

# Requirements and tips

for preparing to assemble your veranda

#### **Getting started well prepared**

Are you about to start assembling your veranda? Then keep the following things in mind to properly prepare your assembly job.

- Make sure that your wall runs completely flat, without obstacles, at the place where the wall profile is placed. For example, if a drainpipe, lamp or flower box is still hanging on the wall, remove these. A wall profile is attached every 50 centimetres with impact plugs. The wall you attach these to, should be able to support a weight of 200 kg per linear metre.
- Keep in mind the windows on the facade.
   This applies to both the ground-floor and 1st-floor windows. The veranda is mounted between these two frames. Use the side view at <a href="https://www.tuinmaximaal.co.uk/veranda/assembly">www.tuinmaximaal.co.uk/veranda/assembly</a> to calculate the correct height.

Depth 2.5m - between 2348 mm and 2998 mm Depth 3.0m - between 2418 mm and 3068 mm Depth 3.5m - between 2487 mm and 3137 mm Depth 3.5m - between 2557 mm and 3207 mm

For the above margins, we recommend a maximum gutter height of 2400 mm due to the depth of the spot foundations.

- Are you planning to replace the terrace? Preferably do this after the veranda has been installed. That allows you to nicely align your new tiles with the support structures.
- 4. Do you have a **raised or lowered terrace**? Then take into account the maximum height of the support structure and the clearance height of your veranda.

- 5. You must provide the **foundation** for your veranda yourself if you did not order it with your purchase. Note that the foundation should be able to support 750 kg per support structure. To avoid gaps, it is very important for the foundation of glass sliding doors to be completely level.
- 6. **Does your soil subside?** In the case of peaty or subsiding soil, you should provide your own foundations that can support 750 kg per support structure.
- 7. **Does your terrace slope down?** The sloped part of the terrace should not be too large, as the entire structure must be mounted level. Also, if in doubt about the slope of your garden, contact our customer service team. With a depth of 2.5 and 3 metres, use a maximum slope of 1cm, and with a depth of 3.5 and 4 metres, use a maximum slope of 1.5cm.
- 8. When installing the Gumax® veranda, it is necessary to work with at least two people.

Other points of attention when assembling your veranda can be found in the included assembly instructions. The assembly instructions can also be found at <a href="https://www.tuinmaximaal.co.uk/downloads">www.tuinmaximaal.co.uk/downloads</a>. Always read the instructions before use. Failure to follow instructions correctly may result in property damage or personal injury, which could be severe depending on the circumstances.

#### Easily assemble Gumax® products

Want your veranda installed correctly? You will achieve the best results with these tools. You can rent these tools from the familiar rental companies.



#### **Cordless drill**

Gumax® products are assembled with the included screws (incl. bit). With a cordless drill, you can effortlessly fix every screw in the construction.

To be used for (among other things):

• Tightening and loosening screws in your construction



# **Impact drill**

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An impact drill is suitable for drilling a hole in your sturdy stone outer wall, because this drill type also moves in the longitudinal direction. When choosing an impact drill, take a drill size of 8 mm into account.

To be used for (among other things):

- Mounting the wall profile
- Mounting a glass wedge
- Fixing support structures without spot foundations



#### **Crosscut saw**

With a crosscut saw, you can easily saw straight lines. Choose a crosscut saw with a fine-toothed saw blade and a frame to accurately and stably cut the aluminium parts to size.

To be used for (among other things):

 Shortening aluminium profiles, such as support structure and beams



#### **Circular saw**

A circular saw is extremely suitable for sawing sheet material. Choose a fine-toothed saw blade to accurately saw your polycarbonate panels.

To be used for (among other things):
• Shortening polycarbonate roof panels

### Need help assembling a Gumax® product?

You can find various assembly instructions and videos on our website. www.tuinmaximaal.co.uk/downloads

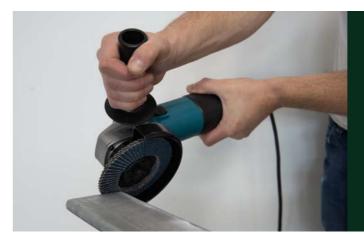


### Materials and glass lift

With a material lift, you can easily raise the gutter profile to the desired height. This way, you keep your hands free to easily install the support structures and beams.

To be used for (among other things):

- Lifting the gutter profile
- Installing glass roof panels



# Grinder (only needed if the veranda is being shortened)

A grinder or angle grinder is only needed if you are going to shorten the width of the steel strip. The grinder works with exchangeable discs. A metal grinding disc and a flap disc are needed to machine the steel strip.

To be used for (among other things):

- Shortening the steel strip (use a grinder with a metal grinding disc for this)
- Eliminating burrs (use a grinder with a flap disc for this)



# **Suction cups**

Transporting the glass panels is easier with a set of suction cups. Transport the glass panels sideways using the suction cups; if glass is picked up flat, it can break due to the tension this creates on the centre of the panel. Make sure that the rubber surface is fully dirt and dust free!

To be used for (among other things):

Moving glass panels

#### **Rental companies**

All required tools for the assembly of your Gumax® products are available at the familiar rental companies and hardware stores in your area.\*

\* ask your local hardware store whether the required tools are available in their rental range.

#### Did you know that:

- You have full warranty if you assemble according to the assembly instructions.
- All products can be collected daily at our Pickup Point.
- You can save a lot of costs by assembling yourself and benefit from fast shipping.

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