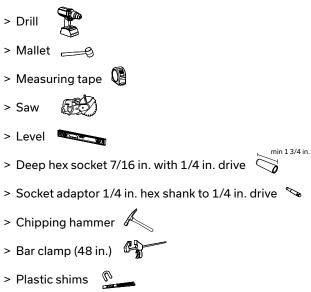
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REQUIRED TOOLS

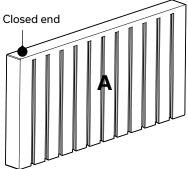


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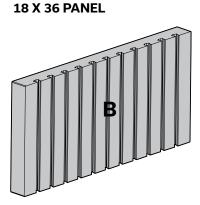
- > Safety boots
- > Gloves
- > Safety glasses
- > Mask

PARTS LIST - CONCRETE PANELS

18 X 36 PANEL -CLOSED END

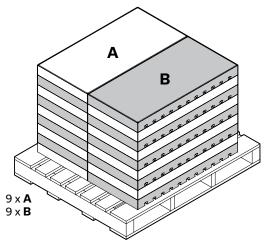


18 x 36 x 3 in. (150 lb) 457 x 914 x 76 mm (67 kg)



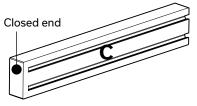
18 x 36 x 3 in. (148 lb) 457 x 914 x 76 mm (66 kg)

40 x 48 in. pallet (18 units/pallet)*

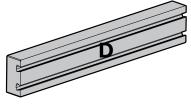


6 X 36 PANEL -CLOSED END

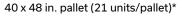


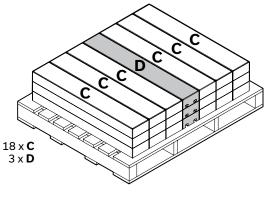


6 x 36 x 3 in. (49 lb) 152 x 914 x 76 mm (22 kg)



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* IMPORTANT: 18x36 in. panels are sold in pair/layer or in full pallet only. 6x36 in. panels are sold per unit or in layer or in full pallet.

PARTS LIST - HARDWARE (STAINLESS STEEL)

ANCHOR SLIDE 1/4 in. x 20 studs and nuts

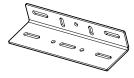
 $2 \times 1 \frac{1}{4} \times 20 \text{ study and huts}$ 2 x 1 1/4 x 1 in. - 51 x 33 x 25 mm 100 units/box



OUTER CORNER (can be sold separately) 4 x 4 x 2 1/2 in. - 101 x 101 x 63 mm 48 units/box



JOINING PLATE (can be sold separately) 8 1/4 x 2 1/2 x 1 1/2 in. - 209 x 63 x 38 mm 40 units/box

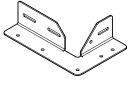


STRETCHER BAR (can be sold separately) 36 3/4 x 1 1/4 x 1 in. - 933 x 33 x 25 mm 10 units/box



INNER CORNER

(can be sold separately) 9 x 6 x 2 1/2 in. -232 x 155 x 63 mm 24 units/box



APPLICATIONS

PLANTER BOX/BENCH







RAISED GARDEN





OUTDOOR KITCHEN*





FOR MORE APPLICATIONS REFER TO THE ARTEX IDEA BOOK :

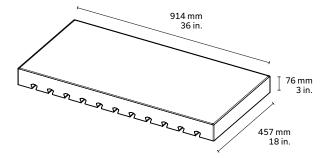


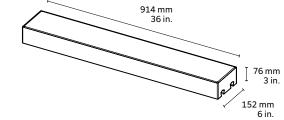
IMPORTANT: For all complementary appliances/accessories to the ARTEX panel system, follow manufacturer's instructions/guidelines. Consult qualified services person/ experts to validate installations, repairs, safety recommendations and any other related topics.

MODULARITY - SYSTEM

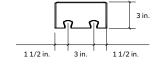
18 X 36 PANEL

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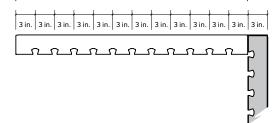


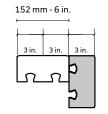


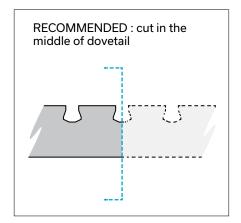


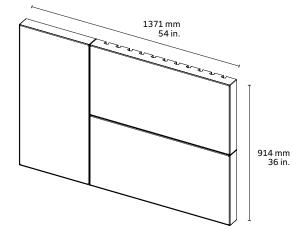


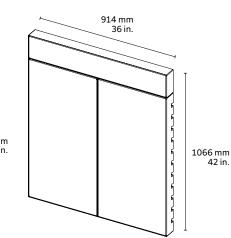
914 mm - 36 in.

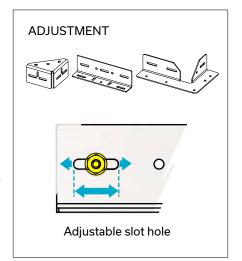










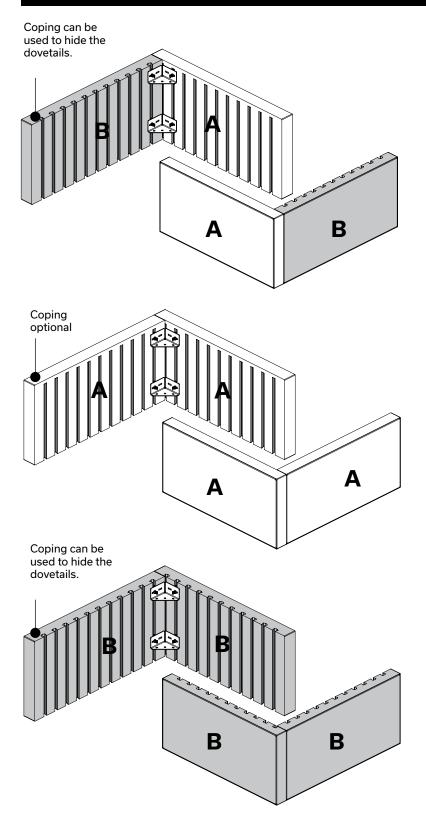


NOTE: It is recommended to design structures with overall dimensions using increments of 3 in. - 76mm.

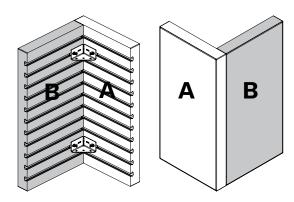


* Maximum height of 36 in. for planter box and 42 in. for outdoor living structure. Any higher structure must be designed by an engineer.

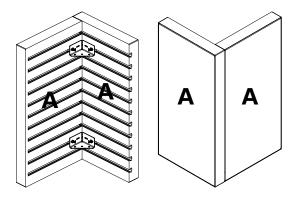
PANEL CONFIGURATIONS



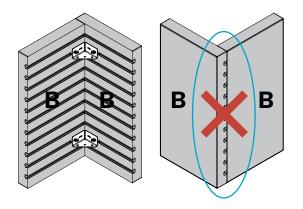
IDEAL: This configuration uses equal number of panel A and panel B.



NOT OPTIMAL: This configuration uses panel A only.



NOT OPTIMAL: This configuration uses panel B only and the dovetails are exposed. Use ideal configuration as shown above.

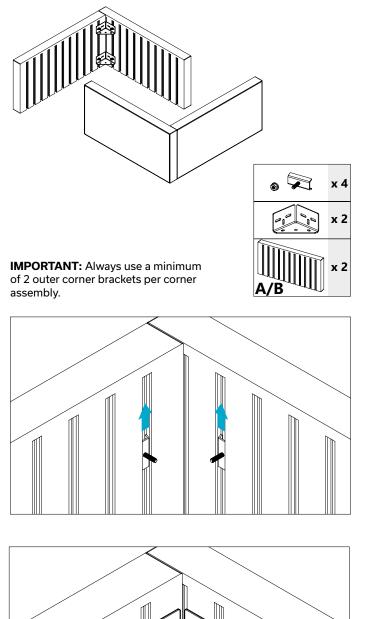


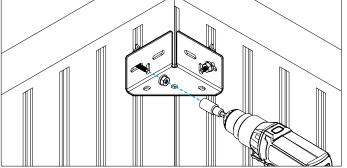
IMPORTANT: When planning configurations, consider the amount of panel A and panel B on a pallet. 18x36 in. panels are sold in pair/layer or in full pallet only. 6x36 in. panels are sold in layer or in full pallet only.

OUTER CORNER INSTALLATION

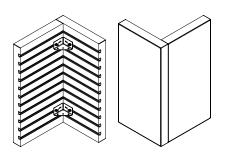
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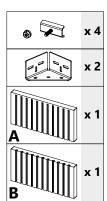
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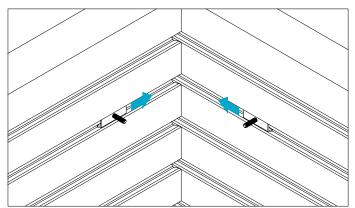


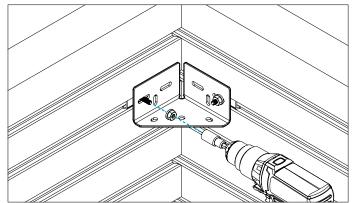
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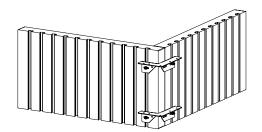


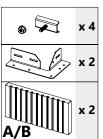
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INNER CORNER INSTALLATION

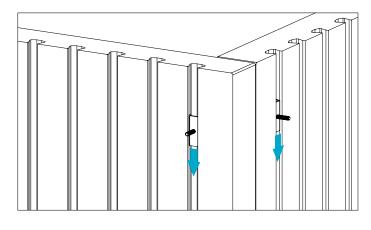
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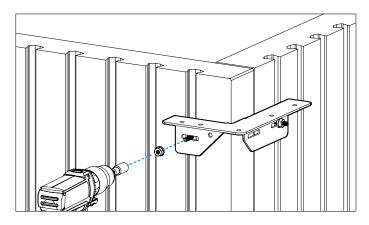
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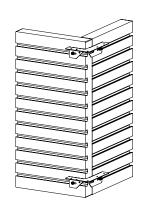


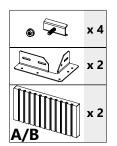


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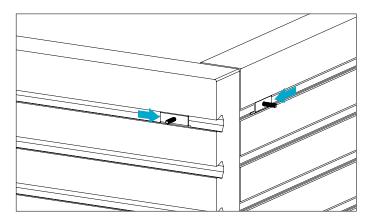


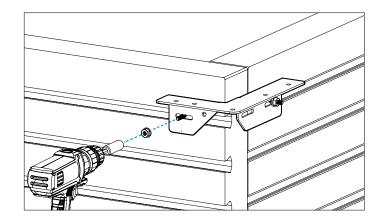






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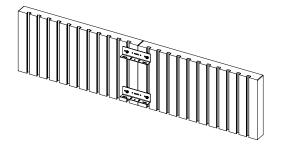


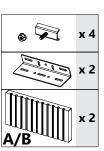


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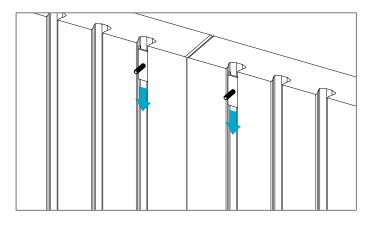
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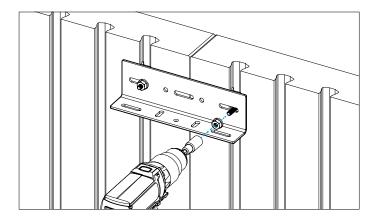
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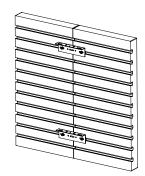


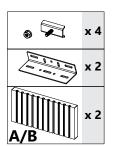
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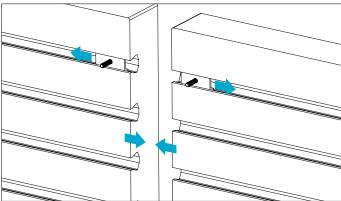


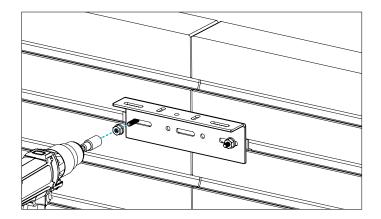
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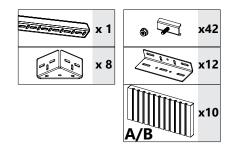


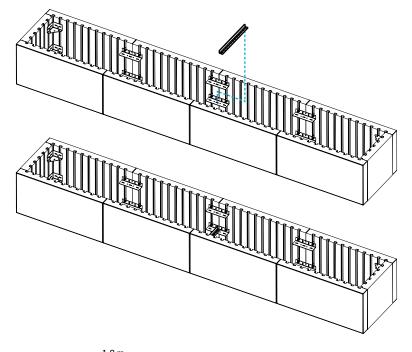


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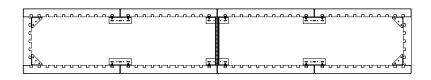
STRETCHER BAR INSTALLATION - HORIZONTAL

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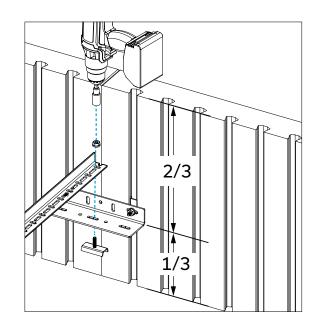


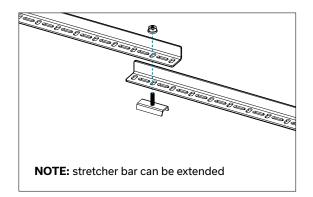
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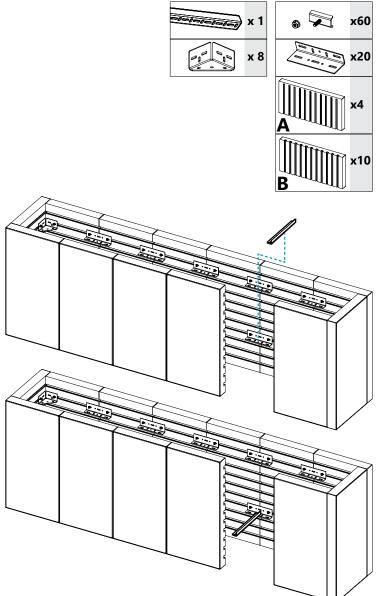
The stretcher bar must be cut to fit distance between 2 sets of panels.





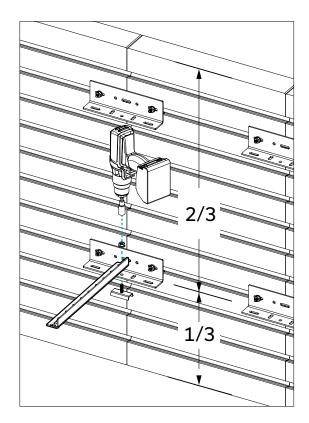
STRETCHER BAR INSTALLATION - VERTICAL

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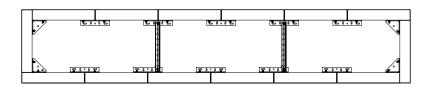


The stretcher bar keeps parallel 2 sets of panels facing each other. It is recommended to attach the stretcher bar to the joining plate every 3ft - 0.9m. Place it at approximately 1/3 of the total height from the bottom of assembly.

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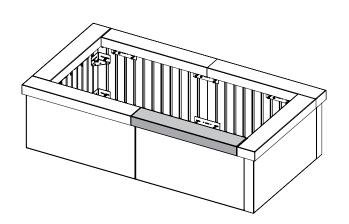
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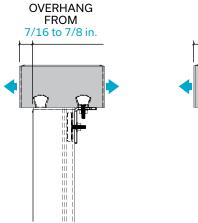


6 X 36 PANEL - COPING INSTALLATION (MECHANICALLY FIXED)

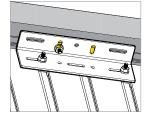
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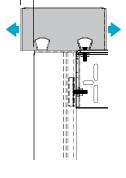
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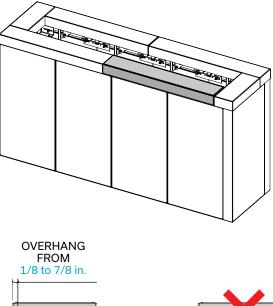
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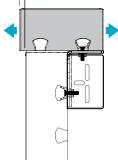
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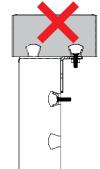


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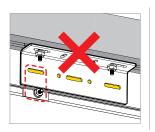


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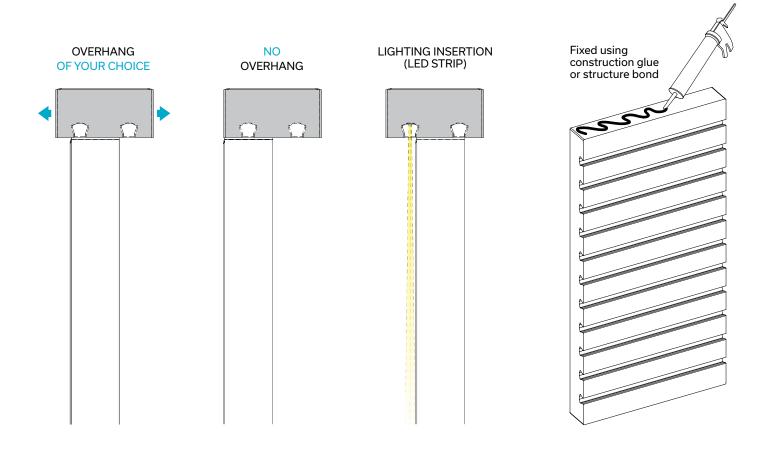


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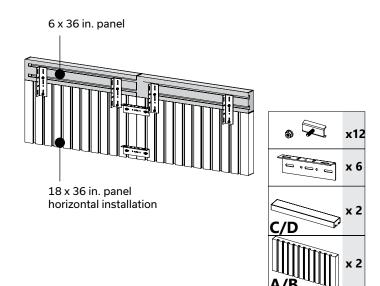
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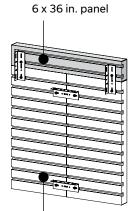


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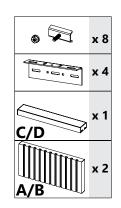
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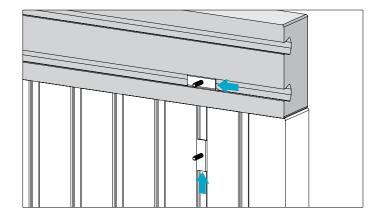
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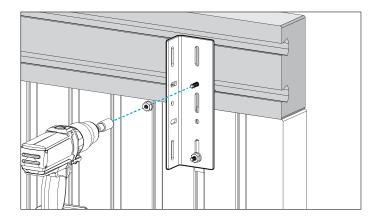


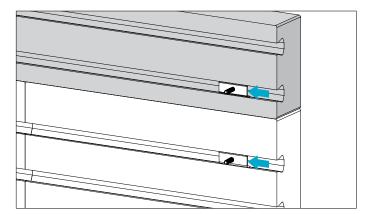


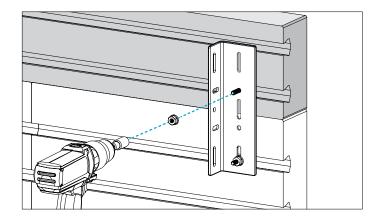
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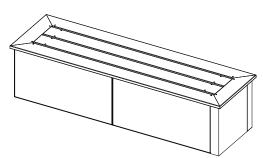


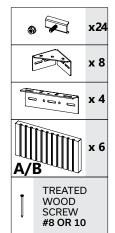


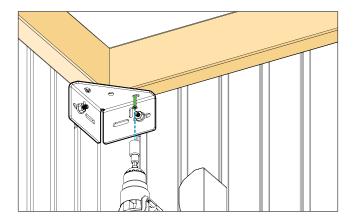


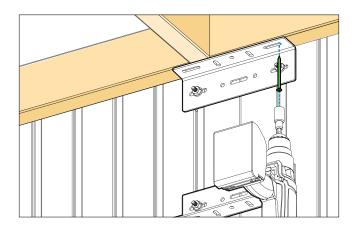
INTEGRATING WOOD

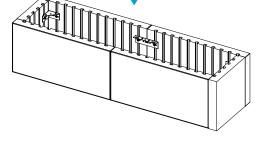
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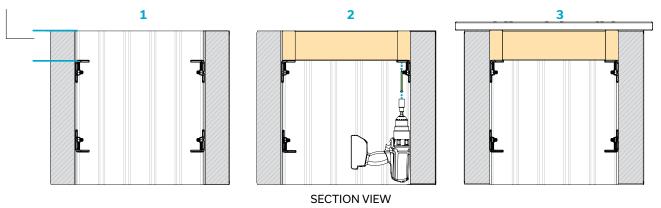








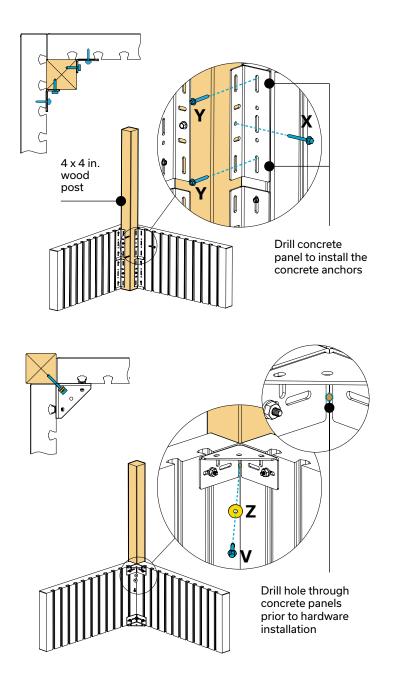
Install the hardware according to wood size



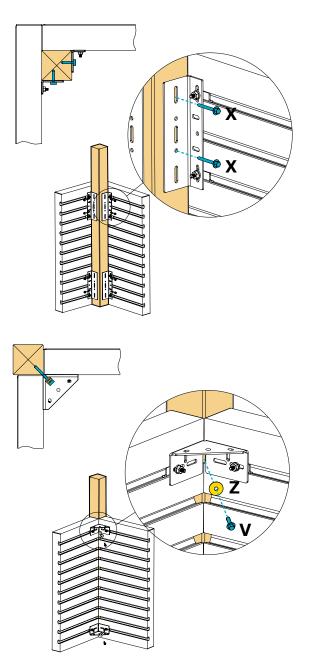
INTEGRATING 4 X 4 IN. WOOD POSTS

HORIZONTAL PANELS

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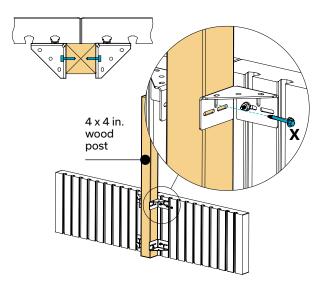


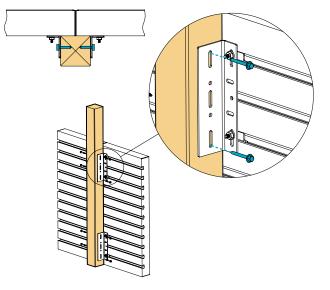
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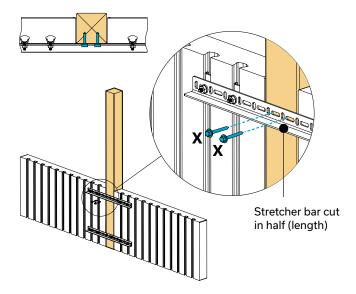
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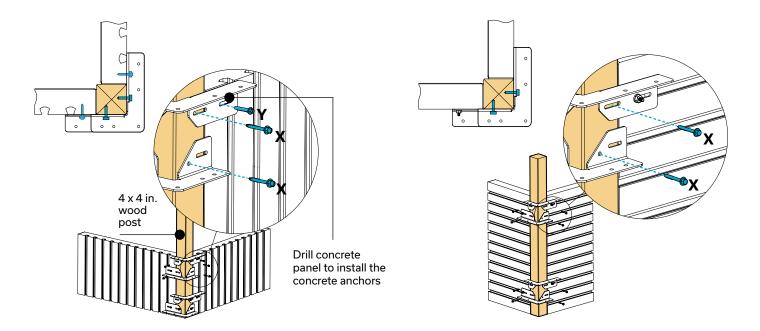
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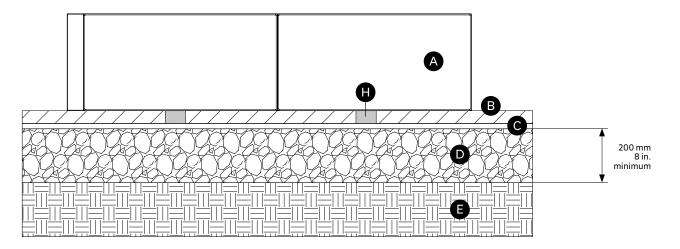


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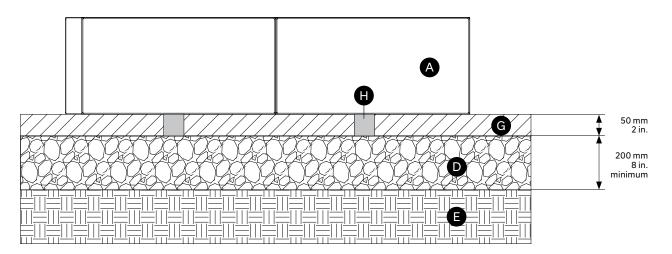
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BASE PREPARATION

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ON POURED CONCRETE FOUNDATION

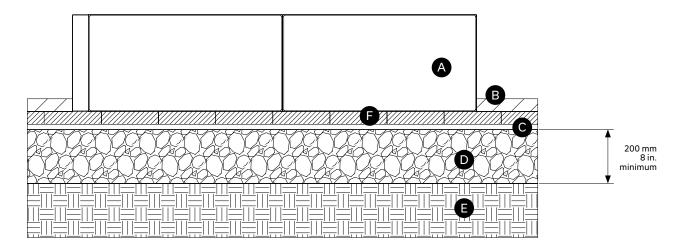


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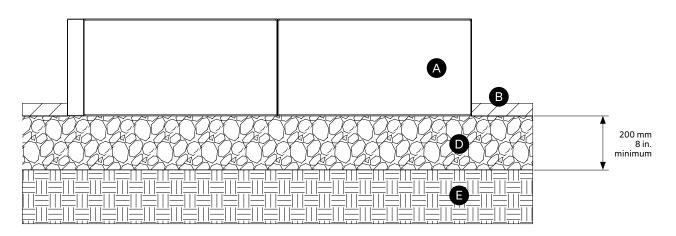
- A Artex panel
- B Slab or paver
- C bedding sand 1 in. 25 mm
- D Compacted aggregates 8 in. 200 mm minimum
- E Soil
- F Starter unit / slab or paver
- G Reinforced poured concrete foundation 2 in. 50 mm min.
- Opening for drainage

BASE PREPARATION - CONT'D

ON COMPACTED FOUNDATION USING STARTER UNIT



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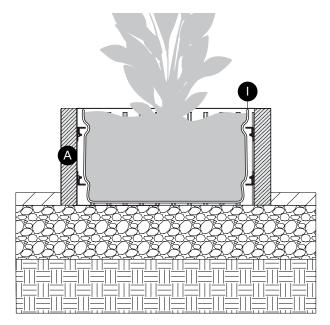
Artex panel

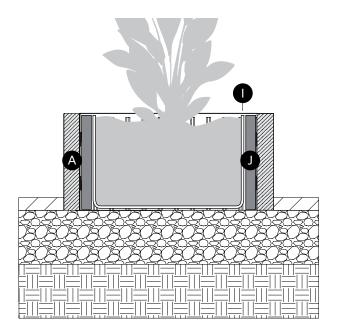
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PLANTER BOX DETAIL

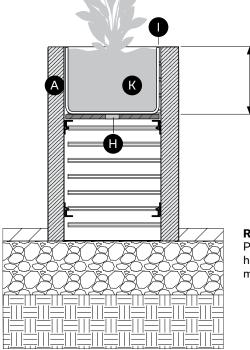
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RECOMMENDED:

Place insulated panels to protect plants from cold conditions.



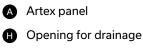
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305 mm 12 in.

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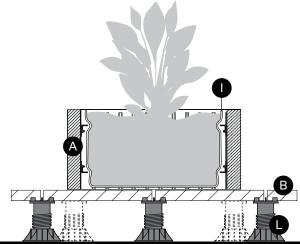
Place a cement board on top of the Artex hardware to reduce the amount of infill material.

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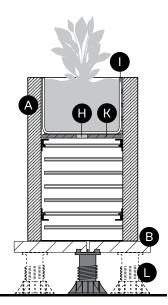


- Geotextile membrane
- Insulated panel
- K Structural water resistant panel

ROOFTOP APPLICATIONS

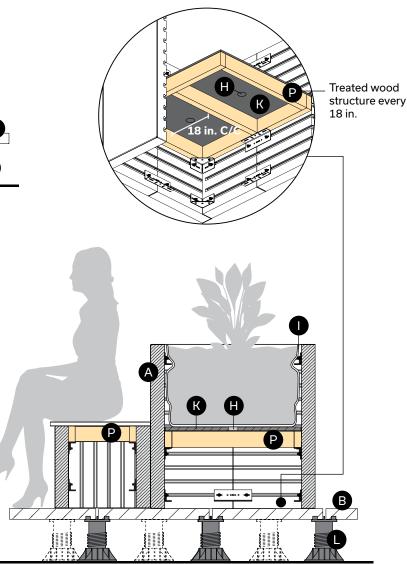


Planter box with horizontal panels sitting on slabs/tiles - section view

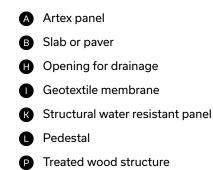


Planter box with vertical panels sitting on slabs/tiles - section view

IMPORTANT: Contact experts/engineers for proper staging on existing rooftop surfaces.



Planter box and bench sitting on slabs/tiles - section view



ROOFTOP APPLICATIONS - CONT'D

H Opening for drainage Geotextile membrane

Pedestal

Stretcher bar

Treated wood structure

Structural water resistant panel

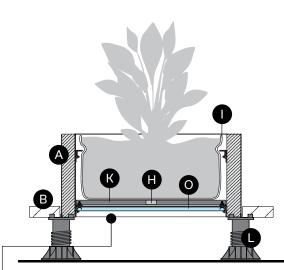
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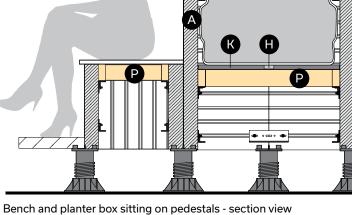
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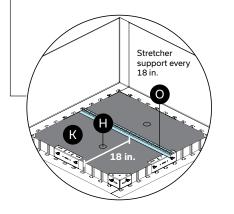
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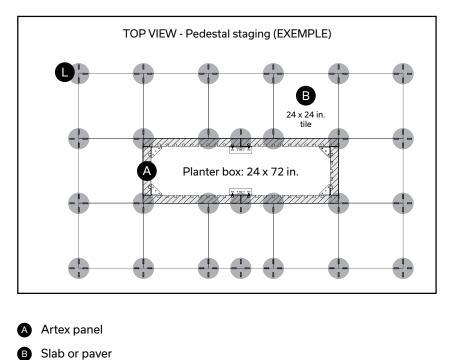




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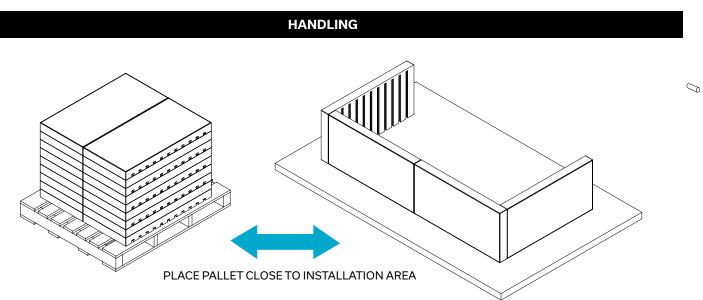
Planter box sitting on pedestals - section view





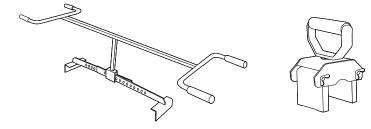
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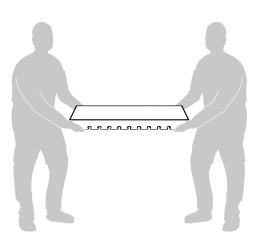




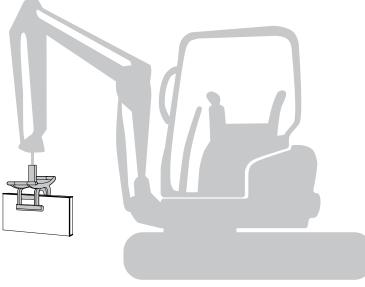
Use hand trolley if necessary



Recommended handling tools



Lift with two people



Use a mechanical lifting device

TIPS AND TRICKS



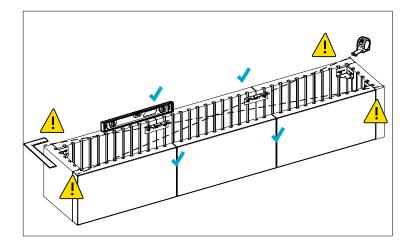
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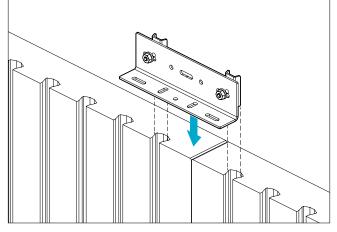
Ensure that all the panels are in place, levelled & aligned before fully tightening the hardware in the corners at the end of the installation.



GENERAL

Pre-assemble hardware to facilitate its installation. Ensure that all the panels are in place, levelled & aligned before fully tighten the hardware at the end of the installation.







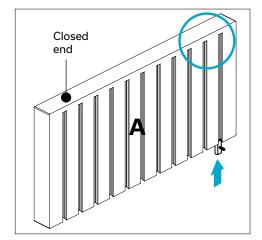
ANCHOR SLIDE

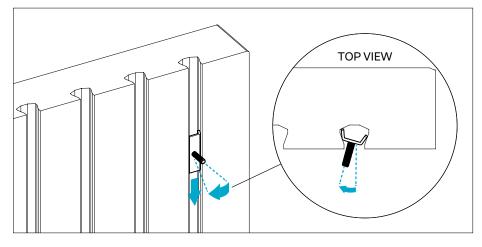
Insert anchor slides from the bottom of the closed end panel (panel A) prior to its assembly.



ANCHOR SLIDE

Insert the anchor slide. Lock it into place to prevent it from sliding down and to facilitate assembly.





TIPS AND TRICKS - SUITE



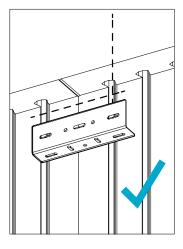
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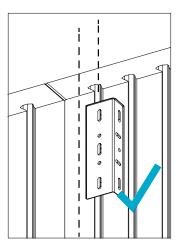
Use the larger tab of the joining plate when it is perpendicular or parallel to the dovetail slot.



JOINING PLATE

Only when the joining plate is perpendicular to the dovetail, the small tab can be used. Otherwise, the overlapping surface will be too narrow.

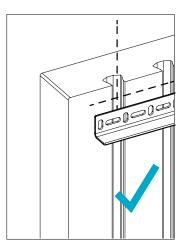


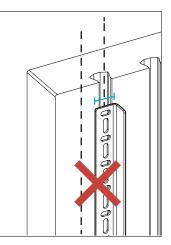


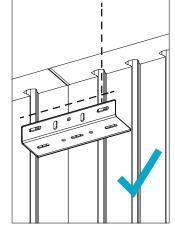


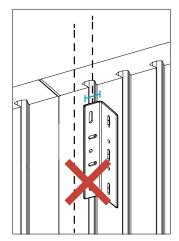
STRETCHER BAR

Use the stretcher bar when it is perpendicular to the dovetail. Otherwise, the overlapping surface will be too narrow.





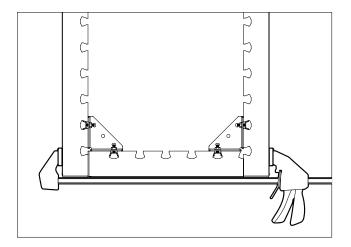






CLAMP

Use the bar clamp to keep the panels in place and to facilitate the hardware installation.



TIPS AND TRICKS - SUITE



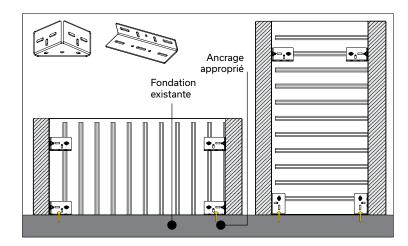
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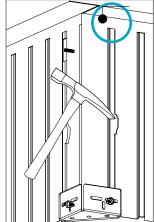
If required it is possible to secure the ARTEX structure to the existing base by placing the hardware against it. Contact ex-perts/engineers to validate the structure and any related matters.

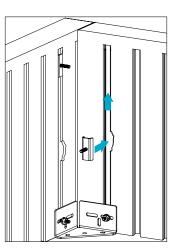


GENERAL

In the case you forgot to place the anchor slides when the closed end panels (panel A) have already been assembled, use a chipping hammer to break a small section of the dovetail slot to insert the anchor slide.









GENERAL

If the side to side panels have a different thickness, use plastic shims to align the front face.



GENERAL

If assembling the hardware on the side of the panel without dovetails, drill the panel and use a concrete screw anchor (Tapcon[®]).

NOTE: Y - Concrete screw anchor (Tapcon[®]) $1/4 \times 1 3/4$ in. or $3/16 \times 1 3/4$ in.

