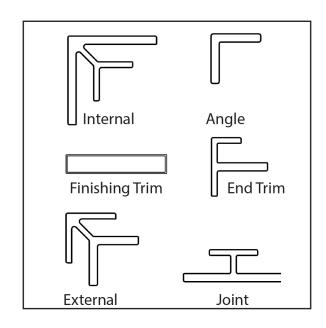
BM Steel Composite Cladding boards must be supported by a substructure placed at 500mm centres.

For further information, please see our installation guide.



BM Steel cladding should always be used with our aluminium hidden clip system:

- 1. Starter bar
- 2. Cladding Clip
- 3. Plastic Pad
- 4. Colour-coded Screws



Our extensive range of trim profiles - including an end trim, external and internal corners, and a versatile finishing board - to ensure that you always get a neat finish for your project.



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## Specification Table

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Property	Test Method	Test Result	Test Requirements	<u>Verdict</u>		Property	Test Method	Test Result	Test Requirements	<u>Verdict</u>
Appearance	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 6.1 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.3	None of visible difference which was compared to control sample.		Pass		Moisture resistance under cyclic test conditions	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 8.3.2 EN 15534-4:2014	Original MOR: 31.9 MPa After exposure, Mean MOR: 29.6MPa Deflection at 250N: Mean: 1.96 mm	Deflection under load at 250N Mean ≤ 6.0mm (Test span was at 500mm)	
Linear Mass	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 6.5 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.4	Mean: 1951 g/m	Individual values≥95% declared value by the manufacturer.	N/A			Section 4.5.5	Max.: 2.02 mm		Pass
									Water Absorption in weight:	
Dimensions	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 6.6 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.4	Average Width: 141.30mm Average thickness: 13.20 mm Average Length: 1000mm Average deviation from straightness: 0.33mm Average cupping: 0.22mm	Individual values	N/A		Boiling Test  Linear thermal expansion coefficient	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 8.3.3 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.5	Water absorption in weight: Mean: 1.57 % Max.: 1.77 %	Mean ≤ 7 % Max. ≤ 9 %	Pass
							EN 15534-1:2014 Section 9.2 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.6	Mean: Longitudinal direction:	≤ 50×10-6 K-1	N/A
Falling mass impact resistance	EN 15534-1:2014 Annex A EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.1	Max. Crack length (mm): No crack Max. Residual Indentation (mm): 0.09	None of 10 test specimens shall show a failure with a crack length ≥ 10 mm or a depth of residual indentation ≥ 0,5 mm.	Pass			ISO 11359-2:1999	46.0 ×10-6 K-1		
						Heat Reversion	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 9.3 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.7 EN 479:2018	Test Temperature: 100°C		
								Mean: 0.07 %		
Flexural properties		Ave. Bending Strength: 31.9 MPa Modulus of Elasticity in bending: 3993 MPa		Pass	Heat build-up	Heat build-up	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 9.4 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.7	Set temperature rise for use in horizontal position: 41 °C Actual temperature rise for black control specimen: 41.7 °C	Test condition: ambient air temperature 23 ± 2 °C	
		Mean: 1.93 mm								
Creep behaviour	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 7.4.1 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.3	Span: 400 mm Mean ΔS: 2.97 mm Max. ΔS: 3.03 mm Mean ΔSr. 1.81 mm	Known span in use Mean $\Delta S \le 10$ mm Max. $\Delta S \le 13$ mm Mean $\Delta Sr \le 5$ mm	Pass		Resistance to indentation	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 7.5 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.7	Brinell hardness: 69 MPa Rate of elastic recovery: 53 %	Indenter: a hardened steel spheical body with diameter of 10 mn Test load: Additional load of 2000N with preload of 20N Indentation time: (25 ± 5) s Recovery time: at least 24h	
		After 2000h exposure:						After 300h exposure:		
Resistance to artificial weathering	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 8.1 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.5 ISO 4892-2: 2013,	$\Delta a^* = 0.38$ , 2014 $\Delta b^* = 0.57$ 5 $\Delta E^* = 1.60$	$\Delta L^*, \Delta a^*$ and $\Delta b^*$ shall be declared	N/A		Neutral salt spray test	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 8.6 ISO 9227:2017 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.7	ΔL* = -0.94, Δα* = 0.70, Δb* = 0.19 ΔE* = 1.2	300 hours exposure time	
		Grey scale = 4						Grey scale = 4-5		
Swelling and water absorption (28 days immersion)	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 8.3.1 EN 15534-4:2014 Section 4.5.5	023.% length Max. Swelling:	Mean Swelling: <a href="#">44%</a> in thickness; <0.8% in width; <a href="#">40.4%</a> length Max. Swelling: <a href="#">55%</a> in thickness; <1.2% in width; <a href="#">40.4%</a> in length Water Absorption Mean: <a href="#">47%</a> Max.: <a href="#">49%</a> Max.: <a href="#">49%</a>							
						Fire Resistance		Standard Option		
							EN 13501-1:2018	Classification: D-s1, d0		
						Screw withdrawal	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 7.6 EN 13446:2002 EN15534-5:2014 Section 4.5.6			
Fungi Resistance Test	ISO 16869: 2008	Rating 1: The material is partially protected against fungal attack or generally not susceptible to such attack	Test conditions: 21 days, Humidity-85%RH, Temperature: 25°C					Withdrawal capacity: 27.5 N/mm²		
						Pull through resistance	EN 15534-1:2014 Section 7.7 EN 1383:2016 EN 15534-5:2014 Section 4.5.6	Pull through parameter: 16.6 N/mm	<sup>2</sup> Test screw of 7.5mm diameter head was used	
							Section 4.5.0		neuu was usea	