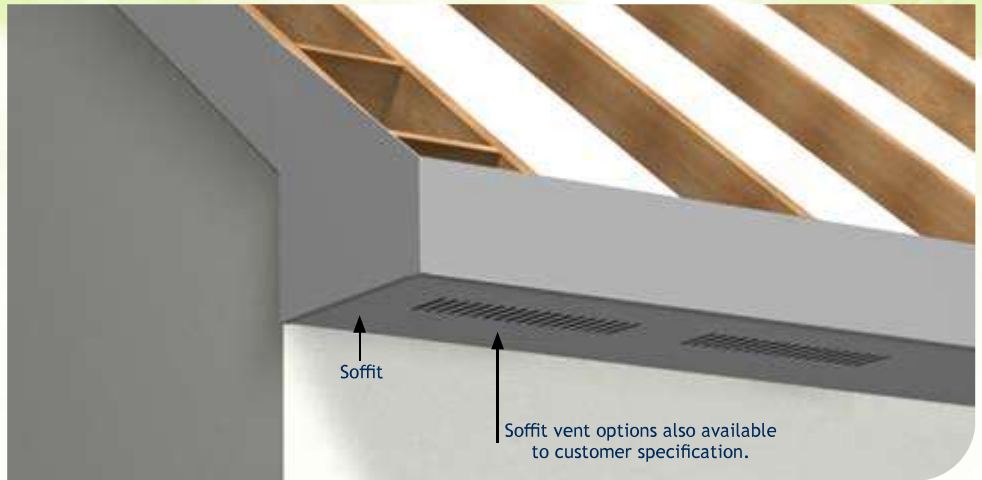
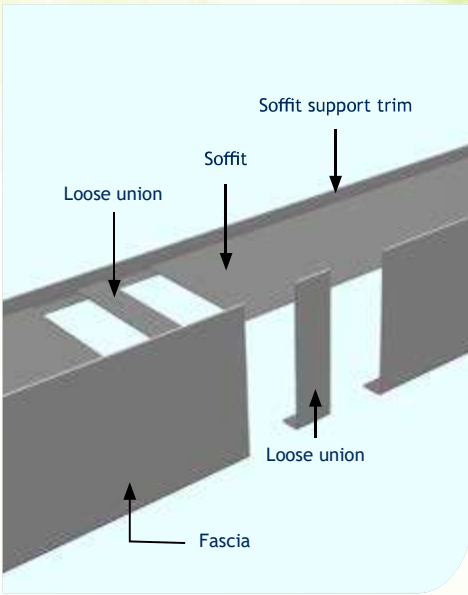


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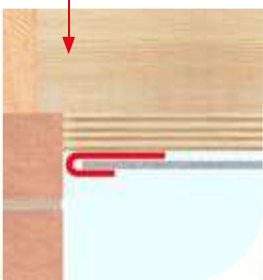


1. The installation of the soffit will vary based on the application and soffit type. Typically on a domestic application, the soffit panel consists of a flat aluminium profile (SOF0) and is installed prior to fascia installation.

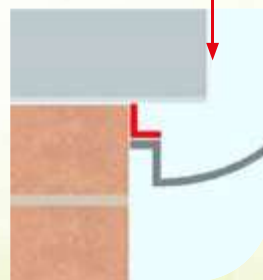


2. On larger schemes, where the soffit has a greater overhang, this typically requires a soffit plank that has secret fixings (SOF7) to give a clean unobtrusive design.

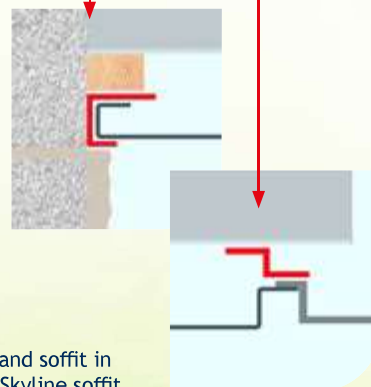
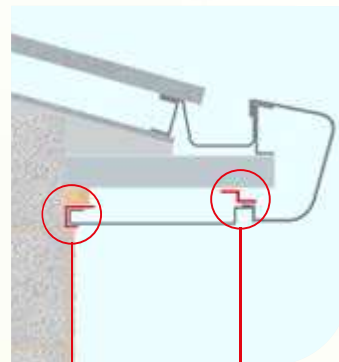
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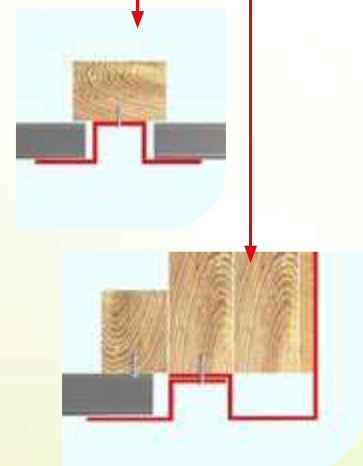
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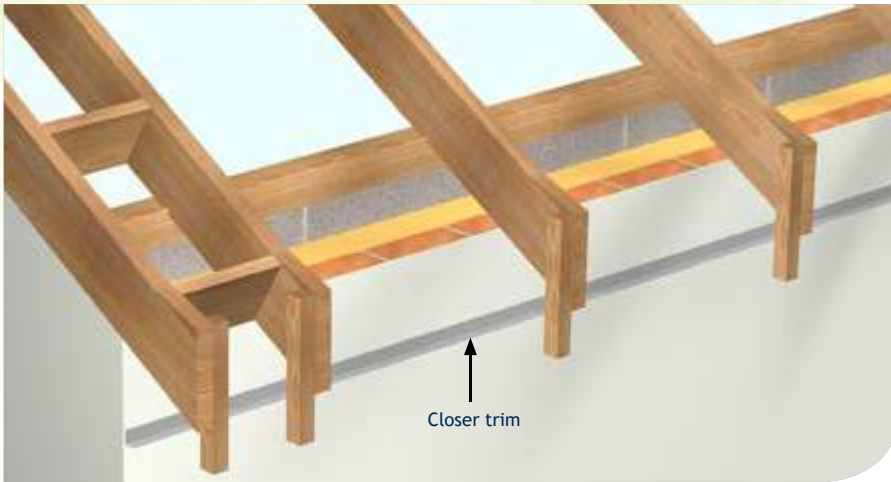
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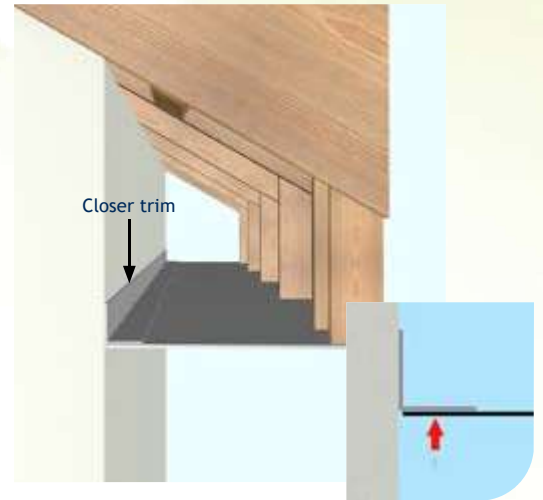
Corner and jointer trim



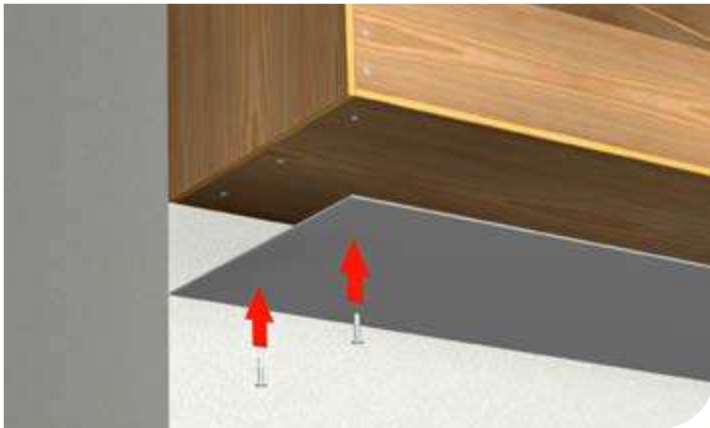
3. Closer trims may be required at the interface between the wall and soffit in applications where there is no plywood soffit board to which the Skyline soffit can be fixed. A selection of closer trims is available for such applications. For complex soffit detailing, closer trims can be purpose made to suit.



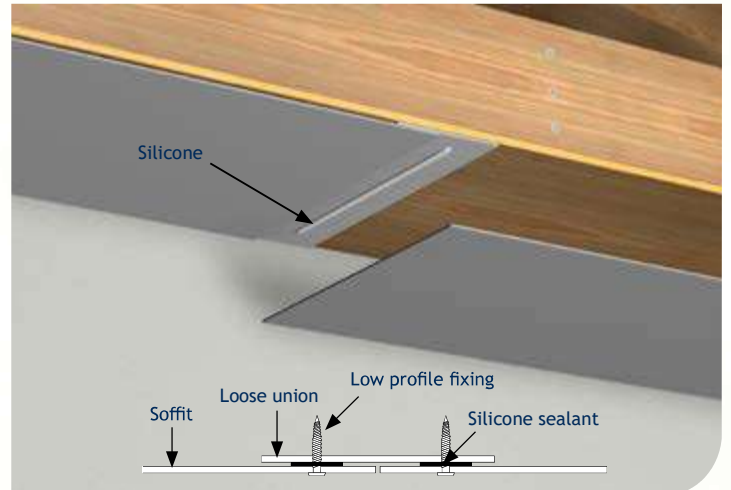
4. In applications where a closer trim is necessary, fix the trim securely to the wall at the point corresponding to the finished soffit level. Take care to use fixings appropriate to the wall substrate.



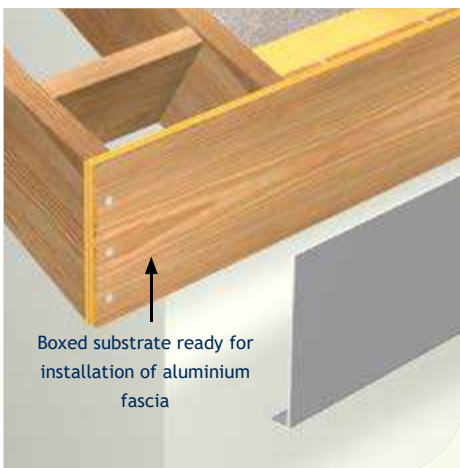
5. When fixing soffit to a closer trim, use high quality low profile 4.9 to 5.5 x 35mm stainless-steel fixings with washer.



6. If fixing onto solid boxed substrate, use good quality sherardised/cadmium plated screws, typically No12 x 38mm roundhead woodscrews or 4.9 to 5.5 x 35mm stainless-steel fixings with washer through oversized (8mm) or slotted holes (11 x 7mm) to allow for thermal movement and expansion. Generally, fix at maximum 600mm centres to substrate.



7. Proceed with overlaying the soffit lengths in sequence, taking care at each joint to leave an expansion gap. Use the loose union provided at each joint, applying a bead of silicone sealant before fixing.



8. Once soffit is installed, proceed with installation of fascia. Please refer to Skyline Fascia Installation Guide.