

## Measuring for and fitting plinth.

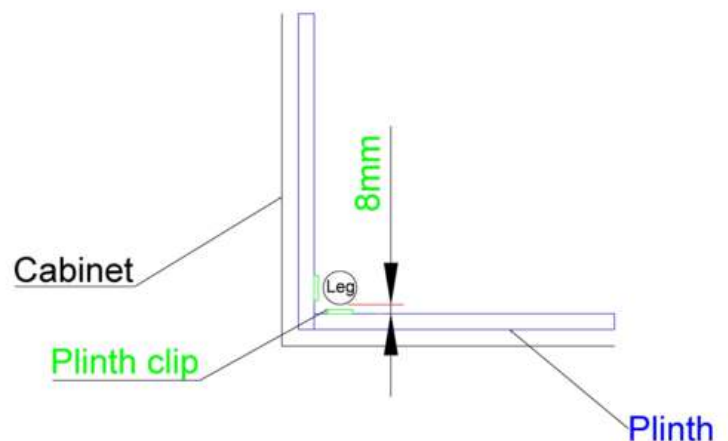
### Options

Plinths are the pieces which run along the bottom of the kitchen cupboard units. There are two main options available for plinth, thickness and the choice of either or both ends to be folded. These are purely aesthetic choices and will not affect the functionality of your plinths in any way, however you will need to ensure that any visible ends have a fold so that the mdf backing is not seen. The thickness chosen will however change the lengths you will need to order, which is explained in greater details in the next section. You can also finish with corner, inline and end trims, if you need a little leeway with your measurements. This also removes the need for any folded ends as all corners and joins will be covered by a trim.

### Measuring

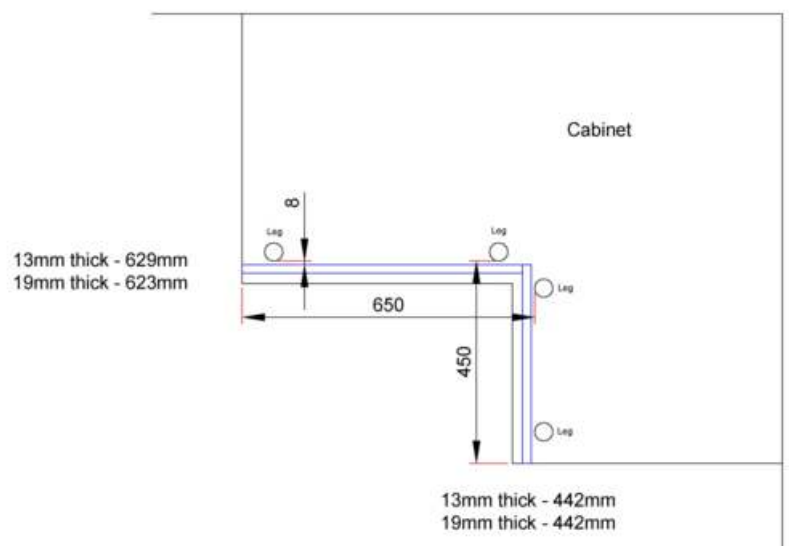
Flat sheet plinth is simply a stainless steel fascia for existing plinth, for this you just need to order to whatever dimensions are visible on your existing plinths. For backed plinth, measuring depends on the positioning of the legs from the edges of the cabinets as the plinth will attach to these legs using plinth clips.

Our plinth clips, as shown are 8mm from the front of the cabinet leg to the back of the plinth, If you do not use the plinth clips we supply, be sure to measure this distance on the clips BEFORE ordering



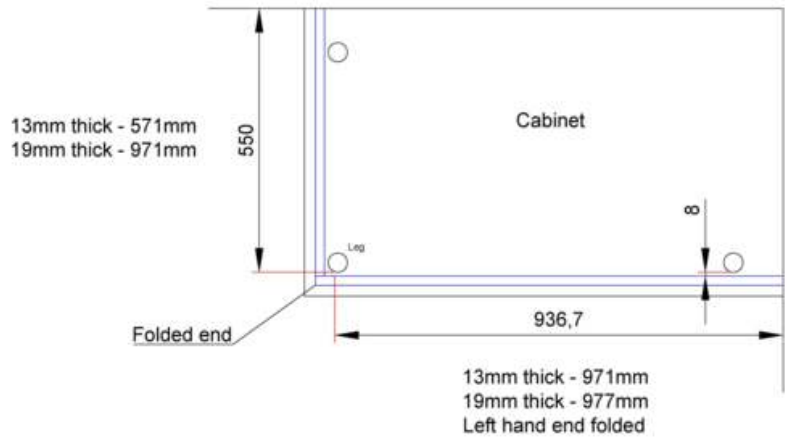
There are two types of corner – internal and external. For examples of both, see below. When measuring for plinth, always try to start from a wall or enclosed unit side. An example below show for both 13mm and 19mm plinth.

For an internal corner the first length needs to be ordered at the distance from the wall to the near perpendicular face off the opposite leg, LESS 8mm for the clips, LESS one thickness of the plinth. The second length needs to be ordered at the distance from the wall to the far perpendicular of the opposite leg. (See diagram opposite)



## Measuring continued.

For an external corner, the first length needs to be ordered at the distance from the wall to the far perpendicular face of the outer leg, PLUS 8mm for the clips. The second length needs to be ordered at a length equal to the distance of the wall to the far perpendicular face of the outer leg, PLUS 8mm for the clips, PLUS one thickness to bring it in line with the adjoining plinth. (See diagram opposite.)

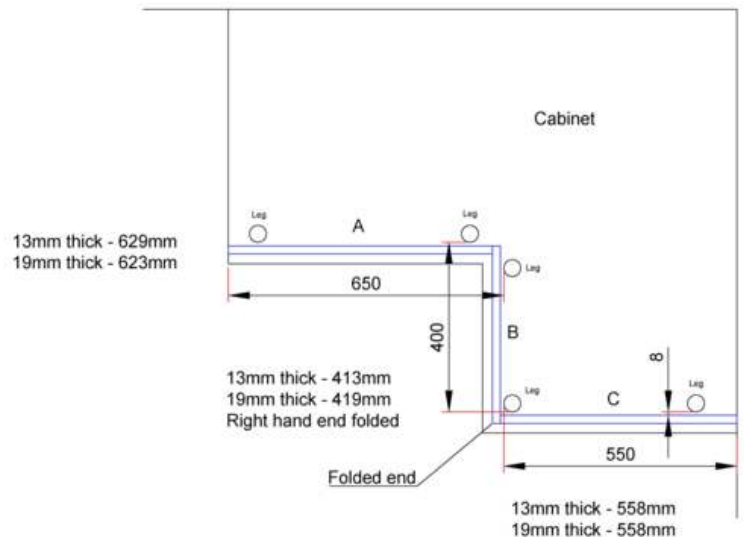


These rules can be combined, as shown below. When working as below, always start with a wall or enclosed cabinet edge and work left to right to avoid confusion.

**A** – This should be ordered at a length from the wall to the front of the leg shown, LESS 8mm for the clips, LESS one plinth thickness.

**B** – This should be ordered at a length from the rear of the upper leg shown to the front of the lower leg shown, PLUS 8mm for the clips, LESS one plinth thickness.

**C** – This should be ordered at a length from the leg front shown to the wall, PLUS 8mm for the clips.



If you wish to use corner trims, this will give you a little extra tolerance in the lengths you need to order. When using trims, you can deduct an extra 2mm for each trim to form a length. This means you can fit the plinths with a little space between them and cover these gaps with a trim. So, in the example above, you should deduct an extra 2mm from lengths **A** and **C** and 4mm from **B**.