

Design Checklist

Did you remember...

Styles and Pricing

- ▶ Select Door Style and Pricing Level from your 20/20 design program. (If copying and pasting from one order to another, remember to reset styles and pricing.)

End Finishing Options

Consider exposed end options:

- ▶ Apply $\frac{3}{16}$ " veneer skin to hide $\frac{3}{16}$ " reveal. This will allow the ends to age uniformly with the rest of the kitchen and will make it flush.
- ▶ Apply decorative door kit (DBEP, DWEP, DVEP). This kit includes $\frac{3}{16}$ " veneer skin, decorative doors, and screws for field installation.
- ▶ Underside of Wall Cabinets are natural maple laminate, with a few exceptions such as WMD, WOL and WPG (exclusions to apply and noted throughout the book). Use light rail and skin to hide, especially when designing with Peninsula Wall Cabinets.

Wood and Finish Characteristics

Review specific details with the customer:

- ▶ Mineral Streaks, Birdseye Dots, Grain Variations
- ▶ Color Variations/Darkening.
- ▶ Finish Variations (Glazes are "consistently inconsistent"), hairline cracks may develop at frame joints on painted frames.

Clearances

- ▶ Add fillers between end cabinets and walls on full overlay door styles.
- ▶ Allow space between door/window trim and end cabinets for countertop and top moulding overhang.
- ▶ Include refrigerator door hinges in overall refrigerator height when placing cabinets above it.
- ▶ For minimum pull requirements on blind corner cabinets, see charts on pages 70, 122, and 200.
- ▶ Allow sufficient clearance (3") on each side of accessory cabinets (such as roll-out trays, swing-out units, etc).
- ▶ Doors on these cabinets must open fully for accessories to be functional.
- ▶ Ensure the height between the cooktop and range hood is 24" to meet NKBA guidelines.

Advise customer carefully on upper cabinet/microwave advantages/disadvantages as follows:

- ▶ Minimum of 18" from cooktop to upper cabinet/above the range microwave which allows for easy access to either, but less room over back burner.
- ▶ Minimum of 21" from cooktop to upper cabinet/microwave which allows for access to large pots on back burner of cooktop, but longer reach to microwave.

Fillers

- ▶ Place fillers toward end of run where least conspicuous if needed.
- ▶ Attach overlay fillers on top of base, wall, or tall fillers when using full overlay door styles to maintain a consistent reveal. Don't forget to include blind corner fillers.

Matching Interior Cabinets/Glass Options

- ▶ Use light rail and skin to hide color variation between bottom of WOL Cabinets next to any other cabinets.
- ▶ Verify mullion door grid matches customer expectations. (Advise customer of shaker grid pattern.)

Mouldings

- ▶ All toekicks must be skinned with TOEKICK, TOEKICK8, or TOEKICKPLY8.
- ▶ Verify the correct amount of moulding has been ordered.
- ▶ Order toekick caps.
- ▶ Order extra scribe.

Islands and Peninsulas

- ▶ Consider standard height bars are 35" tall and require 19" knee space. Raised bars are 42" tall.
- ▶ Consider Base Peninsula Cabinets (PB) are 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ " deep and require 12" of knee space.
- ▶ Use outside corner moulding if a skin is exposed on the back of the island.

Appliances

- ▶ Do not place dishwashers next to diagonal front cabinet (interference) or next to a range (no countertop support).
- ▶ Verify refrigerator door has enough clearance to open beyond 90 degrees so refrigerator drawers can be utilized. Refer to appliance manufacturer's specifications.
- ▶ Thermofoil will not withstand sustained temperatures in excess of 170°F. A 3" filler or heat shield is required between any thermofoil surface and any heat source to be in compliance with cabinet warranty.

Special Considerations

- ▶ Consider V-Groove skins and/or decorative doors on exposed cabinet sides in glazed kitchen.

Miscellaneous

- ▶ Order touch-up kit for future repairs.

Tips to the Installer

#10 x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " installation screws are furnished and packaged inside all cabinets for attachment to wall. Proper wall stud or ceiling joist installation is essential for Wall and Peninsula Cabinets to support weight. Whenever possible, cabinets should be attached to each other for additional strength. Excessive weight should not be put on cabinets hung by themselves. Shimming may be required to ensure proper alignment. Wallboard alone is not strong enough to support the cabinets.

Wolf Signature's Warranty does not cover damage caused by improper installation. Please be sure to install cabinets properly and review all installation instructions. If you have questions, please contact your representative or customer service.

Wood Dust Warning

When cutting, sanding, sawing, or shaping cabinets or wood products, you are likely to generate wood dust. For your own safety, Wolf Signature recommends that you wear a protective mask to prevent breathing wood dust. We also recommend eye protection to avoid injury by flying wood chips or sawdust during cabinet installation.