How to install Habito on Gypframe metal when plastering
Single layer of Gyproc Habito

When installing a single layer of Gyproc Habito onto a metal stud and a plaster finish is required the board must be NON-STAGGERED or SYMMETRICALLY boarded i.e. the joints must align on both sides of the partition. Horizontal joints must be aligned on both sides of the partition also.

Components:
- Gyproc Habito 12.5mm
- Minimum Gypframe 70mm Studs
- Minimum Gypframe 72mm Channels
- Gypframe GFS1 Fixing Strap
- Gyproc Drywall Screws
- Gyproc Habito Winged Screws
- Gyproc Jointing Materials
- Gyproc Skimcoat / Carlite Finish
When installing a double board partition with Gyproc Habito on the outer layer, and a plaster finish is required, the boards on the inner layer must be boarded NON-STAGGERED or SYMMETRICALLY i.e. the joints must align on both sides of the partition.

Gyproc Habito on the outer layer must be installed with the joints staggered to the inner layer board joints but the joints of both the outer layer boards on each side of the partition must be NON-STAGGERED or SYMMETRICALLY boarded with each other i.e. the joints must align on both sides of the outer layers of the partition.

Horizontal joints must be symmetrically boarded on both sides of the partition BUT horizontal joints on the inner layer MUST be staggered to the outer layer.
SELECTING THE RIGHT TOOLS FOR INSTALLING HABITO

Gyproc Habito Winged Screw

The Gyproc Habito Winged Screw is specifically used for Gyproc Habito installation on both Timber and Metal Stud. The wings at the tip of the screw burrow into Habito to allow the screw to sit flush with the board every time.

They are available in 25mm lengths for single layer, and 35mm lengths for double layer systems into metal frames. 55mm fixings are designed for single and double layer systems into metal and timber frames.

Impact Drivers

For fixing Gyproc Habito to both timber and metal frames, an impact driver and depth gauge are best suited to ensure you get the screw flush with the board. Firmly hold the Habito Board in place, address the screw to the face of the board, depress the drill trigger and with gentle force allow the screw to drill through the Habito board. When the screw meets the metal or timber extra force can then be applied to fix the Habito Winged screw into place.