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# LINEAR BAR GRILLES T SERIES





## ENGINEERED AIR PRODUCTS

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## Introduction

Colman Air Distribution's 'T' Series is a comprehensive range of supply and return air linear bar grilles suitable for incorporation in ceiling, sidewall, cill and floor applications. The range includes a wide variety of frames and core styles which will co-ordinate with most building environments and provide an aesthetic and cost effective solution to the air distribution requirements.

## Frame Styles:

All frames are fabricated from high quality aluminium extrusions and are available in maximum one piece construction of 1800mm long and in increments of 12.5mm height starting from 75mm. For continuous line application core heights are limited to a maximum of 300mm and are manufactured in equal divisions of the total length. Positive alignment keys are supplied to ensure continuous unbroken appearance.

The A & B Frames are surface mount design with the B frame having a smaller slimline flanged border frame to give a more discreet appearance. Both frames can be supplied with screwholes for face fixing or universal mounting brackets. These frames are not suitable for floor applications.

The C frame is a recess mount design that can be built into floor systems and does not require

extra support brackets in this application. Please specify where the unit is being used in a floor application. Please note however that we would not recommend Y and Z cores in floor applications.

The D frame is most suited to cill applications where visible flanges are not required.

Special frame styles and fixing systems are available on request.



## **Core Styles**

All cores are fabricated from high quality aluminium extrusions with solid bars and differing angles of deflection. Units are manufactured using fixed spacing aluminium cross members. C & D cores are available in mitred sections which are available to any angle.

Standard cores are fixed but optional removable cores are available on floor or cill applications on request, and volume control dampers which are operable from the face of the grille are also available.



### **Frame Styles Options**



Models	А	В	С	D	E	F	G
TAC, TAD, TAG, TAY, TAZ	Nominal duct height	A + 31	25.4	A - 6.4	19	35	-
TBC, TBD, TBG, TBY, TBZ		A + 13	16.4	A - 6.4	10	35	-
TCC, TCD, TCG, TCY, TCZ		A + 35	27.4	A - 6.4	21	35	19
TDC, TDD, TDG, TDY, TDZ		A - 6	6.4	A - 6.4	-	35	-

Cores: The frames indicated above are available in combination with cores shown

## **Fixing Details**

The diagram below illustrates the standard mounting methods plus show the methods available for mitred sections.

If ordering fixing type 'G' with screwholes then holes will be drilled at evenly spaced centres along the full length of the grille unless otherwise requested.



## **Mitred Corners**

Mitred corners are available, cut to any angle, and are all purpose made to special order. Available in three methods for cill, ceiling or sidewall applications. Standard leg length is 500mm over flange measured from inside of angle.



## Finish:

The grilles are available in a wide variety of finishes including standard BS and RAL powder coating or anodised aluminium. Please refer to the product coding section within this brochure for a list of standard finishes. Special finishes are available on request.

## **Plenum Boxes:**

Colman Air Distribution manufacture a range of high quality, galvanised sheet metal plenum boxes to suit the T series grilles. For supply air applications the plenums incorporate an equalising mesh to spread the air along the active length of the diffuser. Plenums are available in a standard configuration or purpose made to suit different ceilings, bulkheads or air volumes and are manufactured in lined and unlined versions. Standard plenum sizes are detailed within this brochure and plenums are supplied with a single circular entry spigot per plenum as standard however oval or rectangular versions are also available. Balancing dampers are available for the inlet spigot if required.



## New options available

Colman can now offer our G series deflection and extract grilles as well as our T series linear bar grilles to be suitable for mounting on exposed circular ducts.

Complete with a solid shoe boot manufactured to suit the duct diameter required, this offers an attractive and practical solution for circular duct applications.

## **ORDER CODES** Diffuser Coding

FRAME	CORE TYPE	ACCESSORIES	ARRANGEMENT	FIXING	FINISH
<ul> <li>None</li> <li>25mm surface</li> <li>Slimline Border frame</li> <li>C Recessed frame</li> <li>P Flangeless frame</li> <li>P Plastered in</li> <li>Special</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>6.4mm bars @ 12.5mm centres</li> <li>6.4mm bars @ 12.5mm centres with 15° deflection</li> <li>3mm bars @ 12.5mm centres</li> <li>3mm bars @ 12.5mm centres with 15° deflection</li> <li>Special</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>Face operated volume control</li> <li>X Opposed blade damper painted matt black</li> <li>Special</li> <li>Note: When used with plenums mono-blade dampers would be our preferred option.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>A Intermediate         <ul> <li>no end caps</li> <li>Straight - 2 end caps</li> </ul> </li> <li>Straight - 2 end caps</li> <li>Straight - 1/H end cap</li> <li>Straight - 1/H end cap</li> <li>Straight - 1/H end cap</li> <li>90° Mitred corner -         <ul> <li>Flat Ceiling             mounted</li> </ul> </li> <li>90° Mitred corner -         sidewall outside             corner</li> <li>90° Mitred corner -             sidewall inside             corner</li> <li>Mitred corner             ceiling mounted             angle to be specified</li> </ul> <li>J Mitred corner         <ul> <li>sidewall outside</li> <li>corner angle to be             specified</li> <li>K Mitred corner angle to be             specified</li> </ul> </li> <li>K Mitred corner angle to be         <ul> <li>specified</li> <li>K Mitred corner angle to be             specified</li> </ul> </li>	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>Hanger bracket</li> <li>Screw through flange</li> <li>Extended hanger bracket</li> <li>Universal extended bracket</li> <li>Universal mounting brackets</li> <li>Special</li> </ul> Note: All fixings detailed above are only applicable to 'A' frame.	<ul> <li>8 Matt Black</li> <li>C BS00E55 Gloss White</li> <li>D BS00E55 Matt White</li> <li>E RAL9010 Gloss</li> <li>F RAL9010 Satin</li> <li>H BS00E55 Satin white</li> <li>A Anodised colour to be specified</li> <li>O Mill Finish</li> <li>R RAL 9006 Aluminium</li> <li>9 Satin Anodised Aluminium</li> <li>1 Special</li> </ul>

## **Plenum Coding**

LINING	INSTALLATION METHOD	ACCESSORIES	ARRANGEMENT	SPIGOT TYPE	SPIGOT SIZE (DIA or SQ) (All in mm)
L Lined 6mm bestobell Unlined 1 Special	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>To suit A frame grille only</li> <li>Special</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>O None</li> <li>M Mono blade cord operated damper</li> <li>N Mono blade cord operated damper painted matt black internally only</li> <li>P Internally painted matt black</li> <li>1 Special</li> <li>Note: Maximum size mono blade - 400 dia or 350 square.</li> </ul>	E Extract S Supply 1 Special	<ul> <li>R Round - side entry</li> <li>S Square - side entry</li> <li>T Round - Top entry</li> <li>W Round - Flush with top of unit</li> <li>X Square - Flush with top of unit</li> <li>Y Square - top entry</li> <li>1 Special</li> </ul>	A 100 B 125 C 150 D 200 E 250 F 300 G 350 H 400 K 500 L 160 M 180 N 315 P 280 R 225 S 355 T 175 T 175 T Special All standard spigots 75mm deep

Example of Order Codes	Т	Α	С	V	В	G	F	1	2	0	0	1	5	0
·													-	
Linear Bar Grille —			1											
25mm Flanged Frame		i												
6.4mm Bars @ 12.5mm Centres				1							÷			
Face Operated Volume Control Damper				1			1							
2 No End Caps						i	÷.							
Screw Fixed Through Flanges						<u></u>								
RAL 9010 Matt Finish							i				j			
Size - (Width x Height)											Ĺ			

## **Selection Information**

The following selection data is applicable where normal temperature differentials exist in cooling and heating applications up to 11°C and a ceiling height of 2.7m. It is recommended that where two grilles are discharging towards each other, selections are based on a diffuser air volume that will produce a maximum throw equal to half the distance between the two diffusers. The throw data is based on cill application with the grille mounted 2m below the ceiling. On applications where the distance is greater than this, the throw is reduced by the amount of the variation.

For return air applications the data is based on a 0 deflection grille with the damper fully open. 15° blades have a 20% higher pressure drop and 1 NC higher sound rating.

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#### Table 1: Diffuser length correction figures

Diffuser Length (m)	Factor	NC Correction
0.3	0.5	-2
0.6	0.85	-2
0.9	0.95	-1
1.2	1	0
1.5	1.05	+ 1
1.8	1.1	+ 2
2.1	1.13	+2
2.4	1.15	+3
2.7	1.16	+4
3.0+	1.17	+4

For return air applications when the grille is > 300mm in height, divide the air volume per metre by two and refer to a grille of half the height, add 3 NC to the sound ratings at this air volume.

### NC Data :

All ratings are based on a room allowance (RA) of 8dB and are with dampers fully open. Measurements are based on the microphone being at 45° from the face of the grille with a distance of 1.5m. Dampers are fitted for fine tuning purposes, excessive damping to overcome high duct pressures will result in increased sound levels of approximately 8dB per doubling of pressure drop. NC ratings are based on 1.2m active lengths, for different lengths use the correction figures in table 1. The sound ratings only apply for lengths of 1.2m and if the inlet spigot is sized to give the indicated spigot velocity. The figures in table 2 are for guidance only and acoustic lining may be necessary plus an increase in plenum size.

## Air Velocities:

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Minimum throw = 0.40 m/s Maximum throw = 0.15 m/s

The average face velocities given are for the total area bounded by the frame and not the free areas of the slots between the bars.

Table 2: Spigot velocity against NC rating

Spigot Velocity m/s
2.5
3
3.5
4.5

## **Selection factors:**

Throws are based on 1.2m active lengths, for different lengths use the factors in table 1 to determine the throw.

## **Model TNU Plenum Box**

### **Plenum Sizing:**

Plenum sizes shown in table 3 are the minimum recommended to give an even distribution across the diffuser using a centre fed constant cross-section box.



Note: The figures given are in units of area per unit length, multiply these figures by diffuser active length to obtain total plenum box cross-sectional area.

The cross sectional area values are subject to alteration by physical requirements such as spigot location, spigot size and lining requirements.

<b>Table</b>	3
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Plenum Cross Sectional Area (m²/m)								
Grille	Grille Height							
Model	100		150					
TAY	0.052			0.085				
TAC	0.038		0.061					
TAZ	0.052			0.085				
TAD	0.038		0.061					
Diffuser Nominal Height	А	E	3	н				
Diffuser Nominal Height 100	A 113	13	32	H Cross sectional				

## 'C' Core Supply

Air Volume m³/s/m	Throw m Min. Max.	Diffuser Height mm	Face Velocity m/s	Pressure Drop Pa	Sound Rating NC
0.039 0.101 0.164	1.1 - 1.5 1.7 - 2.2 2.2 - 2.9	50 100 150	1.25	3	-
0.047 0.122 0.197	1.3 - 1.7 2.1 - 2.6 2.8 - 3.7	50 100 150	1.50	4	- - -
0.054 0.142 0.229	1.5 - 2.1 2.5 - 3.1 3.2 - 4.2	50 100 150	1.75	6	- - -
0.062 0.162 0.262	1.8 - 2.4 2.8 - 3.6 3.8 - 4.9	50 100 150	2.00	7	- - -
0.070 0.182 0.295	2.0 - 2.7 3.2 - 4.0 4.3 - 5.5	50 100 150	2.25	9	- - -
0.078 0.203 0.328	2.2 - 3.0 3.5 - 4.5 4.8 - 6.2	50 100 150	2.50	11	- - -
0.085 0.223 0.360	2.4 - 3.3 3.9 - 4.9 5.3 - 6.8	50 100 150	2.75	14	-
0.093 0.243 0.393	2.7 - 3.6 4.3 - 5.4 5.6 - 7.5	50 100 150	3.00	16	
0.101 0.263 0.426	2.9 - 3.9 4.7 - 5.8 6.3 - 8.2	50 100 150	3.25	19	- - 22
0.109 0.284 0.459	3.1 - 4.2 5.0 - 6.2 7.0 - 8.9	50 100 150	3.50	22	- - 23
0.116 0.304	3.4 - 4.5 5.4 - 6.8	50 100	3.75	25	19 22
0.124 0.324	3.6 - 4.8 5.7 - 7.2	50 100	4.00	29	21 24
0.132 0.344	3.8 - 5.1 6.1 - 7.6	50 100	4.25	33	22 25
0.140 0.365	4.0 - 5.4 6.4 - 8.1	50 100	4.50	37	24 28
0.147 0.385	4.2 - 5.7 6.8 - 8.5	50 100	4.75	41	27 29
0.155 0.405	4.4 - 6.0 7.0 - 8.8	50 100	5.00	45	23 31

## 'D' Core Supply

Air Volume m³/s/m	Throw m Min. Max.	Diffuser Height mm	Face Velocity m/s	Pressure Drop Pa	Sound Rating NC
0.047	3.0 - 3.5	50			-
0.122	3.9 - 4.3	100	1.5	5	-
0.197	4.2 - 5.1	150			-
0.054	3.2 - 3.8	50			-
0.142	4.2 -4.7	100	1.75	7	-
0.229	4.5 - 5.5	150			-
0.062	3.4 - 4.1	50			-
0.162	4.5 - 5.0	100	2.0	10	-
0.262	5.0 - 6.1	150		21	-
0.070	3.4 - 4.3	50			-
0.182	4.9 - 5.5	100	2.25	12	20
0.295	5.3 - 6.6	150			25
0.078	3.7 - 4.5	50			-
0.203	5.2 - 5.9	100	2.5	15	22
0.328	5.7 - 7.0	150			30
0.085	3.9 - 4.8	50			-
0.223	5.5 -6.2	100	2.25	18	24
0.360	6.1 - 7.6	150			33
0.093	4.0 - 5.0	50			22
0.243	6.8 - 6.6	100	3.0	22	27
0.100	4.2 - 5.2	50			24
0.263	6.2 -7.0	100	3.25	26	30
0.109	4.3 - 5.5	50			25
0.284	6.5 - 7.4	100	3.5	30	33
0.116	4.5 - 5.8	50	2.75	24	28
0.304	6.8 - 7.7	100	3.75	34	37
0.124	4.7 -6.0	50	4.0	20	29
0.324	7.1 -8.1	100	4.0	22	39
0.132	4.9 - 6.3	50	4.25	44	31
0.140	5.0 - 6.5	50	4.5	49	33
0.147	5.2 -6.8	50	4.75	55	36
0.155	5.4 - 7.1	50	5.0	61	37

## 'Y' Core Supply

Air Volume m³/s/m	Throw m Min. Max.	Diffuser Height mm	Face Velocity m/s	Pressure Drop Pa	Sound Rating NC
0.038 0.102 0.166	0.9 - 1.5 1.5 - 2.1 2.1 - 2.7	50 100 150	1.25	1	
0.046 0.124 0.200	1.2 - 1.8 2.1 - 2.7 2.4 - 3.4	50 100 150	1.50	2	
0.054 0.144 0.230	1.5 - 2.1 2.4 - 3.1 3.1 - 4.0	50 100 150	1.75	3	
0.064 0.164 0.266	1.8- 2.4 2.4 - 3.4 3.4 - 4.6	50 100 150	2.00	4	
0.071 0.186 0.299	2.1 - 2.7 3.1 - 4.0 4.0 - 5.2	50 100 150	2.25	5	
0.079 0.206 0.333	2.1 - 3.1 3.4 - 4.3 4.3 - 5.8	50 100 150	2.50	6	
0.087 0.226 0.365	2.4 - 3.4 3.7 - 4.9 4.9 - 6.4	50 100 150	2.75	7	
0.094 0.246 0.399	2.7 - 3.7 4.0 - 5.2 5.2 - 7.0	50 100 150	3.00	8	
0.102 0.266 0.433	3.1 - 4.0 4.3 - 5.5 5.8 - 7.6	50 100 150	3.25	10	15
0.110 0.286 0.464	3.1 - 4.3 4.6 - 6.1 6.1 - 8.2	50 100 150	3.50	11	15 24
0.119 0.310	3.4 - 4.6 4.9 - 6.4	50 100	3.75	13	18
0.127 0.330	3.7 - 4.9 5.2 - 7.0	50 100	4.00	14	19
0.135 0.348	4.0 - 5.2 5.5 - 7.3	50 100	4.25	16	17 21
0.142 0.386	4.1 - 5.5 5.8 - 7.9	50 100	4.50	18	18 22
0.150 0.390	4.3 - 5.8 6.1 - 8.2	50 100	4.75	20	20 23
0.158 0.410	4.6 - 6.1 6.4 - 8.8	50 100	5.00	23	21 26

## 'Z' Core Supply

Air Volume	Throw m	Diffuser	Face Velocity	Pressure Drop	Sound
m <sup>-</sup> /S/m	Min. Max.	neight mm	m/s	Pd	NC
0.020	15 21	50			
0.038	1.5 - 2.1	50 100	1 25	1	
0.166	2.7 - 3.7	150	1.25	,	
0.046	1.2 - 2.4	50			
0.124	2.4 - 3.4	100	1.50	2	
0.200	3.1 - 4.3	150			
0.054	2.4 - 2.7	50			
0.144	2.7 - 4.0	100	1.75	3	
0.230	3.7 - 5.2	150			
0.064	24-34	50			
0.164	3.1 - 4.3	100	2.00	4	
0.266	4.3 - 5.8	150			
0.071	27 27				
0.071	2.7 - 3.7	50 100	2 25	5	
0.299	4.9 - 6.7	150	2.25	5	
0.079	3.1 - 4.3	50			
0.206	4.0 - 5.5	100	2.50	6	
0.333	5.5 - 7.5	150			
0.087	3.3 - 4.6	50			
0.226	4.6 - 6.1	100	2.75	7	
0.365	6.1 - 8.2	150			
0.094	3.7 - 4.9	50			
0.246	4.9 - 6.7	100	3.00	8	
0.399	6.4 - 8.8	150			
0 102	40-55	50			
0.266	5.2 - 7.0	100	3.25	10	
0.433	7.0 - 9.7	150			15
0.110	42 50				
0.110	4.3 - 5.8 5 8 - 7 6	50 100	3 50	11	15
0.464	7.6 - 10.4	150	5.50		24
0.119	4.6 - 6.4	50	3.75	13	
0.310	6.1 - 8.5	100			18
0.127	4.9 - 6.7	50			
0.330	6.4 - 8.8	100	4.00	14	19
0 1 2 5	E 2 7 0	F.0			17
0.135	5.2 - 7.0	100	4.25	16	21
0.548	7.0 - 9.4	100			21
0.142	5.5 - 7.6	50	4 50	10	18
0.386	7.3 - 10.1	100	4.50	10	22
0.150	5.8 - 7 9	50			20
0.390	7.8 - 10.7	100	4.75	20	23
0.158	6.1 - 8.2	50	5.00	23	21
0.410	8.2 - 11.3	100	0.00		26

## 'T' Series Return

Air	Grille	Face	Cores 'C' & 'D'		Cores 'Y' & 'Z'	
m³/s/m	mm	m/s	Pressure Dro Pa	<sup>p</sup> NC	Pressure Drop Pa	NC
0.12	100					
0.20	150					
0.28	200	1.5	6		3	
0.35	250			17		
0.43	300			18		
0.14	100			22		20
0.23	150			18		
0.32	200	1.75	9	20	4	
0.41	250			21		16
0.50	300			22		16
0.16	100			24		23
0.26	150			21		17
0.37	200	2.00	11	24	5	17
0.47	250			25		19
0.58	300			26		20
0.19	100			28		25
0.30	150			24	_	20
0.41	200	2.25	15	28	6	21
0.53	250			28		22
0.65	300			29		23
0.21	100			29		27
0.33	150			27		22
0.46	200	2.50	18	29	7	24
0.59	250			30		25
0.72	300			31		26
0.22	100			20		20
0.23	100			30		28
0.57	200	2 75	22	30 22	0	25
0.51	200	2.75	22	22 22	9	20
0.07	200			27		27
0.79	500			54		20
0.25	100			32		30
0.40	150			33		27
0.55	200	3.00	26	35	12	29
0.71	250			36		30
0.86	300			37		33
0.26	100			24		21
0.20	100			26		20
0.45	200	3.25	30	20	14	20
0.00	200	5.25	50	22	14	31
0.93	300			39		41
0.00	500			55		
0.28	100			36		32
0.46	150			38		30
0.65	200	3.50	36	40	17	14
0.83	250			41		37
1.04	300			42		44



# PRODUCT RANGES

GRILLES				
Linear Bar				
Ceiling				
Sidewall				
Floor				
Computer Floor				
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Single & Double Deflection				
Egg Crate				
Hinged Core				
Door Transfer				
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