

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

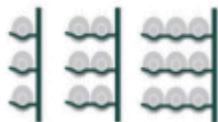


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What makes Wine on the Side different to other wine racks?

Wine on the Side racks have an innovative design that stores your bottles with the label forward, displaying the label not just the cork/screw cap so you can find your wine and display your wine.

With a choice of one, two or three bottles deep, and nine or twelve bottles high, you have an exceptionally flexible and effective way to store wine bottles in nearly any space, regardless of height, depth or width limitations.



By combining any of these six basic racks, you can cover almost any number of bottles and store your wine collection in the most efficient and effective way.

It's the only wine storage solution that easily fits into narrow spaces, like hallways and under staircases, while still being able to expand to perfectly store larger collections.

By being wall mounted it also gives you all that floor space under the racks that floor based stacking would use up.

What are the racks made of?

Wine on the Side racks are manufactured to the highest standard from high grade steel and then powder coated with a Matt Black finish.

Can I store as many bottles with Wine on the Side wine racks as with other tracks?

For a straightforward installation, our 3-bottle deep racks will generally hold the same quantity of bottles as standard cork/screw cap-forward racks...9 bottles per square foot.

However, where you have different or unusual spaces, the options within our range allow you to fit even more bottles than with a traditional rack, for example into tight corners. Apart from utilising the 1 or 2 deep racks for narrower spaces, you can also interlace our 3-bottle racks and increase your storage capacity to as much as 11 bottles per square foot.

Of course all this comes with the benefit that your bottles are now being displayed, label forward, not just stored and you may have the floor space under the racks.



This 'wine wall' in a restaurant uses a combination of 1 & 2 deep racks to great effect.

Is installation difficult with the Wine on the Side wine rack?

Our racks are simple to install using a tape measure, level and screwdriver (you may also need a drill with some mounting surfaces). All racks come with detailed installation instructions – see the installation instructions attached to this web site, and if all else fails there are detailed YouTube videos. Wine on the Side racks can be installed onto wood, brick, plasterboard, drywall or just about any other surface.

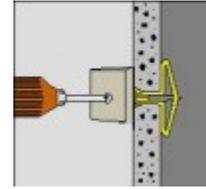
Due to the variety of possible applications fasteners are not included with your racks, though we suggest M4 x 35mm screws for most surfaces and, if needed, a suitable fixing (e.g. wall plugs or spiral hollow fixing).



There are six pre-drilled mounting holes for fasteners on each set of racks, three holes per side. The top fastener has the most pull out force (horizontal pressure away from the wall) so when installing racks ALWAYS make sure the top fastener is solid.

Can I fix my racks to a plasterboard wall?

Yes. Even though plasterboard may be the 'weakest' of all wall materials, it is so common that we have found most of our home installations are likely to be on this type of wall. In all the thousands of installations using our racks across the world, there has never been a single reported case of racks falling off a wall, it just needs a little care with the choice of fixing.



The most common and effective fixing is the spring toggle (or butterfly) anchor, which is designed to spread out into the cavity behind the wall, making a secure support for heavier items. There are a number of other options, it is best to check with a local DIY or hardware store to see what they may have. Please feel free to contact us if you need further advice.

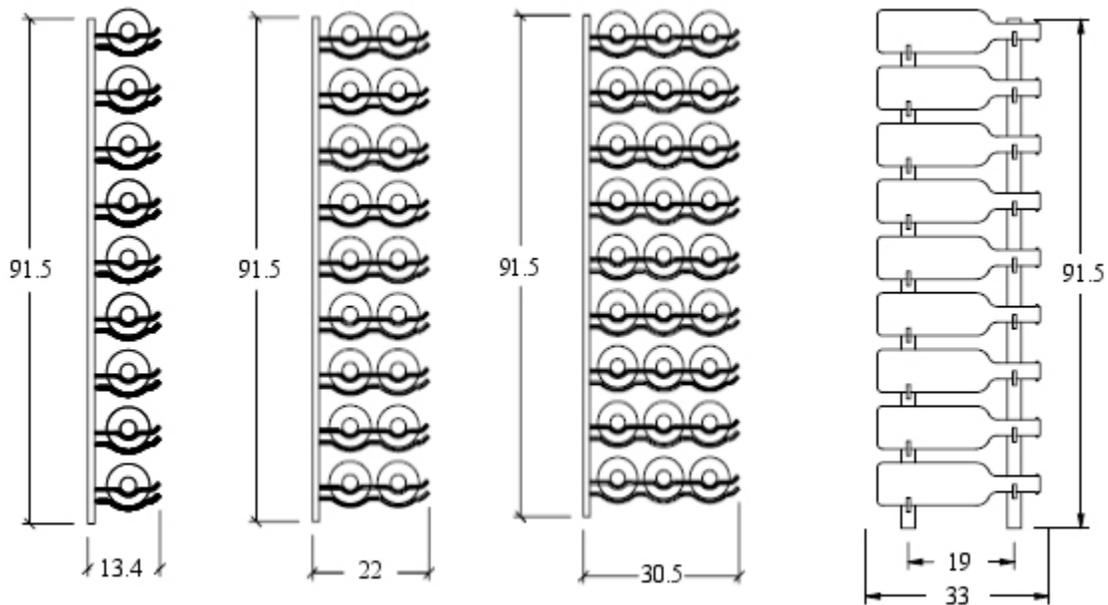


Will the racks fit my space?

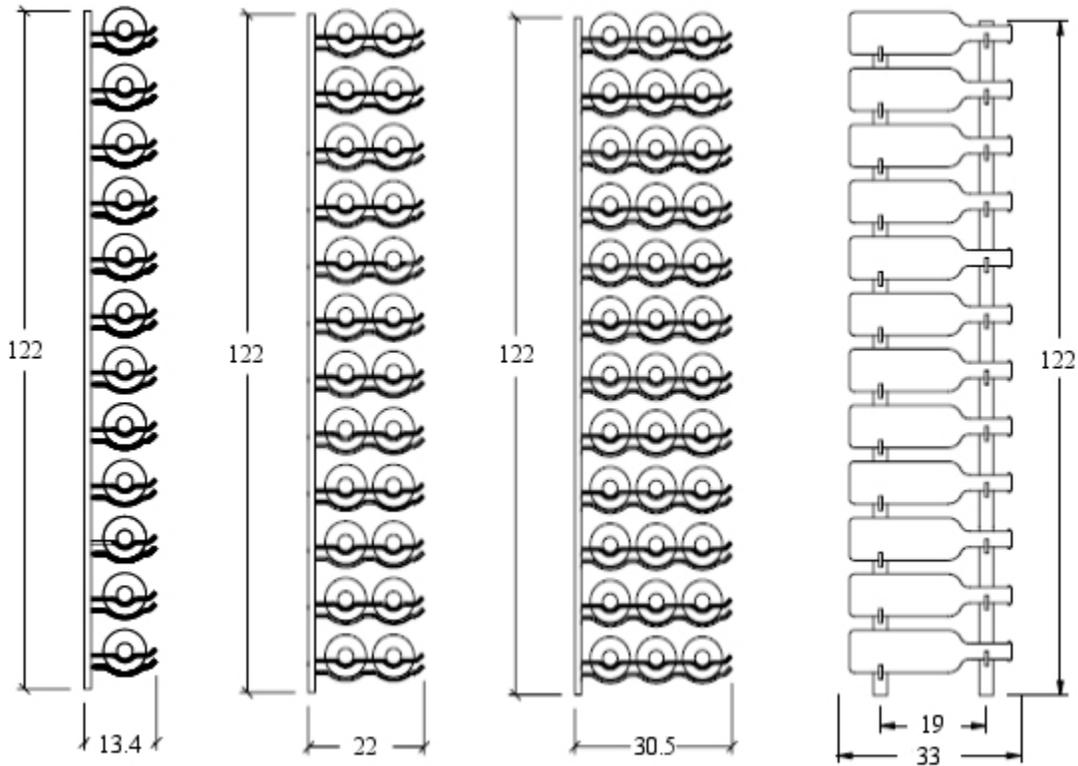
With the option of one, two or three deep units, you can fit our racks into almost any available space. They can be easily combined in any configuration and even be cut to fit unusual situations. Remember we have a FREE DESIGN SERVICE

WS3 series - dimensions (cm)

WS31 - WS32 - WS33 side views and front view



WS4 series - dimensions (cm)
WS41 - WS42 - WS43 side views and front view



What are the recommended fixings for different surfaces?

Fixings will obviously depend on the nature of the wall you are mounting the racks on, but we can offer the following suggestions:

- Wood Surface: M4 x 35mm wood screw
- Plasterboard/Drywall Surface: M4 x 35mm screws with spiral inserts for the bottom 2 holes in each strip and an expanding hollow wall anchor for the top holes (see above)
- Brick/Concrete Surface: 50mm masonry screws, with expanding anchor if necessary

Please feel free to get in touch if you want further information

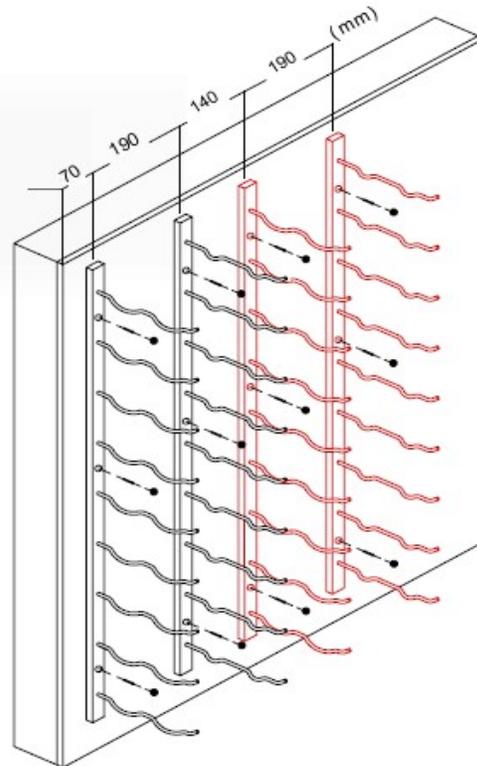
What are the general installation guidelines?

Standard wine bottles [750ml] average 30cm in length.

For this size bottle the racks are mounted at 19cm apart per (starting a minimum of 7cm distance from your first perpendicular wall) and then 14cm between sets of racks.

Therefore each rack requires approximately 33cm of space, side-to-side, for installation with standard bottles.

Note: All wine bottles vary in size: make sure to confirm your bottle measurements before installing your wine racks.



Any other questions?

Please feel free to get in touch with any questions or special requirements.

We will do our best to help.