

## Before Installing – Assess the installation setting suitability

**Important:** Prior to installation, we recommend confirming the ceiling structure itself can support the intended artwork weights. Our track systems are strong, but only as strong as the sub-structure they are attached to.

Absolute's C Track, with 300mm hole centres, can support individual artworks weighing up to 15kg (up to 1x 15kg artwork per linear metre). To hang heavier artworks, the track must be fixed to *continuous* hardwood or supported plywood platens within the ceiling structure to support the load. **For advice, please contact us prior to installation.**

1. Hold the first section of track in place, usually tight against the wall and mark the positions of the track screw holes.
2. Drill and fix the first section of track in place starting at the centre and making sure you choose the relevant fixings for the type of ceiling you are attaching to (4mm diameter flat head screws are best suited to this track. Flat head is required so that the art hanging Top Blocks can slide freely in the channel, check this prior to installing more track lengths. The length of screw is determined by the ceiling structure.)
3. Tap one of the connecting pins (supplied) into the small 2mm hole at the end of the track so that half of a pin protrudes and engages with the next section of track, ensuring everything aligns neatly.
4. Repeat this process until you reach the last section of track and trim the track to the appropriate length (**Do not trim off the end with the top block entry mouth**).
5. Absolute's C Track is designed to either be exposed and snug against the wall, or recessed into the ceiling.

**Tip:** For the smoothest overall finish, mitre inside and outside corners using a chop saw for a clean continuous finish.

For exposed edges, we can supply end caps for C track if needed. Please request these when ordering.

To hang artworks, you will need to use C Track Hanging Sets (See Hanging Set Instructions).