PRODUCTS & SYSTEMS



Drop & Lock panels in painted aluminum at the Pearl District Residence Inn Marriott in Portland, Oregon.

Drop & LockTM

Drop & Lock facilitates precise, efficient, and sealant-free installation of Zahner metal panels for diverse façade and wall applications. It is designed to work with Zahner's exclusive materials, as well as painted or anodized aluminum options, and can be used in combination with ImageWall and ImageLines perforation techniques or other Zahner treatments. Its straightforward design minimizes engineering time and guarantees precise, high-quality installations without compromise.





FEATURES

Customizable



Compatible with various metals and treatments, including Zahner's proprietary materials, to meet specific design needs.

Precise Construction



All components are made from CNC-cut metal, ensuring precision and reliability from the factory to the finish line.

Efficient Installation



The hook-and-slot assembly means fewer fasteners, and no need for special tools, reducing labor costs and time.

Fit to Your Project



Drop & Lock offers various hardware types depending on your substrate and system depth requirements.

MATERIAL OPTIONS



For a complete list of available color options, visit azahner.com/metal-info/anodized-aluminum/ or azahner.com/metal-info/painted-aluminum/



COMPONENTS & ASSEMBLY

Drop & Lock uses a simple and effective hook-and-slot design that consists of single-return metal panels that attach to a system of hat-channels (for continuous substrates) or mullions.





Hat Channel Hardware





SPECIFICATIONS

Panel Dimensions	Minimum	Maximum
Visible Length	14"	40"
Visible Width	12"	120"

Panels					
Finish	Base Metal	Thickness	Max Design Pressure1		
Angel Hair Stainless Steel [
GB-60 Stainless Steel	SS304 or SS316 Stainless Steel*	0.075" [14 ga]	43 PSF		
Fuscara Blackened Stainless Steel 🛽 🛽					
Anodized, AAMA 611 Class I	EOE2 LL 22 Aluminum	0.090"	28 PSF		
Painted, 2-coat solid color 70% PVDF	– 5052 H-32 Aluminum	0.125″	52 PSF		

¹Design pressures associated with a maximum panel deflection of Length/60

Hardware	Hat Channel	2x4 Mullion	2x6 Mullion	
System Depth	3.75"	7.25" - 8.75"	9.25" - 10.75"	
Dimensions	4" x 1" x 10' maximum	2" x 4" x 20' maximum	2" x 6" x 20' maximum	
Material	5052 H-32 Aluminum	6063-T6 Aluminum		
Finishes	Anodized: Clear or Electrolytic Black			
Max Unsupported Span	Continuous substrates only	10'-0" (28 PSF)	13'-0" (28 PSF)	
		8'-0" (52 PSF)	11'-0" (52 PSF)	
Max Cantilever	Continuous substrates only	3'-4" (28 PSF)	4'-4" (28 PSF)	
		2'-8" (52 PSF)	3'-8" (52 PSF)	

For additional information on component dimensions and geometry, see the Drop & Lock Detail Drawing Set. *Available at azahner.com/document/drop-lock-system-details.*

Zahner Drop & Lock has been successfully tested using AAMA501.4 procedures for seismic movement. The specific building movements of that project should be evaluated by the building's engineer of record.

All information above is for reference only and should be confirmed by a licensed structural engineer for each specific project and its unique site conditions.

HOW TO SPECIFY

Download and use the <u>3-Part Specification</u> document and <u>Drop & Lock Drawing Set</u> to aid in specifying Drop & Lock for your project.

Available at azahner.com/products/drop-lock

- 1. Determine the panel material, panel dimensions, and number of panels required for your project.
- 2. Determine the system hardware type and finish.

For general consultation or specific questions on product specifications, please contact your Zahner consultation team at *azahner.com/contact*



