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Timber Moulding Profiles and Size Chart Handbook



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Introduction

This comprehensive moulding profile guide and moulding size chart has been created to simplify the selection of timber moulding profiles in Australia for designers, architects, builders, and homeowners. Whether you're specifying products for a new build, planning a heritage restoration, or renovating your home, this technical guide provides the specifications and visual references you need to make informed decisions.

Why Profile Selection Matters

Choosing the correct moulding profile and size early in the design process is essential for achieving visually balanced, architecturally appropriate interiors. The right proportions enhance room aesthetics, complement ceiling heights, and ensure your design intent is realised. Incorrect sizing can create visual discord between architectural elements.

Who This Guide Is For**Designers & Architects**

Specification support with technical data and product codes.

Builders & Project Managers

Quick reference for material ordering.

Homeowners & Renovators

Visual guidance for DIY projects and contractor discussions.

How to Use This Chart

- 1. Identify Your Category** – Determine your requirements - do you need skirting boards, architraves, cornices, or decorative trims?
- 2. Review Profile Options** – Browse visual profiles and style recommendations for each category.
- 3. Check Size Recommendations** – Match profile heights to your ceiling dimensions using our comparison charts.
- 4. Select Material** – Choose timber type appropriate for your application (pine, hardwood, or polyurethane).
- 5. Note Product Codes** – Record profile codes (e.g., SK767) for accurate quoting and ordering.
- 6. Request a Quote or Order** – Use our contact information to proceed with your project

All Intrim mouldings comply with relevant Australian standards and the National Construction Code administered by the [Australian Building Codes Board](#) (ABCB).

Main Moulding Categories

Understanding moulding categories helps you select the right product for each application.

Skirting Boards



- Function:** Installed at the wall-to-floor junction throughout interior spaces
- Purpose:**
- ◆ Protects wall base from furniture impacts, vacuum cleaners, and foot traffic
 - ◆ Conceals flooring expansion gaps required for timber and laminate installations
 - ◆ Provides a decorative finish that defines room proportions
 - ◆ Creates a smooth visual transition between wall and floor surfaces

Typical Heights:
135mm to 285mm
(scale to ceiling height)

Standard Length:
5.4m ea (FJ Pine) |
5.1m ea (Polyurethane)

Thickness:
18mm standard,
25mm available in
selected profiles

Applications:
All interior rooms,
hallways, residential
& commercial spaces,
heritage restorations

Architraves



- Function:** Frames doors, windows, and architectural openings
- Purpose:**
- ◆ Conceals the gap between the door/window frame and the wall lining
 - ◆ Adds decorative detail that enhances architectural character
 - ◆ Defines openings with visual emphasis and proportion
 - ◆ Protects plaster edges from damage during daily use

Typical Widths:
90mm to 135mm
(coordinate with skirting size)

Standard Length:
5.4m ea

Thickness:
18mm standard,
custom thicknesses
available

Applications:
Doors, windows, arched
openings, feature portals,
internal doorways

Installation note: Architraves on doors run to the floor with skirting boards butting into architrave sides. Alternatively, skirting blocks can be used at junctions.

Crown Mouldings



Function: Decorative moulding at wall-ceiling junction

- Purpose:**
- ◆ Creates an elegant transition between the wall and ceiling planes
 - ◆ Conceals plaster joints and imperfections at the ceiling line
 - ◆ Adds architectural detail and visual interest to rooms
 - ◆ Enhances period character in heritage and traditional homes

Typical Sizes:
64-206mm

Applications:
Living rooms, dining rooms, bedrooms, hallways, heritage homes, coffered ceilings, luxury developments, commercial hospitality

Style notes: Particularly important in Georgian, Victorian, Federation, and French Provincial interiors, where ornate ceiling details are architectural features.

Know your mouldings



Skirting Board Profiles

Popular Skirting Profiles

All profiles are available in multiple heights and come in a standard length of 5.4m.



Intrim SK945B Skirting – Traditional Elegance

Character: Detailed traditional curves with balanced proportions

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ French-inspired estates
- ◆ Classic Hamptons homes
- ◆ Luxury residential
- ◆ Period-appropriate restorations

Profile Code: SK945B



Intrim SK1006 Skirting – Modern Farmhouse

Character: Detailed top section with refined contemporary lines

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm 🌟 Most popular
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ Farmhouse style renovations
- ◆ Contemporary French-inspired homes
- ◆ Coastal properties with modern edge
- ◆ Design-focused new builds

Profile Code: SK1006



Intrim SK460 Skirting – Classic Hamptons

Character: Ornate traditional profile with multiple elegant curves

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ Hamptons-inspired homes
- ◆ High-end residential developments
- ◆ Traditional family homes

Profile Code: SK460



Intrim SK1474 Skirting – Modern Contemporary

Character: Clean minimalist profile with subtle top detailing

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ Contemporary architectural homes
- ◆ Modern coastal developments
- ◆ Minimalist apartment fit-outs
- ◆ Open-plan living spaces

Profile Code: SK1474



Intrim SK52 Skirting – Coastal

Character: Simple, clean-lined profile

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ Contemporary interiors
- ◆ Modern coastal homes
- ◆ Scandi-inspired design
- ◆ Soft minimalist look

Profile Code: SK52



Intrim SK767 Skirting – French Provincial

Character: High, rounded profile with elegant traditional curves

Popular Sizes:

135mm × 18mm	185mm × 18mm 🌟 Most popular
230mm × 18mm	285mm × 18mm

Typical Uses:

- ◆ French-inspired interiors
- ◆ Hamptons-style homes
- ◆ Traditional family homes
- ◆ Heritage property renovations

Profile Code: SK767



Intrim SK551 Skirting – Art Deco

Character: A bold, decorative profile with timeless appeal

Popular Sizes:

185mm × 25mm	230mm × 25mm
285mm × 25mm	

Typical Uses:

- ◆ Modern Contemporary homes
- ◆ Modern Coastal interiors
- ◆ Modern Farmhouse style

Profile Code: SK551

Architrave Profiles

Popular Modern Architrave Profiles

All profiles are designed to coordinate with skirting boards. Typically ordered in smaller widths than the matching skirting. Available in standard lengths of 5.4m.

Matching Architrave Moulding Profiles



Intrim SK767 Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK767 skirting in any height

Recommended Combination: 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave.



Intrim SK1006 Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK1006 skirting

Recommended Combination: 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave



Intrim SK460 Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK460 skirting

Recommended Combination: 185mm + 90mm architrave (for standard ceiling heights) or 230mm skirting + 115mm architrave (for higher ceilings)



Intrim SK1474 Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK1474 skirting

Recommended Combination: 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave



Intrim SK945B Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK945B skirting

Recommended Combination: 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave



Intrim SK552 Architrave

Popular Sizes: 90mm, 115mm

Pairs with: SK551 skirting

Recommended Combination: 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave

Curved Architraves

Custom Manufacturing Available

Intrim manufactures curved architraves to your exact specifications for:

- ◆ Arched doorways, passages, and windows
- ◆ Porthole windows
- ◆ Elliptical window features
- ◆ Grand entrance halls

Installation guide: Download our comprehensive curved architrave installation manual at intrimmouldings.com.au/resources

Other Moulding Profiles

Decorative Moulding Profiles

Profile	Purpose	Applications
Chair/Dado Rail A wall-mounted horizontal moulding, typically 900-1200mm from the floor	Decorative feature, protects walls from chair backs	Dining rooms, hallways, wainscoting systems
Inlay Mould Flat decorative trim for panel edges	Wainscoting panel borders, wall features	Wall panelling systems, decorative battening
Half Round Moulding	Semi-circular profile in various sizes	Decorative wall detailing, wainscoting
Concave Moulding	Curved inward profile	Decorative feature walls

Moulding Size Comparison Charts

Skirting Board Sizes, Architrave Sizes & Height Recommendations

Choose skirting and architrave heights proportional to ceiling height for balanced interiors.

Ceiling Height	Recommended Skirting	Recommended Architrave	Visual Effect
2400-2500mm	135mm	90mm	Balanced, standard
2501-2700mm	185mm	90mm	Balanced, generous
2701-3000mm	230mm	115mm	Dramatic, premium
3001mm+	285mm+	115mm+	Grand, statement

Most Common Australian Combination: 135mm skirting + 90mm architrave (2.4m ceilings)

Thickness Options

Material	Standard Thickness	Premium Thickness
FJ Pine	18mm	25mm (selected range)
American Oak	18mm	25mm
Polyurethane	18-24mm	-

Timber & Material Options

Primed FJ Pine (Finger-Jointed Pine)

Premium pine timber with invisible finger joints for long, stable lengths



Advantages:

- ◆ Superior durability and longevity
- ◆ Excellent moisture resistance
- ◆ Strong nail and screw holding power
- ◆ Responsibly sourced Radiata pine
- ◆ Accepts paint beautifully
- ◆ Less prone to warping than MDF

Best Applications:

- ◆ All interior applications
- ◆ High-traffic areas
- ◆ Moisture-prone rooms (laundries, bathrooms)
- ◆ Brick wall installations (superior fixing)
- ◆ Heritage restorations

Standard Length:

5.4 metres

Availability:

All profiles, all sizes

Flexible Polyurethane

Lightweight, flexible material specifically for curved applications



Advantages:

- ◆ Bends to a 400mm radius minimum
- ◆ Moisture and humidity resistant
- ◆ Lightweight for easier installation
- ◆ Reduces visible joins on curves
- ◆ Consistent profile detail

Best Applications:

- ◆ Curved walls and feature walls
- ◆ Arched openings
- ◆ Circular rooms

Standard Length:

5.1 metres

Availability:

Selected popular profiles in sizes 66mm and above

American Oak

A rich and traditional timber species



Advantages:

- ◆ Premium natural timber character
- ◆ Exceptional durability
- ◆ Rich grain patterns
- ◆ Beautiful stained finishes
- ◆ Long-term value

Best Applications:

- ◆ Feature installations
- ◆ Stained timber showcases
- ◆ High-end residential
- ◆ Commercial
- ◆ Heritage accuracy

Standard Length:

This product comes in random lengths. A surcharge applies if you require set lengths.

Availability:

Selected profiles, custom orders

Moulding Selection Guide

Step-by-Step Moulding Checklist

Follow this systematic process for successful moulding selection:

STEP 01 Identify Moulding Category

Determine primary products needed:

- ◆ Skirting boards (wall-floor junction)
- ◆ Architraves (doors and windows)
- ◆ Crown Mouldings (ceiling details)
- ◆ Decorative mouldings (dado/chair rails, picture rails)

STEP 02 Measure Ceiling Height

Record ceiling heights in each area:

- ◆ 2.4-2.5m → Specify 135mm skirting
- ◆ 2.5-2.7m → Specify 185mm skirting
- ◆ 2.7-3.0m → Specify 230mm skirting
- ◆ 3.0m+ → Specify 285mm skirting

Note: Ceiling height is the primary determinant of appropriate skirting size.

STEP 03 Choose Profile Style

Match profile to interior design style:

- ◆ Hamptons → SK767, SK460, SK945B
- ◆ Minimalist/Modern Contemporary → SK1474, SK52, SK50
- ◆ French Provincial → SK460, SK945B, SK1006
- ◆ Modern Farmhouse → SK1006, SK498
- ◆ Traditional/Heritage → SK767, SK60, SK117C

Tip: Order samples online to see profiles in person before final selection.

STEP 04 Confirm Size Selection

Verify sizing is appropriate:

- ◆ Skirting height suits ceiling proportions
- ◆ Architrave width coordinates with skirting
- ◆ Profile not overwhelming in smaller rooms or too small in larger rooms
- ◆ Consistent with existing home renovation

Typical Combinations:

- ◆ 135mm skirting + 90mm architrave
- ◆ 185mm skirting + 90mm architrave
- ◆ 230mm skirting + 115mm architrave
- ◆ 285mm skirting + 115mm architrave

STEP 05 Select Timber Material

Choose material appropriate for application.

FJ Pine:

- ◆ All-purpose application
- ◆ High-traffic areas
- ◆ Moisture-prone rooms
- ◆ Brick wall installation

Polyurethane:

- ◆ Curved walls present

American Oak:

- ◆ Premium stained finish required
- ◆ Feature installation

STEP 06 Choose Finish Option

Specify finish type:

- ◆ Raw Timber – Paint/stain on-site (economical)
- ◆ Primed – Factory primed, topcoat on-site (recommended, saves time)
- ◆ Custom Stain – Factory-stained (American Oak only, premium option)

Recommendation: Priming provides a superior finish and reduces on-site labour.

STEP 07 Calculate Quantity Required

Determine linear metres needed:

- ◆ Measure the perimeter of each room
- ◆ Subtract door openings (typically 900-1200mm)
- ◆ Add all rooms together
- ◆ Add 15-20% wastage allowance (critical)
- ◆ Divide by 5.4m (standard length) to get the pieces required
- ◆ Round up to the nearest whole piece

Minimum Order: 10 lengths (54 linear metres)

Example Calculation:

Room perimeter: 17m
 Plus 20% wastage: 20.4m required
 Divided by 5.4m lengths: 3.78 pieces
 Minimum order: 4 pieces

STEP 08 Record Product Codes

Note exact specifications for ordering:

- ◆ Profile Code: (e.g., SK767)
- ◆ Size: (e.g., 135mm × 18mm)
- ◆ Material: (FJ Pine / Polyurethane / Hardwood)
- ◆ Finish: (Raw / Pre-Primed)
- ◆ Quantity: (Number of 5.4m lengths)

STEP 09 Consider Special Requirements

Identify any custom needs:

Curved walls → Order polyurethane or custom curved pieces
 Shadowline skirting → Intrim exclusive system
 Installation service → Use Intrim installer finder

STEP 10 Place Order

Proceed with purchase:

INTRADE:

[Register](#) to access pricing and to order

Phone:

1800 622 081

Design Consultation:

[Book Appointment](#)

Ordering Information

1. Choose Your Products

- ◆ Browse [Skirting Profiles](#)
- ◆ Browse [Architrave Profiles](#)
- ◆ Explore [Curved Architraves](#)
- ◆ Discover [Fast Trim System](#)

2. Get Samples

- ◆ [Order Sample Box](#)

3. Find a Professional Installer

- ◆ [Installer Finder](#)

Manufacturing And Delivery Timeframes

Product Type	Lead Time (varies depending on the product)
Stocked timber mouldings	2 business days
Standard timber moulding profiles (made-to-order)	5 business days
Hardwood mouldings	15 business days
Samples	2-5 business days

Note: Lead times commence from order confirmation and payment (non-account customers).

Delivery

Coverage: Australia-wide delivery available

Delivery Method:

- ◆ We have our own delivery trucks servicing Greater Sydney and Greater Melbourne
- ◆ We use third party freight providers for remaining regions around Australia
- ◆ Mouldings are wrapped and packaged to prevent damage and are forklift unloaded at delivery address

Freight is calculated on quote.

Pickup Option (Sydney only): 15 Bridge St, Picton NSW 2571

Minimum Order Quantity

10 lengths (54 linear metres) minimum order

Recommendation: Order sufficient material for the entire project plus extra lengths for future repairs and touch-ups, potential errors or damage, additional rooms or extensions.

We recommend ordering 10% extra for skirting and 15% extra for architraves/wainscoting.

Frequently Asked Questions

What Size Skirting Board Do I Need for 2.4 Metre Ceilings?

A 135mm skirting board is the most common and balanced choice for 2.4m high ceilings. For those seeking a slightly more elevated expression, stepping up to 185mm can introduce a sense of generosity, particularly in spaces with strong natural light or open-plan flow.

How Do I Choose the Right Moulding Profile for My Home?

Choosing the right moulding involves balancing your home's architectural style, ceiling height, and desired aesthetic. Select sleek, simple profiles for modern, minimalist, and coastal-style homes, and detailed designs for traditional or heritage properties, ensuring the size matches the room's scale.

What Height Architrave Should I Use for Standard Doors?

For the standard door height of 2040mm, the most common width is a 90mm architrave, with lengths of 2.1 or 2.4 metres. This will pair effortlessly with a 135mm or 185mm skirting board.

Can I Use Different Skirting and Architrave Profiles Together?

Yes, you can mix and match different skirting boards and architraves to create a customised look. While matching profiles offer simplicity, combining different profiles can create depth and individuality.

Are All Profiles Available in All Materials?

No, not all Intrim profiles are available in all materials. While we have a vast range, material availability depends on the specific profile, its intended use, and whether it is part of our standard in-stock range or a custom order.

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About Intrim Mouldings

Intrim is Australia's leading manufacturer of architectural mouldings. As a 100% Australian-owned business, we've been crafting premium skirting boards, architraves, and decorative mouldings for over 40 years.

Our Commitment:

- ◆ Impeccable quality and craftsmanship
- ◆ Innovative flush finish skirting & door jamb systems
- ◆ Australia-wide delivery and technical support
- ◆ Sustainable manufacturing practices

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