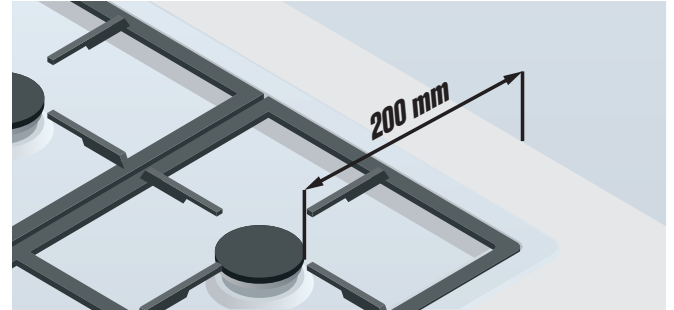
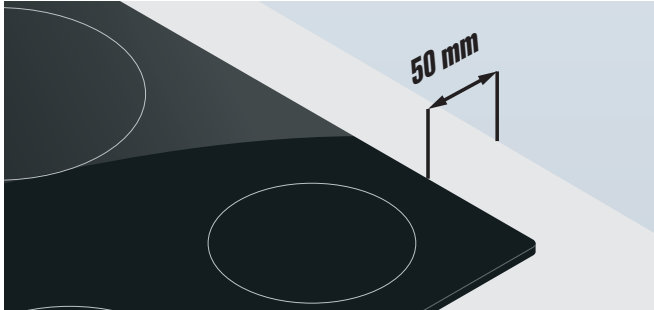


Corian® Splashbacks & Cooktop Installation Guide



Electric and Induction Cooktops

For electric and induction cooktops, a minimum 50mm clearance from the back edge of the cooktop to a Corian® splashback is required.

Gas Cooktops

For gas cooktops, a minimum of 200mm clearance from the periphery of the gas burner to a Corian® splashback is required. This is a requirement as set out in the Australian Standard for Gas Installations, AS5601.

Installation Guidelines

- Timber framed wall construction should use fibre cement sheeting behind a Corian® splashback
- Brick wall construction should use cement based render behind a Corian® splashback.

Please ensure you follow the appropriate building codes and Australian standards in regard to clearances especially behind cook tops, eg:

- AS5601 - 2004 Gas Installations
- AS/NZS 4386.2:1996 Domestic Kitchen Assemblies - Installation as well as cooktop and appliance manufacturers specific installation guidelines.



Cut outs for items such as powerpoints should be pre-routed by your Corian® fabricator to ensure they have radius internal corners.

Items such as utensil racks can be fixed to a Corian® splashback. Fixing holes should be drilled using a tungsten tipped drill bit. Use plastic wall plugs and stainless steel screws. If the holes are located close to a corner, leave at least 50mm distance between the hole and the edges.