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on stairs with curved bottom treads



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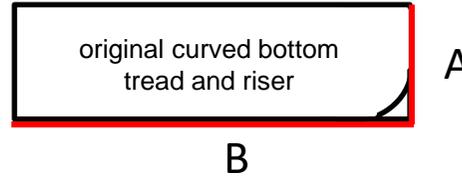


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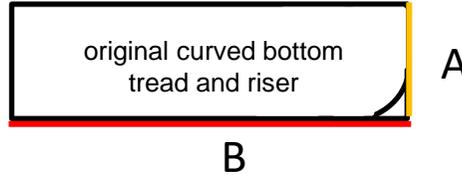
at the heart of the Maestro steps stair cladding system is the one piece bull nose tread and so to install Maestro steps on stairs with a curved bottom tread we suggest that the stair is squared off in keeping with the sleek, modern look created by installing our products.

The risers

step 1 square off the riser - mark a line on the floor squaring off the riser and letter the two sides as shown A & B

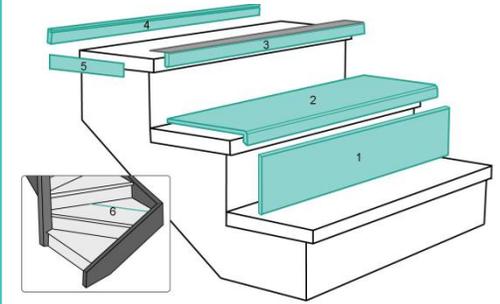


step 2 measure side A (this is the width of your new side riser) measure side B and add 8mm (the front riser will cover the end of the side riser and sit in front of it)



step 3 transfer the measurements onto a riser/s and cut to size glue some matching edging onto the exposed end of riser B

the risers are now ready to glue in place once all the treads and risers for the complete staircase have been cut to size and numbered as shown in the Maestro-steps general installation



1. riser
2. tread
3. top stair to landing transition pack
4. open staircase profile
5. side cover
6. connecting springs

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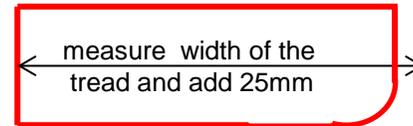
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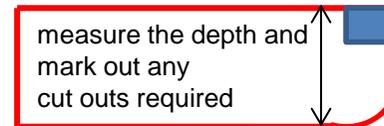


the tread

step 1 measure across the top of the existing tread with the curved end to its widest point and add 25mm (this will be the width of your new bottom tread)



step 2 measure the depth of your tread and mark out any cut outs required e.g. around newel posts etc and then transfer the measurements to a tread and cut to the size and shape required



step 3 cut a piece of the 22mm plain mdf profile supplied to the depth of the exposed end of the tread – apply some glue and gently clamp in place (wipe off any excess glue with a damp cloth) and allow to dry fully before sanding to provide a key for the edging strip then simply glue on a piece of the colour matched edging strip

Step 4 taking care use a very sharp craft knife or chisel to carefully remove excess edging before sanding to a clean finish

the tread is now ready to glue in place once all the treads and risers for the complete staircase have been cut to size and numbered as shown in the Maestro steps general installation guide

Installing Maestro steps on a straight flight of stairs is a very simple task and is fully covered in this guide . For staircases with winders, curved bottom or open treads etc please see our additional installation guides

Although we go into a little more depth in these installation guides the principles of installing Maestro steps are simple

Work from the bottom of the staircase to the top

Measure and cut all treads and risers and dry try for size before gluing

Glue treads and risers in place

Finish with silicone sealant on all edges to avoid dust coming up from the original staircase and to neaten any cut edges

Remember that the long cut edge on the riser will be hidden by the nosing on the tread above and the long cut edge on the tread will be hidden by the riser so only the short side cuts will show

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