

## **Working Tips**

| Technique            | Comment   |  |  |  |
|----------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Nails                | Our profiles can be nailed but experience has shown that it is advisable to pre-drill.  |  |  |  |
| Screws               | It is preferable to pre-drill the holes for the screws and to deepen the holes when using screws with a countersink head. If this is not done, the material around the screw head has a tendency to bulge slightly. This bulge can be removed with a sharp knife. |  |  |  |
| Construction Staples | Stapling is possible but we recommend against using stapling as a constructive connection.  |  |  |  |
| Bolts                | Bolts must have a clearance hole drilled that can accommodate the size of the bolt being used.  |  |  |  |
| Slits                | Slits can be made by drilling a number of holes next to each other and by removing the walls between drilled walls either by moving the drill sideways or by using a mill drill bit.  |  |  |  |
| Welding              | Our profiles are manufactured using mixed plastics that improve the structural performance of the material however welding has not been shown to produce.   |  |  |  |
| Gluing               | In general, gluing does not produce acceptable results therefore is not recommended.  |  |  |  |

|                        | Units       | Drilling | Circular Saw | Band Saw | Milling |
|------------------------|-------------|----------|--------------|----------|---------|
| Clearance angle        | degrees     | 10-12    | 10-15        | 30-40    | 5-15    |
| Cutting edge side rake | degrees     | 3-5      | O-15         | 0-5      | O-15    |
| Cutting speed          | m/minute    | 50-100   | <3000        | 50-1500  | <1000   |
| Tooth distance         | mm          | -        | >10          | >5       | -       |
| Nose angle             | degrees     | 60-90    | -            | -        | -       |
| Feed                   | mm/rotation | 0.2-0.5  | -            | -        | 0.1-0.5 |

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