

Heritage Furniture Bath Panels.

Thank you for selecting Heritage. Heritage bath panel are specifically designed to suit Heritage acrylic baths of the same size. All products must be thoroughly inspected prior to installation. Damaged goods cannot be replaced once installed, to ensure this product is installed correctly please read these instructions before you begin.

Before attempting to install any Heritage furniture always ensure the following:

- The product has been delivered complete.
- There are no concealed electrical cables , water or gas where you are drilling.
- Use safety equipment as necessary.
- A qualified fitter carries out the work.

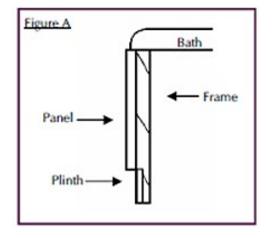
Choose an appropriate fixing for the particular installation into masonry, wood or for cavity walls (Not Supplied).

IMPORTANT

Should any cutting of the product be required i.e. to fit around the skirting or pipe work, this must be re-sealed with a suitable water resistant sealant to prevent possible water damage to the surface finish/product.

Installation.

- 1. Measure the height from the floor to the underside of the top lip at each end of the bath, this will give you the overall height that the panel & plinth should be.
- 2. Screw the plinth to the back panel (Fitting Not Provided) to correspond with the height previously measured. Note the part of the plinth in contact with the floor should be the veneered edge.
- 3. Then using standard timber, erect a framework around the bath to which the panel can be fixed. The frame should be set back approximately 5mm from the front edge of the bath & a notch should be cut in the frame to allow for the plinth (See Fig A).
- 4. If you are also fitting an end panel, screw the panel & plinth assemblies together using two blocks.
- 5. You can now fit your bath panel to the frame using a suitable method (See suggestions below). It may be necessary to cut the panel to fit either length or around any pipe work. If this is the case, please be carefull not to damage the product when cutting & seal any areas where water could penetrate with a suitable sealant.
- 6. Your bath panel can be fixed in a number of ways. Heritage suggests you fix the panel to your frame by either screwing through the front panel into the frame with decorative screws or using magnetic or spring catches, both of which can be purchased from any DIY store.
- 7. NOTE: you must allow access to the waste & taps for servicing. It is also advisable to apply a bead of sealant around the joint where the bath meets the top edge of the panel.







Caring for your furniture

All our products are finished with durable lacquers and paints, which are designed to be resistant to liquids, staining and warm objects. In order to ensure that your newly purchased Heritage furniture maintains its finish for many years to come, we advise that you take note of the following, please see aftercare instructions.

Element	For Your Guidance
Environmental Humidity	As part of your new bathroom installation & to ensure the protection of your Heritage furniture from moisture ingress arising from humidity/dampness levels, we recommend that a suitable extraction unit be installed. As the room size & general use (shower frequency etc.) of bathrooms vary from household to household, your retailer or installer will be best placed to advice on the type & specification, which will most suit your space & usage.
Water spillage/overspray/tap/ Pipe/joint leakage	Although all Heritage furniture is designed & manufactured to provide a water resistant coating, this does not mean that the furniture is waterproof. Therefore, we strongly advise that any water spillage and/or overspray does not sit for a prolonged period of time & is quickly wiped away in order to prevent any permanent damage. Additional care to maintain component edges i.e worktops & doors must be carried out as these areas may be susceptible to moisture dwell. Should damage occur as a result of this or leakage, contact your retailer as it may be possible to repair the product with spare parts*, or in extreme case the product may need to be replaced*.
Cabinet Cleaning	Occasionally wipe the surface with a soft, damp cloth & dry with a soft dry cloth. Do not use any abrasive cleaning agents or materials.
Metal work cleaning	Clean the door handles & rails with a soft damp cloth & dry with a soft dry cloth. Do not use metal polishes or abrasives, which will damage the finish.
Hot objects	Do not apply heat directly to any surface
Cosmetics	Whilst all furniture is designed, manufacture & independently tested to provide a durable coating, cosmetics (such as lipstick & hair dye) should be used with care as damage to the surface coating may occur.



Characteristics of Furniture.

Great care has been taken to ensure your product meets with your expectations from the point of selection to completion of installation & for the years following. There are however, some inherent chrematistics with furniture that should be considered, please take note of the points detailed below.

Furniture/construction Characteristics for your guidance	
Door(s) sticking during operation	When a door is hung on a cabinet there is a period where the natural settling of the door may case it to stick, should this be the case, slight adjustment of the hinge will correct this, if not check the unit has not been twisted out of square during installation. Alternatively contact our Technical Support Team.
Colour (timber products only)	Out manufacturing process selects, grades & colour matches timbers & veneers, & the characteristics in the grain will never be quite the same between two pieces. This may appear as colour variation as they mature in colour under normal lighting conditions, sunlight will accurate this process. If in direct sunlight, marking may occur should anything obscure the sun from the surface.



Guarantee.

All products are manufactured to the highest standards and a 5-year guarantee covers any defect in manufacture.

Contact Details.

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