aCapella **SlatWorks**
Direct Mount (SWC) - Ceiling Installation

APPLICATION:

Installing SlatWorks panels directly to a drywall ceiling.

TOOLS NEEDED:

Utility Knife, Straight Edge, Drill, #6 x 1 5/8" sharp point drywall screws (by others)

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Lay-out placement of panels on the ceiling.

2. Align panel with location lines/dimensions. Be careful to support entire panel until fully fastened to the ceiling.

3. Install panel direct to drywall ceiling using #6 x 1 5/8" black drywall screws through the Backing of the aCapella SlatWorks panel into appropriate structure. Locate screws 9" on-center across width of panel. Attach screws between raised Slates. Be careful to support SlatWorks panel until fully fastened to ceiling.

   Note: If unable to fasten to appropriate structure, use a hollow wall/ceiling anchor or pre-install 2" wide furring strips to ceiling at 24" on center.

   Note: For base layers other than black, paint screw heads to match. (color match paint by others)

4. Cut and fit perimeter pieces using a utility knife and straight edge as required.

   Note: Due to inconsistencies in the aCapella core thickness, some shimming may be required to align the panels edges.

HANDLING AND STORAGE

aCapella panels must be stored indoor in a dry, climate controlled environment at all times. Exposure to moisture, excessive heat or humidity can cause panels to warp and/or stain.

Panels should be stored in a flat, fully supported, horizontal position and NOT on edge. It is recommended that 2 people carry each panel. Panel should be carried on edge, being careful not to bend panel at any time. Clean white gloves are also recommended when handling aCapella panels.

9" max

24" max

Stud framing above

#6 x 1 5/8" finish screws (black)

9" max

Locate screws between raised slates

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