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Concealed sockets are the perfect finishing touch for any kitchen, office or prestigious installation. They are particularly useful for kitchen island units where wall space is at a premium or clean lines are preferred.

Before buying a concealed socket there are a few things you need to consider:

- How much do you want to spend?
- What features do you need?
- Do you want one that pops up part way via a button, or one that is pulled up the entire way?
- Do you want it to sit flush in your worktop or be raised?
- How much space do you have under your worktop?

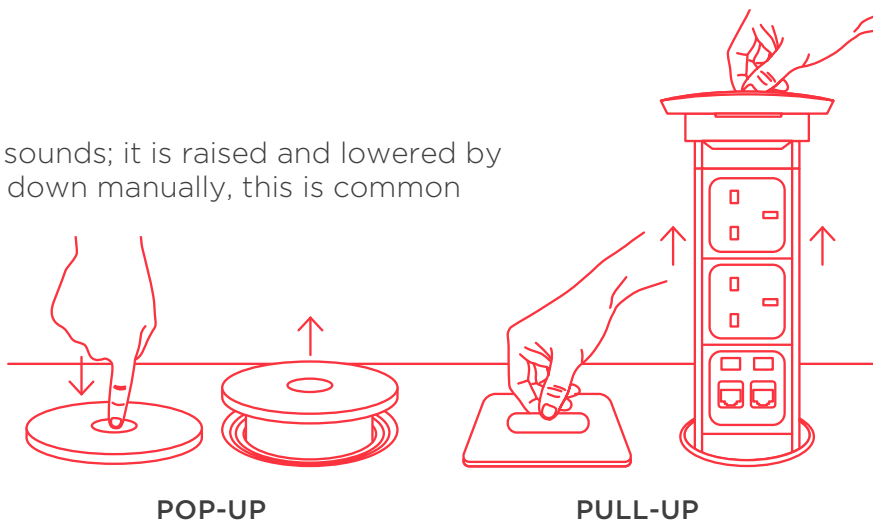
HOW MUCH TO SPEND?

There are a number of factors that determine the overall cost of a concealed power unit, for example the style, the number of power sockets, the extra features and the colour/finish are all key elements that need to be considered.

POP-UP OR PULL-UP?

A **Pull-Up** socket performs just as it sounds; it is raised and lowered by pulling the socket up and pushing it down manually, this is common place with most entry level units.

Pop-Up sockets can be raised by pressing a central button / the top disc which activates the unit to “Pop Up” partially from the worktop and can then be raised the rest of the way by hand.



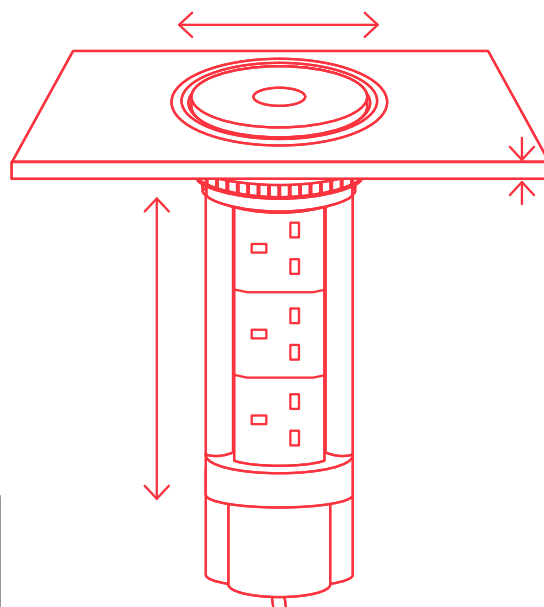
HOW MUCH SPACE WILL YOU NEED?

The key thing to think about here is the space the unit requires under the worktop, not only do you need to consider the height of the unit itself but also you need to allow some extra space below for the wires & cables to run unhindered.

The other important factor to consider here is the size of the hole required in your worktop, make sure you know the size of hole for the range you are thinking about as they do vary.

WORKTOP HOLE SIZE:

RANGE	HOLE SIZE REQUIRED
CUBE	80mm
POD	92mm
MILAN	101mm Standard / 124mm Flush Fit
ECONOMY	60mm / 100mm (depending on size)



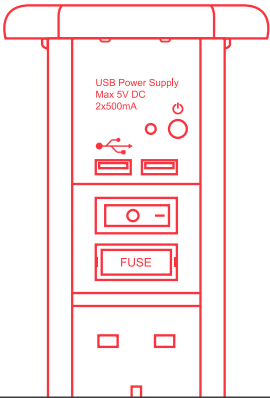
SPACE BELOW WORKTOP:

RANGE	DEPTH REQUIRED BELOW WORKTOP*
CUBE	340mm
POD	421mm
MILAN	260mm-380mm (Depending on configuration)
ECONOMY	365mm

**The depth required is measured from the TOP of the worktop & includes space for the wires/cables to exit the bottom of the unit, so worktop thickness can be taken off this figure.*

WHAT FEATURES DO YOU NEED?

There are an increasing variety of features and configurations with concealed sockets now so it's important to know about the differences so you can select the right one for you.



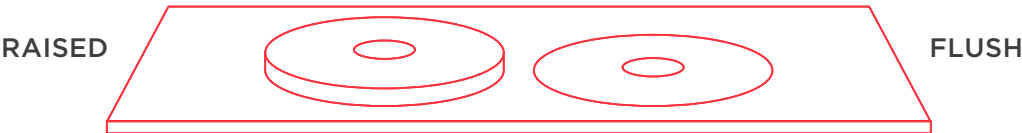
- LED POWER LIGHT
- USB PORTS
- ON SWITCH
- PLUG SOCKETS

FEATURE	DESCRIPTION
POWER SOCKETS	240v UK power sockets are fitted as standard. Our range has a choice of 2 or 3 sockets.
USB	USB 5v Sockets for charging smartphone & tablets.
LED	LED light to indicate units is on / off. Also provides unique look.
DATA	CAT6 Ethernet sockets to allow connection to networks. Male cables routed from underside of unit.
OPERATIONAL WHEN RETRACTED	Can be fully retracted and used while plugs still connected to unit.

FLUSH FITTING OR RAISED?

One option you may want to consider is to have the concealed socket sit flush when retracted into the worktop. As standard most concealed sockets when retracted have the top raised out of the worktop by around 7mm. Certain sockets like our Milan and Economy ranges can be fitted completely flush in to the worktop when retracted.

All of the units in our “Milan” range come with a flush fit adaptor as standard which provides the option to install the unit flush into the worktop. The flush fit adaptor, like the Milan units, is available in either Bright or Matt chrome to match the unit it comes boxed with. Please note: if installing a Milan unit with the flush fit adaptor you will need a hole diameter of 124mm as opposed to 101mm when installing without.



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CONCEALED SOCKETS: COMPARISON CHART



	CUBE PULL-UP RANGE	POD PULL-UP RANGE	MILAN POP-UP RANGE	ECONOMY POP-UP RANGE
UK POWER	✓	✓	✓	✓
CAT6 DATA OPTION	✓	✓	✓	✗
USB OPTION	✗	✓	✓	✓
LED OPTION	✗	✓	✓	✗
BLUETOOTH	✗	✓	✗	✗
FINISHES AVAILABLE	Sprayed Silver Plastic	Plastic Top: Sprayed Aluminium Metal Top: Brass Metal Top: Steel Metal Top: Bright Chrome Metal Top: Black Nickel	Bright Chrome Matte Chrome All Black Top	Plastic Top: Matte Chrome Plastic Top: Bright Chrome
HOLE SIZE REQUIRED	80mm	92mm	101mm / 124mm* <i>*For flush fitting</i>	60mm
DEPTH REQUIRED (INCLUDING THE WORKTOP)	340mm	421mm	260mm - 380mm <i>(Depending on configuration)</i>	365mm
FLUSH FITTING OPTION	✗	✗	✓	✓
DESCRIPTION	Perfect for offices / desk tops due to 80mm hole size and data options.	Mid level range. Works when stowed away and wide range of configurations.	Our premium range - Milan has a stylish metal design and can be fitted flush in to the worktop.	Price sensitive alternative to Milan. Flush fitting with basic options and in 2 sizes; for 60mm or 100mm holes.