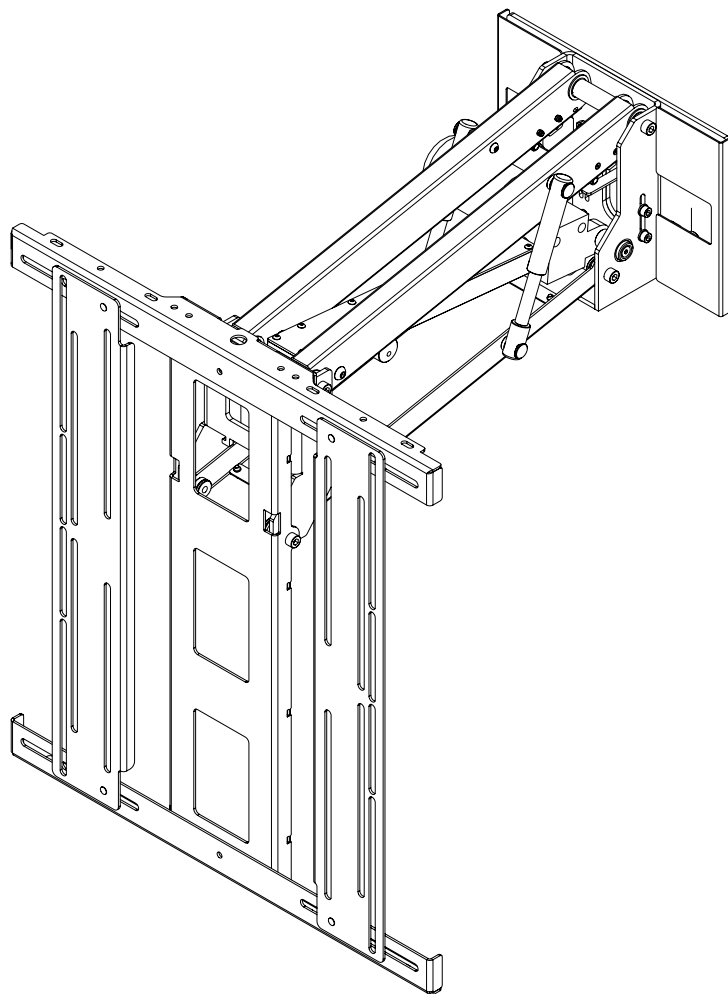# EAD

ELECTRONIC ADVANCE AND DROP TV WALL MOUNT

INSTALLATION
INSTRUCTIONS

ISSUE **008**

SAFETY
DISCLAIMER

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS BELOW

WARNING: Failure to provide adequate structural strengthening, prior to installation can result in serious personal injury or damage to the equipment. It is the installer's responsibility to ensure the structure to which the component is affixed can support four times the weight of the component and any additional apparatus mounted to the component.

WARNING: Do not exceed the weight capacity for this product as listed below. This can result in serious personal injury or damage to the equipment. It is the installer's responsibility to ensure that the total combined weight of all attached components does not exceed that of the maximum figure stated.

WARNING: Risk of death or serious injury may occur when children climb on audio and/or video equipment or furniture. A remote control or toys placed on the furnishing may encourage a child to climb on the furnishing and as a result the furnishing may tip over on to the child.

WARNING: Risk of death or serious injury may occur. Relocating audio and/or video equipment to furniture not specifically designed to support audio and/or video equipment may result in death or serious injury due to the furnishing collapsing or over turning onto a child or adult.

⚠ **WARNING – RISK OF INJURY!** ⚠

Only for use with equipment weighing **132LBS (60KG) OR LESS**.

Use with heavier projectors/equipment may lead to instability causing tip over or failure resulting in death or serious injury.

Bracket Suitable for Residential and Commercial Use.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS:
1. Keep all documentation/instructions after fitting.
2. Read all technical instructions fully before installation and use. It is the installer's responsibility to ensure that all documentation is passed on to the end user and read fully before operation.
3. Do not use near water or outdoors unless the product has been specifically designed to do so.
4. Protect any cables or cords being used near this bracket from being walked on or pinched to prevent damage and risk of injury.
5. Use this product only for its intended purpose as described in the product instructions and only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
6. Do not operate the product if it is damaged in any way, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped. Contact the original installer/manufacturer to arrange repair or return.

WARNING - To reduce the risk of burns, fire, electric shock, or injury to persons:
1. Clean only with a dry cloth and always unplug any electrical items being used in conjunction with this product before cleaning.

WARNING - The mechanism can be damaged when exposed to heat or naked flames:
1. Future Automation accept no responsibility for products damaged by exposure to heat or naked flames.
2. The mechanism can be damaged by extreme heat in any position, before, during and after installation.
3. It is up to the consumer to ensure proper precautions are taken to avoid damage to the mechanism, display, or accessories.
4. Future Automation recommend against having fires in a fireplace in the vicinity of electrical mechanisms.

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PRODUCT WARRANTY
& RISK ASSESSMENT

WARRANTY INFORMATION

WARNING - The warranty offered for this product shall be annulled if the product is used improperly or in a way that is in breach of our Terms of Service.

Future Automation provides warranty for the mechanism you purchased for the period of **24 months** from the date of purchase, provided that it isn't used for unintended purposes.

Under the warranty, Future Automation aims to either solve the issue remotely (via telephone or email support) or if the mechanism requires a part, arrange a visit to your premises by a Future Automation approved engineer or send replacement items where appropriate.

Warranty repairs will be carried out as quickly as possible, but subject to parts availability. This warranty period is respectively extended for the period of a repair.

A malfunctioning product must be cleaned and placed into suitable packaging to protect against transit damage before organising delivery to a repair workshop.

All the complaints about defects must be submitted to the vendor/installer that sold this product, rather than directly to the manufacturer.

Any part of your system that needs to be replaced during a warranty repair becomes the property of Future Automation.

The warranty does not cover the following:
*   Damages resulting from improper product use or maintenance.
*   Repairs carried out by unauthorized persons.
*   Natural wear and tear during operation.
*   Damages caused by the buyer.
*   Accidental damages caused by a customer or damages caused as a result of careless attitude or usage, or damages caused by natural disasters (natural phenomena).
*   Any electrical, or other environmental work external to your Future Automation mechanism including power cuts, surges etc.
*   Additional items not supplied by Future Automation although they may have been supplied together by the retailer
*   Any 3rd party software products controlling your mechanism
*   Any transfer of ownership. Warranty is provided only to the initial purchaser.
*   Compensation for loss of use of the product, and consequential loss of any kind.

A separate Safety and Servicing Information document is provided with these instructions (additional copies can be found at www.futureautomation.co.uk/safety), and this document **MUST** be filled out by the approved Future Automation Dealer who is installing the product. This Warranty Sheet must be held by the end user for the duration of the products life and will be referred to during servicing or warranty queries.

The Safety and Servicing Information document also contains two Service History Forms that must be filled in by the approved Future Automation dealer who is performing the first required yearly service of this product.

One copy of the Service History Form must be held by the customer (along with the Warranty Sheet) and a duplicate copy must be held by the approved Future Automation dealer that performed the service. Missing and/or mismatching documents may delay or invalidate warranty claims.

Additional Service History Forms can be found on the Future Automation website for further yearly services.

RISK ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

It is the installer's responsibility to perform a risk assessment of installed products. Future Automation can provide guidelines to installers/dealer about what should be included in a risk assessment, but due to the individual nuances of each location/site, Future Automation cannot provide a full list of areas to risk assess.

For full risk assessment and safety information please view our Safety and Servicing guide available at www.futureautomation.net/safety

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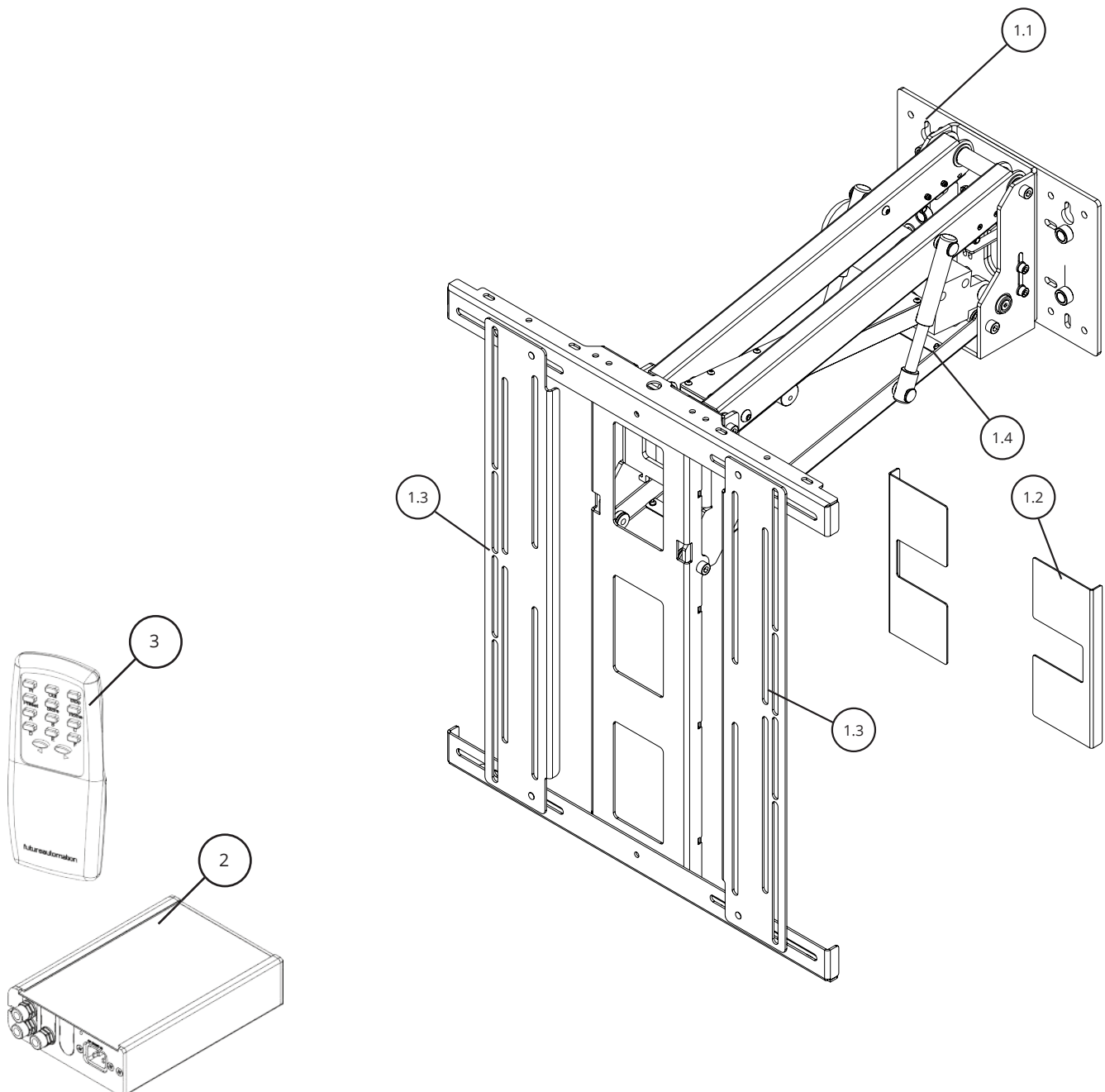
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ITEMS NOT SHOWN ON PAGE
        EAD ACCESSORY PACK
        - X2 AAA BATTERIES
        - MULTI-PACK OF NUTS, BOLTS AND WASHERS
        - MAINS POWER, IR AND CONTACT CLOSURE LEADS

MECHANISM
QUICK-START GUIDE

Some Future Automation mechanisms may ship with the control box disconnected to prevent damage during transit. In order to operate the mechanism, the control box will need to reconnected, then have mains power applied along with the desired control method.

RECONNECTING THE CONTROL BOX

To reconnect the mechanism control box, follow the below steps:

1. Make sure the power is disconnected from the control box.

2. Remove the retaining screw and washer from the end of the control box to allow removal of the control box lid. (Image 1 Below).

3. Slide off the control box lid to reveal the control board inside.

4. Locate the green connector on the end of the loom leading from the lift mechanism. This plug will have a small tag attached stating the correct connecting socket on the control board (e.g. "AC1", "DC2"...) (Image 2 Below).

5. Plug the green connector into the corresponding socket on the control board. This plug is handed and will only connect correctly one way. Do NOT force the connector into the socket, this can cause serious damage to the control board and mechanism.

6. Route the wiring loom out of the end of the control box by inserting the black plastic inserts into the slots provided. (Image 3 Below).

7. Slide the control box cover back over the control board and replace the fixing screw and washer.
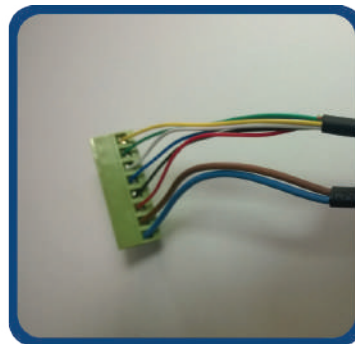

Image 1.

Image 2.

Image 3.

Image 4.

IMPORTANT
For the mechanism to operate, the green three way safety connector with the loop of wire attached, must also be plugged into the end of the control box. (Image 4 above).
If this connector is not plugged in, a bright red LED will be visible inside control board and the Input Confirmation Input LED will be permanently illuminated.
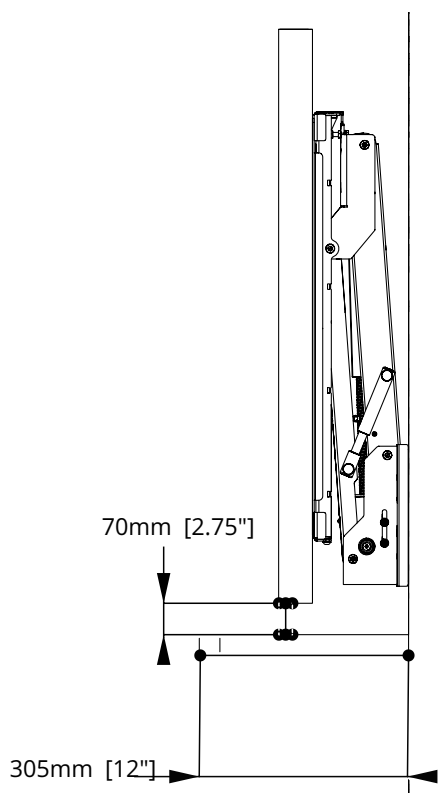
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MECHANISM
POSITIONING

1

Dimension X
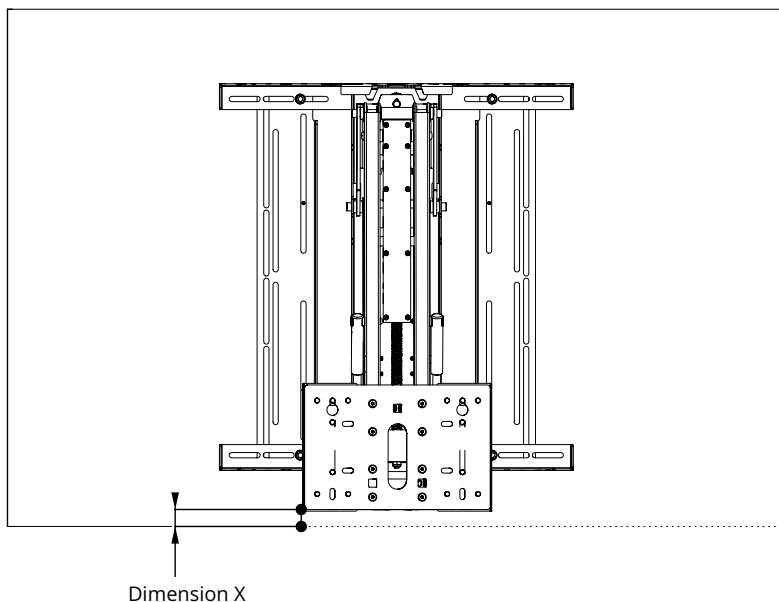
- With the screen laid flat, offer the mechanism and screen mount up to the screens mount holes and measure from the bottom of the screen to the bottom of the Wall Plate to determine the mechanisms position on the wall.
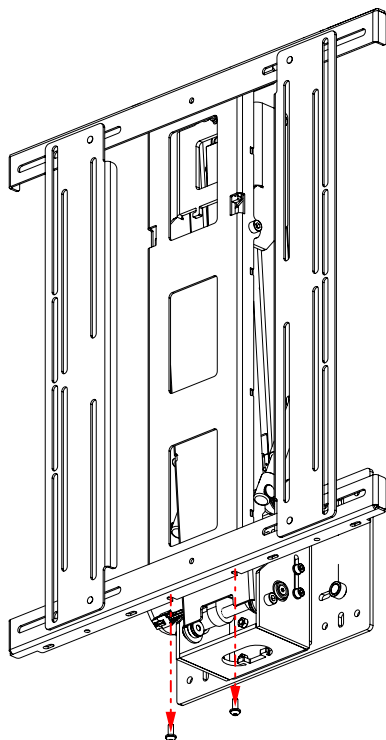
2

70mm [2.75"]

305mm [12"]

- The screen must start a minimum of 70mm [2.75"] above any objects (such as a mantelpiece) that protrude 305mm [12.0"] or less from the wall - for deeper obstructions the screen must start higher.

  NOTE: Refer to page 8 of the EAD Technical Sheet to determine the final wall fixing hole positions.

6

REMOVING
SCREEN MOUNT

1

- To make the process of mounting the EAD to the wall easier, the Screen Mount Frame should be removed.
- Firstly remove the 2 x M6 bolts located at the bottom of the Screen Mount Frame as shown.

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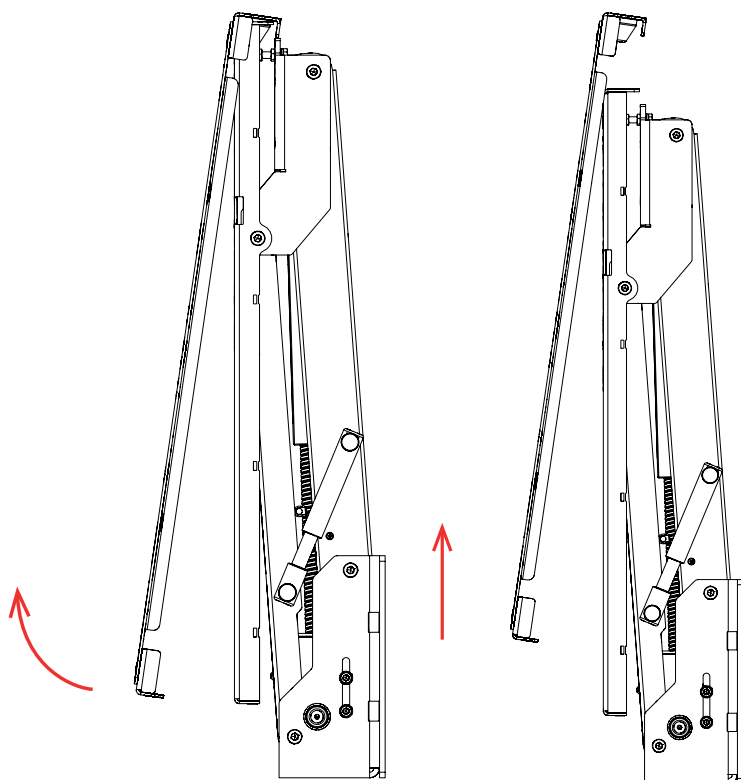
- Once the bolts have been removed, pull the bottom edge of the Mount Frame away from the Mechanism before lifting it up and away.
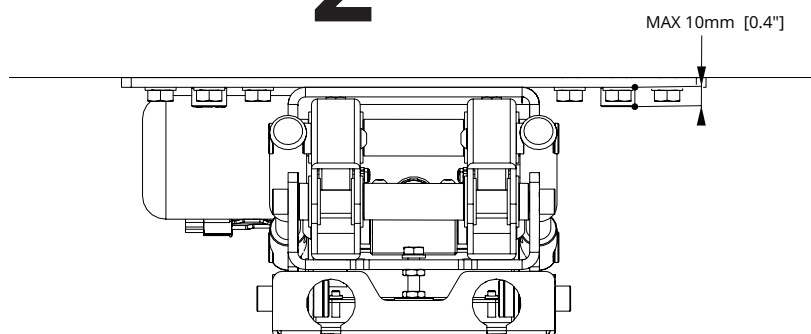
MECHANISM MOUNTING

1

Ensure the mounting wall is structurally suitable and appropriate fixings are used before continuing installation.

- Position the mechanism at the final mounting height on the wall and attach bolts in the locations shown.
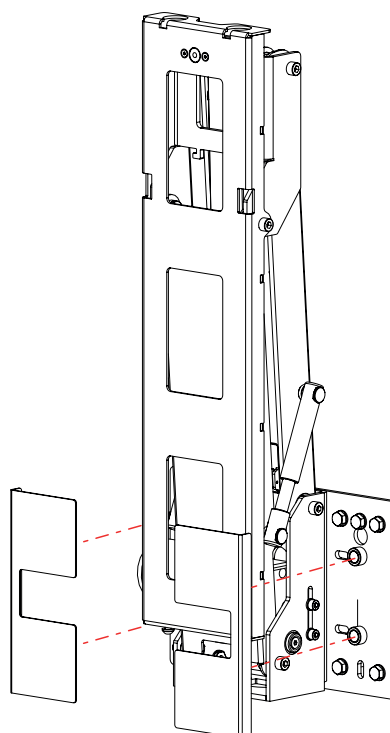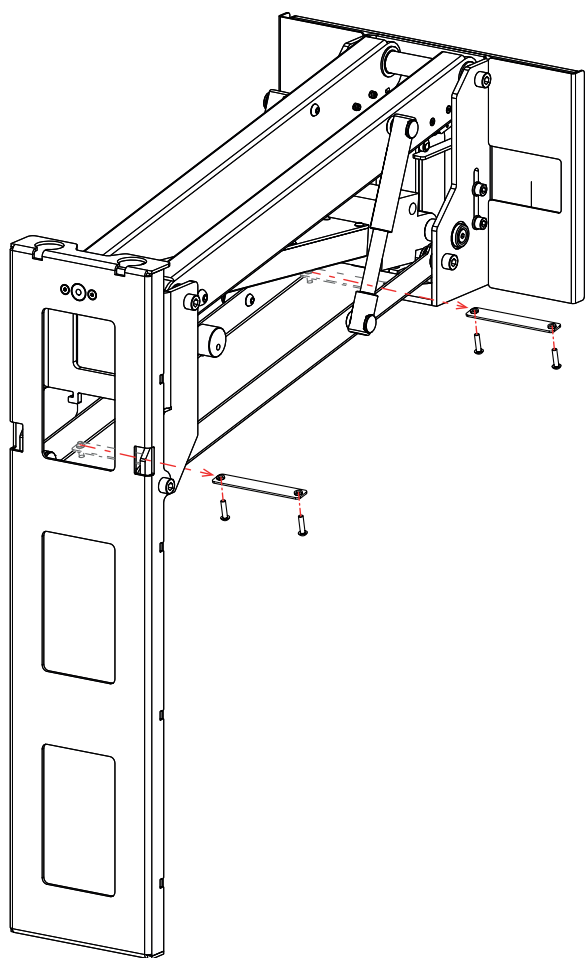
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MAX 10mm [0.4"]
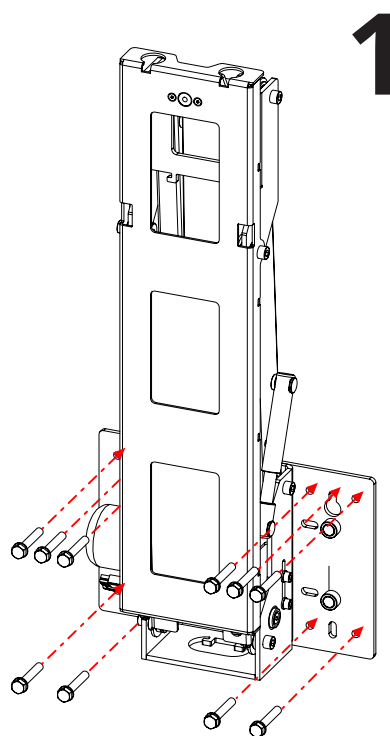
- Make sure that the fixing heads do not protrude more than 10mm [0.4"]

3

- Reattach the Cover Plates to the magnets on the Wall Plate.

CABLE
MANAGEMENT

1

- Power up the mechanism using the Quick Start Guide on Page 5 and fully extend the mechanism by pressing the OUT button on the IR Remote Control to access the cable management areas.

- Unscrew the bolts holding the Cable Management Clamps in place and remove them from the mechanism.

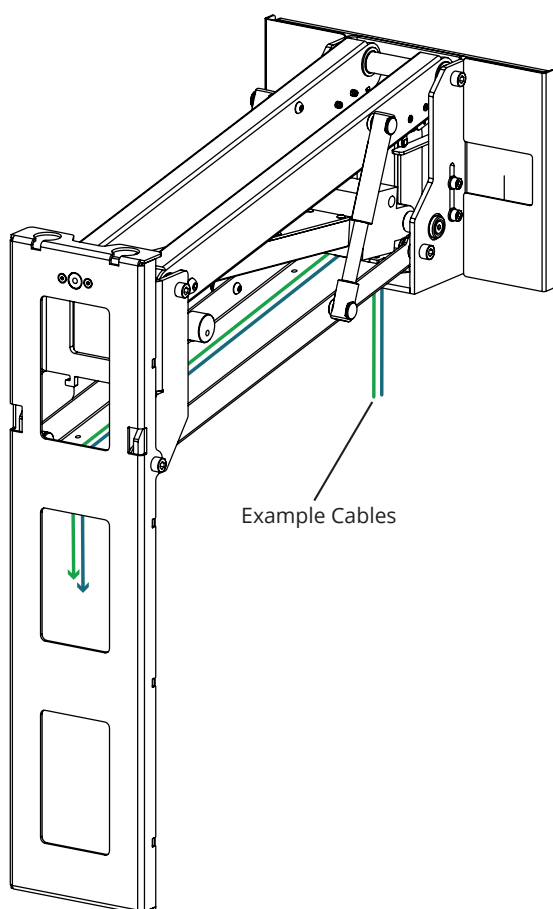- Keep these safe as they will be used again later to secure all cables in place.

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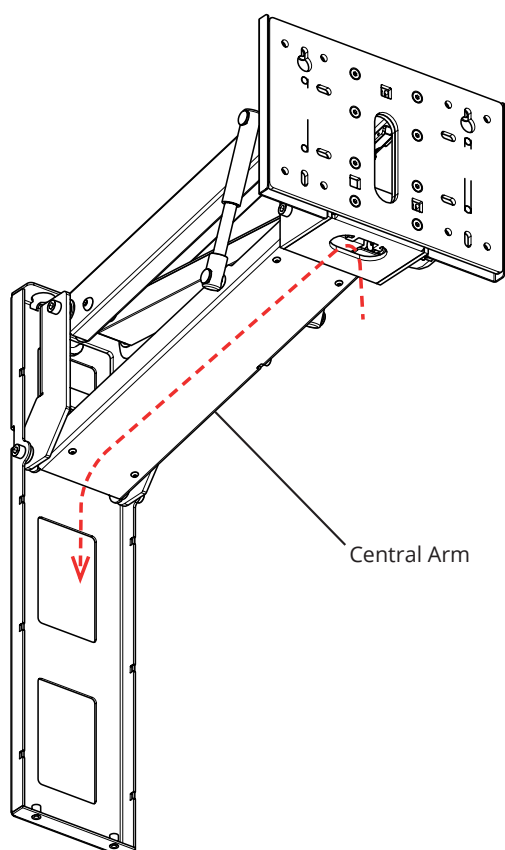
Central Arm

- Run the cables through the rear of the mechanism along the central arm to the front of the mount ensuring sufficient slack is left around pivot points..
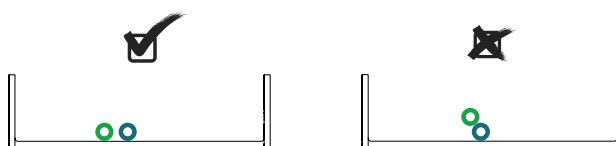
CABLE
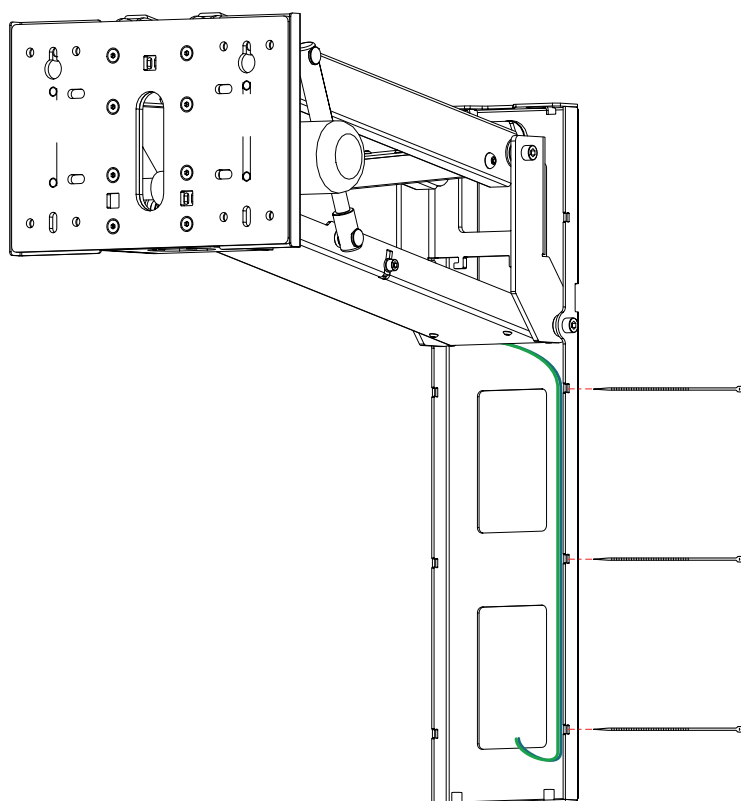## MANAGEMENT CONT.

1

Example Cables

- Ensure no cable diameters are larger than 10mm [0.4"].

- Secure all cables along the central arm using the two Cable Management Clamps.

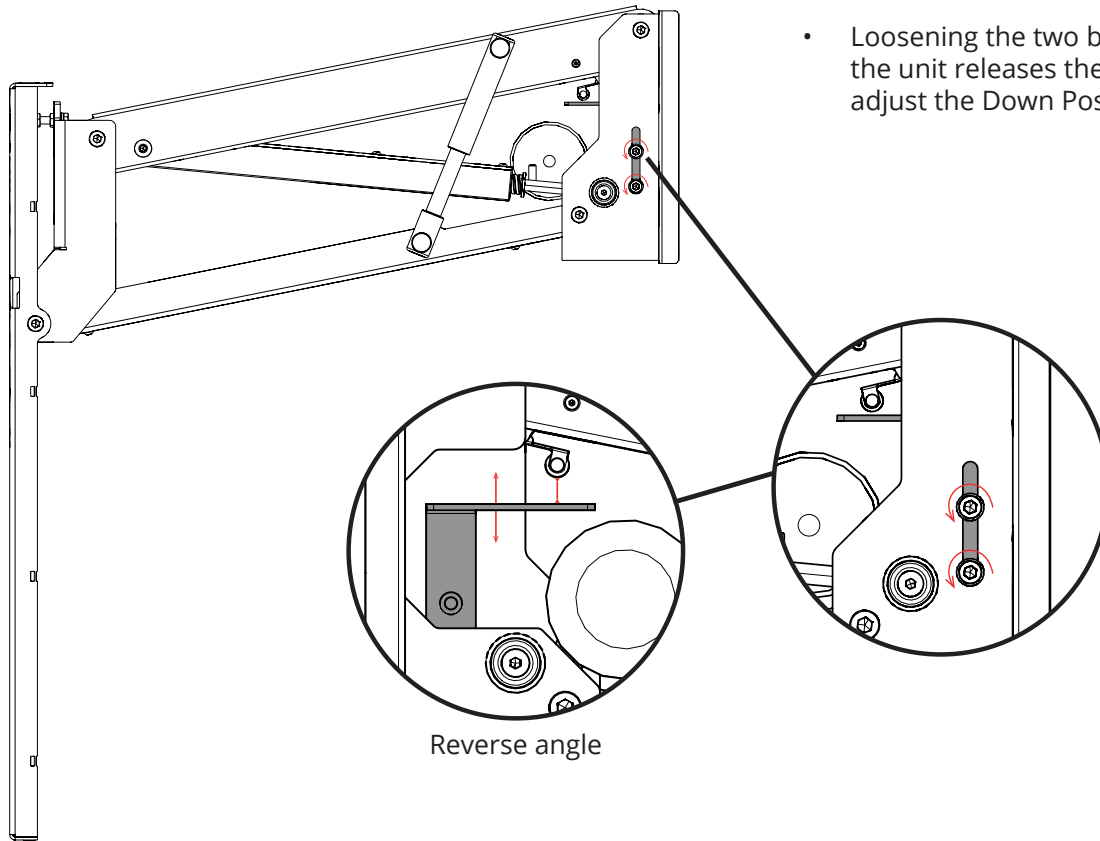 **NOTE: Stacking cables along the central arm will interfere with the mechanism during operation.**

2

- Cables can be zip tied to the front of the mechanism through any of the six loops if necessary.
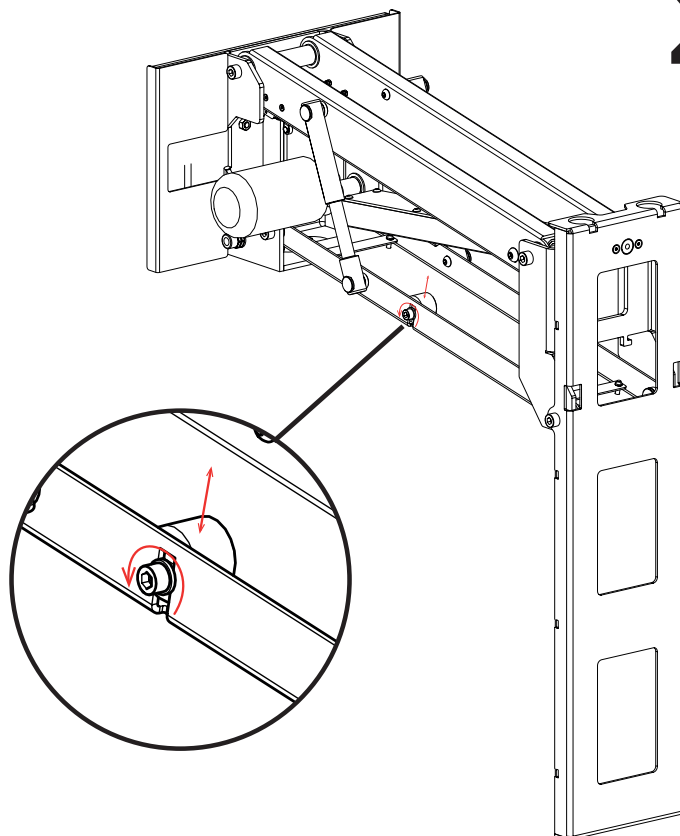
SWITCH
ADJUSTMENTS

1

- Loosening the two bolts on the exterior of the unit releases the arm used to manually adjust the Down Position of the mechanism.

Reverse angle

2

- Loosening the bolt on the central arm of the unit releases the buffer used to manually adjust the Up Position of the mechanism.
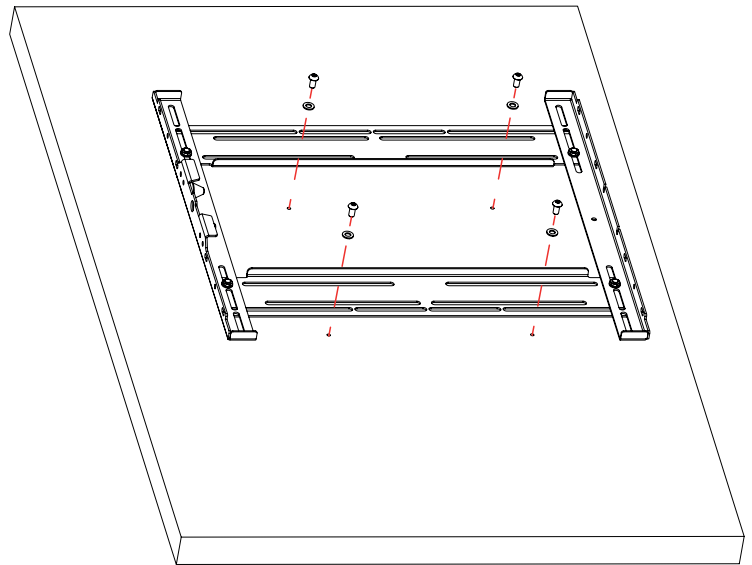
MECHANISM
MOUNTING

- Lay the screen down on a safe surface and place the screen uprights on to the screens VESA holes.

- Secure in place using the fixings in the provided fixings pack.

NOTE: Screens with recessed mount holes or uneven backs may require the use of the supplied spacers.

NOTE: If your screen is not VESA mount compatible you will need to attach an adapter to the Screen Mount Frame at this stage.
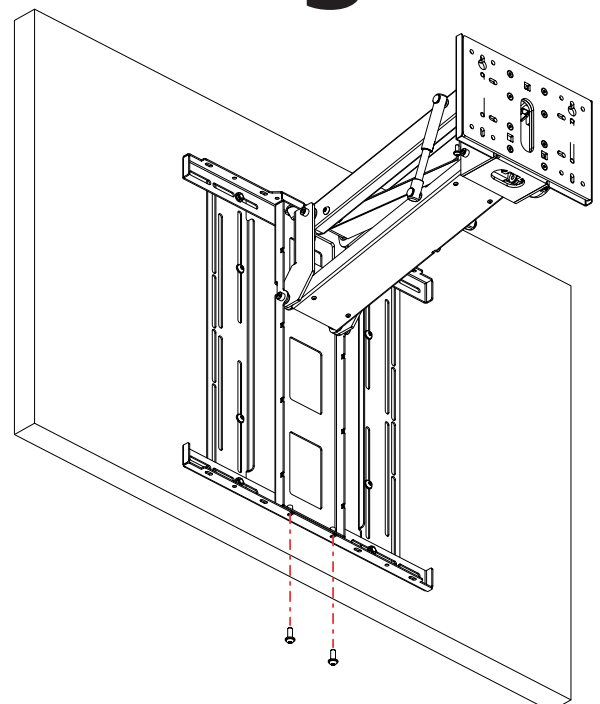

2

- Hook the top edge of the Screen Mount Frame to the mechanism and lower into place.

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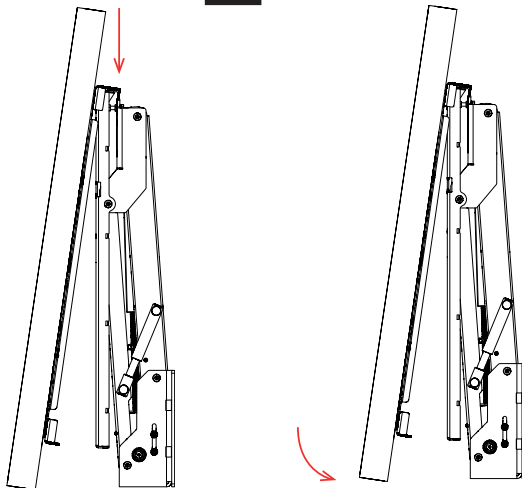
- Replace the two bolts to the underside of the Screen Mount Frame to secure the screen in place and connect all cables.
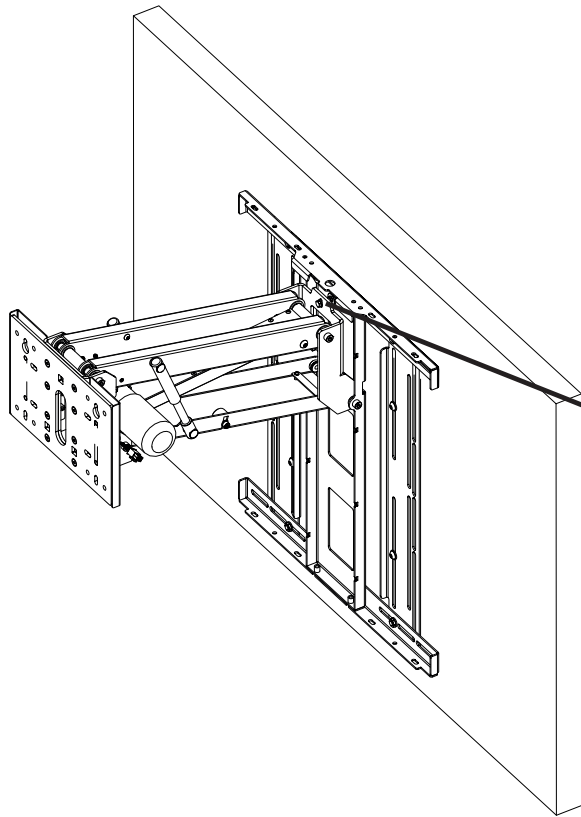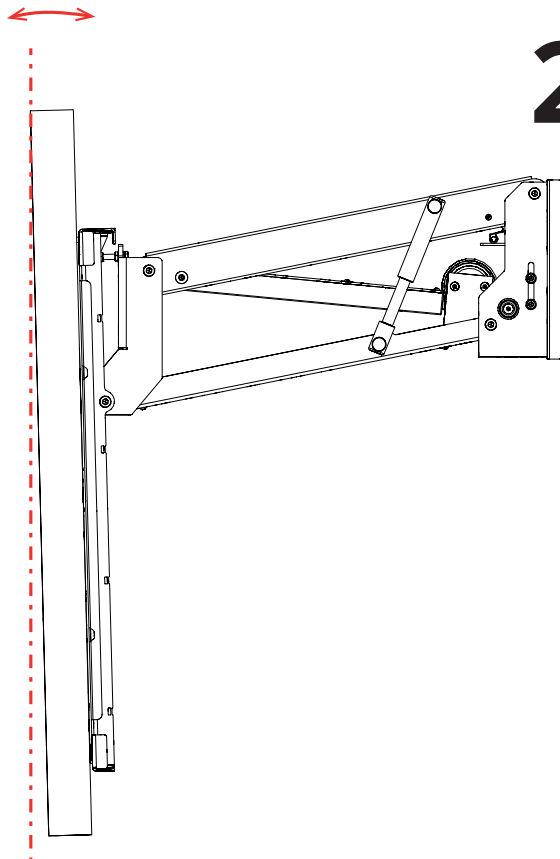
TILT
ADJUSTMENTS

1

- Manually adjust the tilt of the screen by loosening the bolt and inside nut behind the top of the Screen Mount Frame.
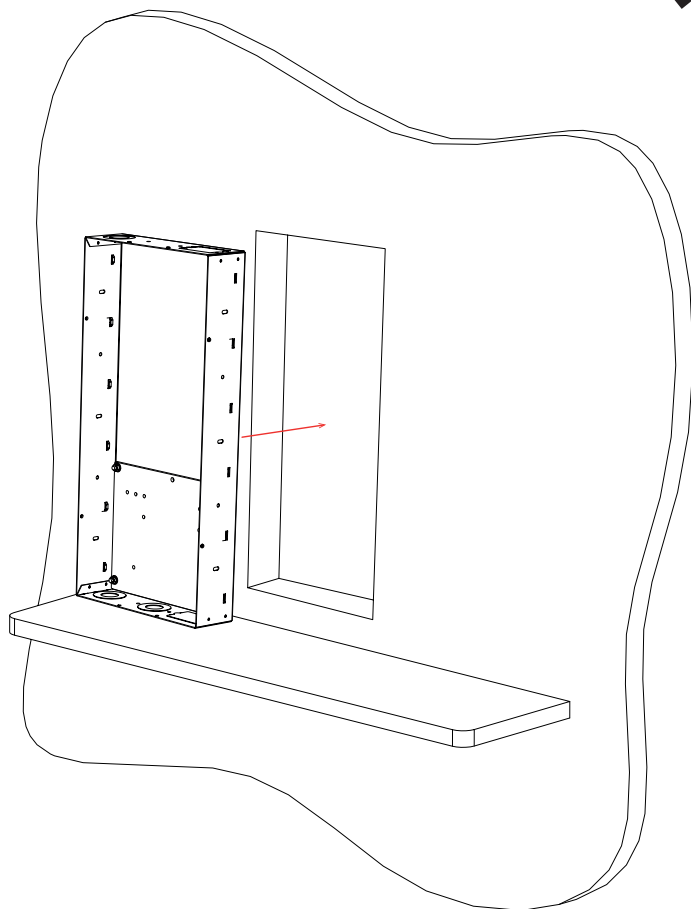

2

- Once desired angle is set, tighten the bolt and nut to lock the screen in place.

WALLBOX
MOUNTING
(OPTIONAL)

1

- The optional Wall Box comes pre-assembled, so the trim around the edges needs to be removed before installation.

- Remove the M4 bolts around the inside edges of the Wall Box to remove these trim pieces.

- Follow the guide for creating a recess in the wall using the EAD4 tech sheet.

- Place the Wall Box into the recess.

2
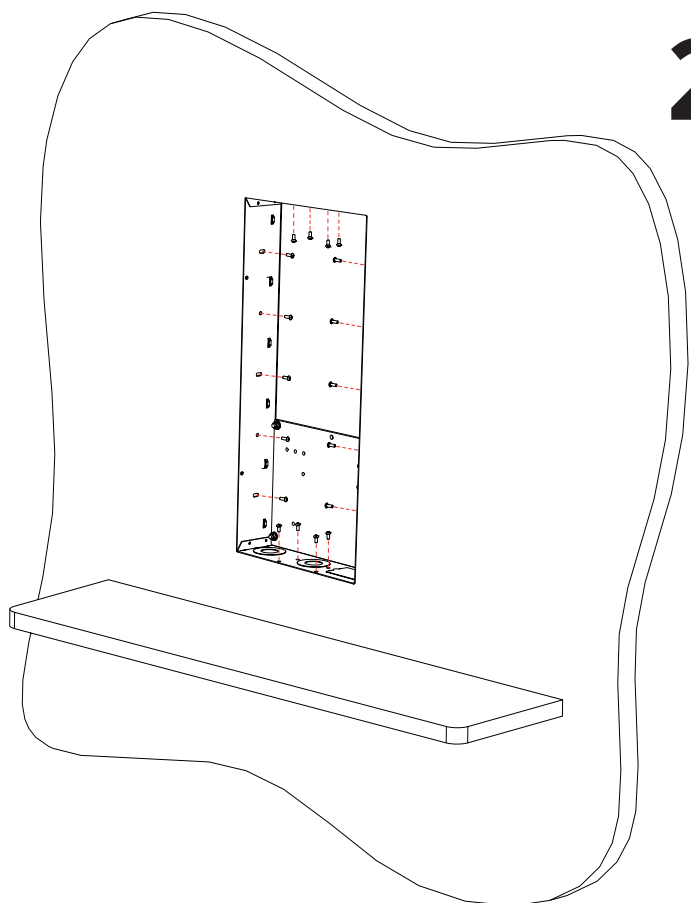
- Attach your fixings to the inside of the Wall Box to secure it in place.

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It is the installers responsibility to obtain the appropriate fixings for securing the Wall Box and attaching the Mechanism to the reinforced plate.

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WALLBOX
MOUNTING CONT.
(OPTIONAL)

1

- Attach the mechanism to the reinforced plate at the base of the Wall Box using the supplied M8 bolts.

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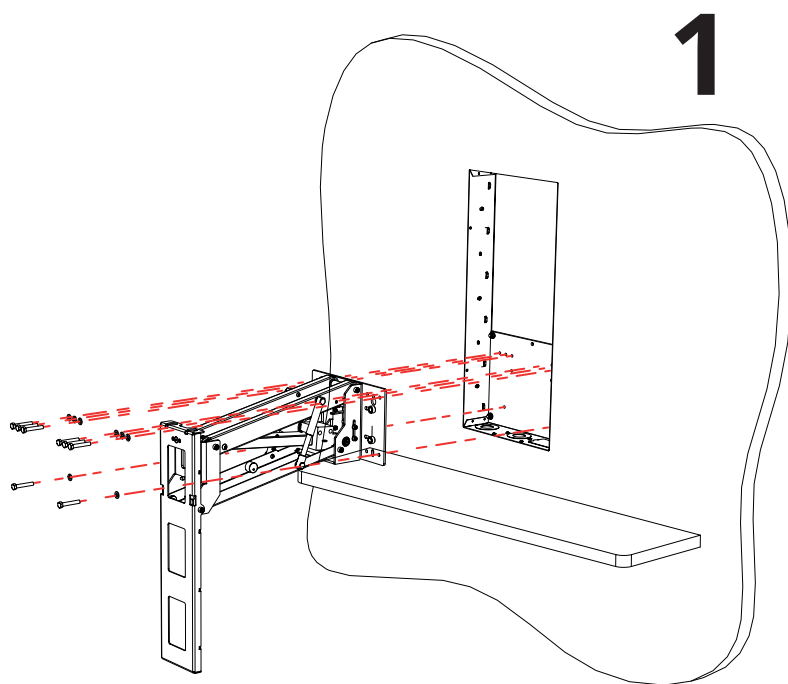**It is the installers responsibility to obtain the appropriate fixings for securing the Wall Box and attaching the Mechanism to the reinforced plate.**

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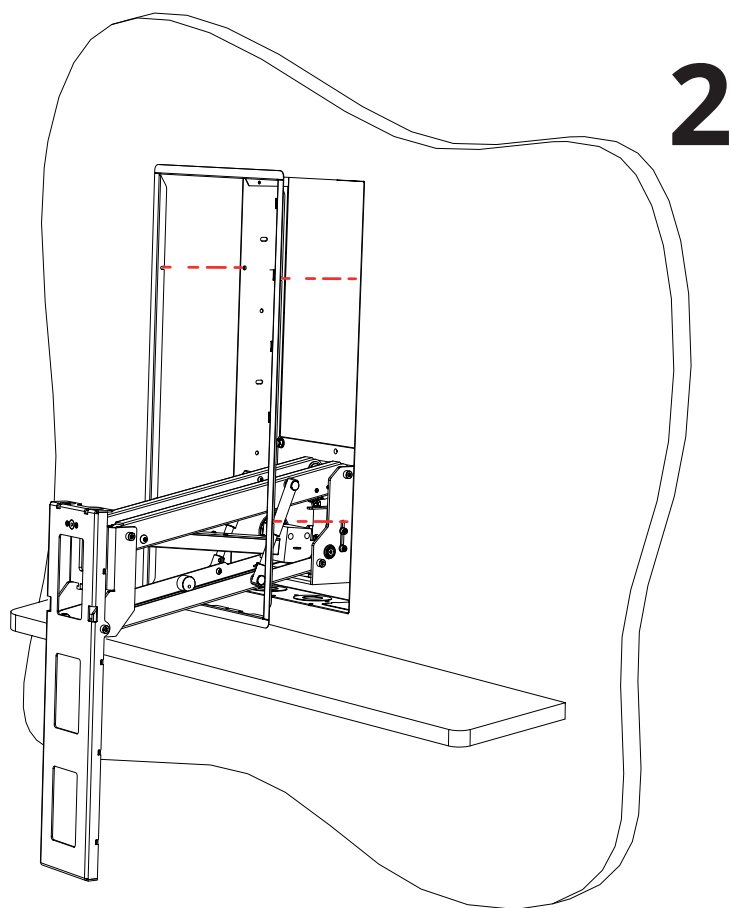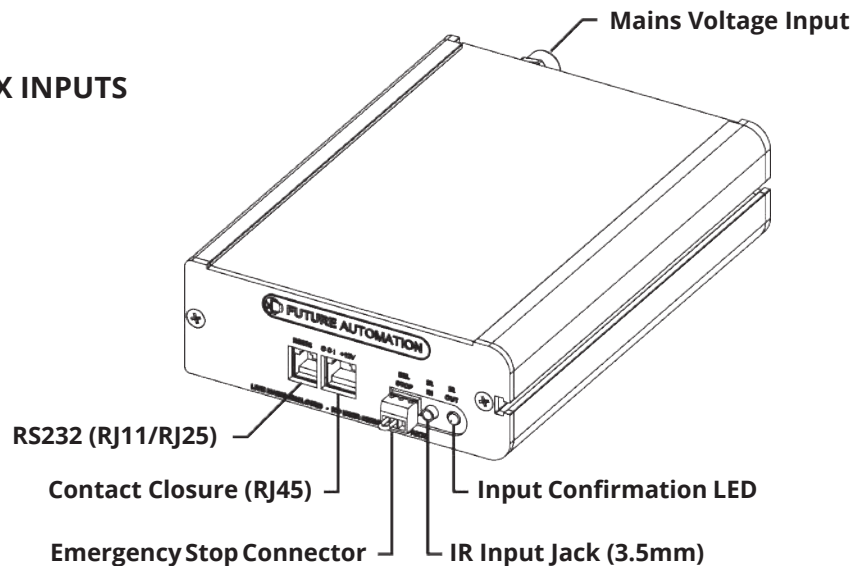- Replace the four pieces of Wall Box trim and secure in place with the supplied M4 bolts.

- Refer to page 14 for Display Mounting instructions to complete installation.

GENERAL
CONTROL

This mechanism has multiple standard control methods, each of which requires a different input method to the control box. For ease, the input sockets on the control board are labelled below. **(Control box size and style may vary to image shown)**

Mains Voltage Input

CONTROL BOX INPUTS

RS232 (RJ11/RJ25)

Contact Closure (RJ45)

Input Confirmation LED

Emergency Stop Connector

IR Input Jack (3.5mm)

MECHANISM EMERGENCY STOP CONNECTOR

This mechanism features an Emergency Stop Connector, which MUST be plugged into the control box in the connector labelled above for the mechanism to operate. If this connector is not plugged in, the Input Confirmation LED will be permanently lit. As per the red plastic tag attached to the Emergency Stop Connector (and shown below), the small loop of wire in this connector is designed to be replaced by a third party safety mechanism.

Refer to Mechanism Instructions.

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This emergency stop loop is designed to be removed and replaced with a safety device.

Full safety information can be found at
www.futureautomation.co.uk/safety

REPLACING MECHANISM BATTERIES

The standard Future Automation Infrared (IR) remote control required x2 AAA batteries to operate. These are provided with the mechanism in the Accessories Pack. These batteries can be replaced as the per the image below.

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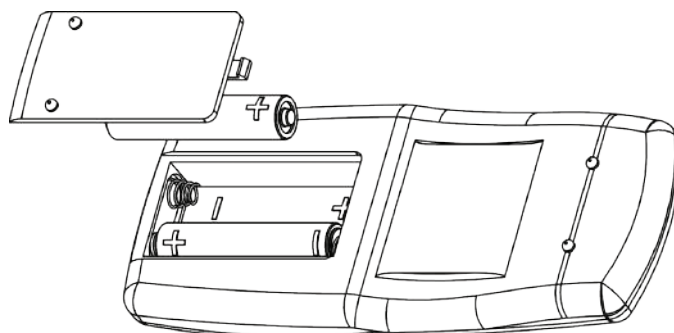
INFRARED
(IR)

This Mechanism can be controlled via the supplied 14 button Infrared (IR) Remote Control, pair with the supplied Infrared (IR) lead and sensor.

The mechanism's functions can be controlled by plugging the Infrared (IR) lead and sensor into the 3.5mm IR Input Jack shown on the General Mechanism Control page.

Confirmation of Infrared (IR) input will be shown by a single flash of the large green LED located on the end of the control box.

As Infrared (IR) control works over line of site, the Infrared (IR) sensor must be directly viewable from what ever location the remote control is being used from.

Infrared (IR) Remote Control Button Layout

IN - Brings the mechanism into the cabinet.

OUT - Brings the mechanism out of the cabinet, without swivelling.

STOP - Will stop the operation of the mechanism at ANY position.
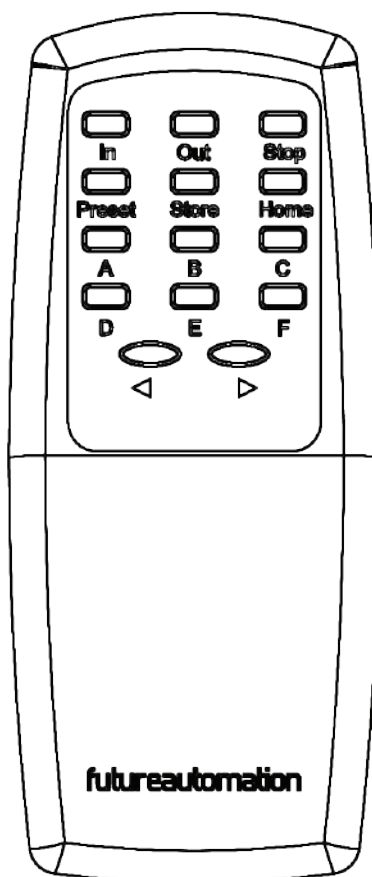
HOME (When paired with other Future Automation Product) - Takes panel/s open and EAD retracted against wall.

D-F - Brings the mechanism to learnt position.

STORE + D-F - Pressed with 1 second of each other stores positions D-F.

STORE + OUT - Pressed with 1 second of each other stores OUT position.

STORE + STOP + OUT - Pressed with 1 second of each other clears learnt OUT position.

IMPORTANT
Only buttons indicated above are functional with the product. Any other button press will STOP the mechanism.

RADIO FREQUENCY
(RF)

If purchased with the Radio Frequency (RF) control option, this mechanism can be controlled via the supplied 4 button Radio Frequency (RF) Remote Control, paired with the in-built Radio Frequency (RF) sensor.

Confirmation of Radio Frequency (RF) input will be shown by a single flash of the large green LED located on the end of the control box.

Radio Frequency (RF) control does not require line of site, but signal can affected cabinet thickness, cabinet material or other electronic signals (i.e. strong WIFI signals).
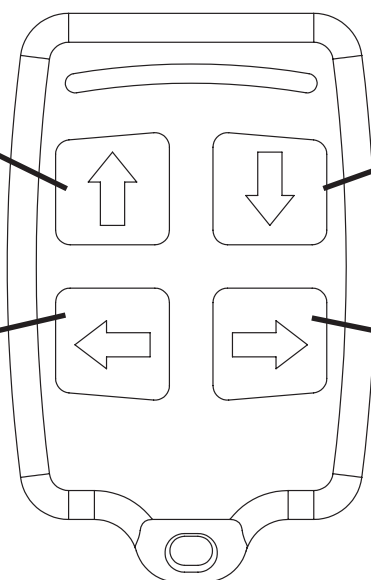
Radio Frequency (RF) Remote Control Button Layout

IN - Brings the mechanism into the cabinet.

OUT - Brings the mechanism out of the cabinet, without swivelling.

STOP - Will stop the operation of the mechanism at ANY position.

STOP - Will stop the operation of the mechanism at ANY position.

The Radio Frequency (RF) Remote Control can only be used to recall the above functions.

The mechanism limits and preset positions must be programmed using the supplied Infrared (IR) Remote Control.

IMPORTANT
Pressing any button while the mechanism is moving will STOP the mechanism.

CONTACT
CLOSURE

This Mechanism can be controlled via Contact Closure, utilising an 8 Pin RJ45 Connector attached to a length of CAT5 (Type 568A or 568B) cable.

The mechanism's functions can be controlled by plugging this into the RJ45 port on the mechanism control board, then shorting pins 1-8 on this connector as shown in the Contact Closure Input Table below.

Confirmation of Contact Closure input will be shown by a single flash of the large green LED located on the end of the control box, as well as illumination of the corresponding Contact Closure LED on the printed circuit board as shown below.

RJ45 PIN LAYOUT
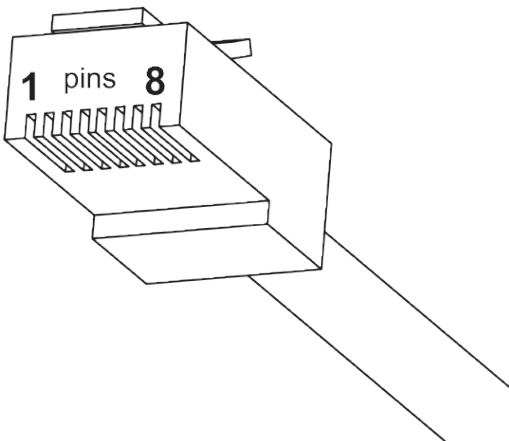
CONTACT CLOSURE LED LAYOUT
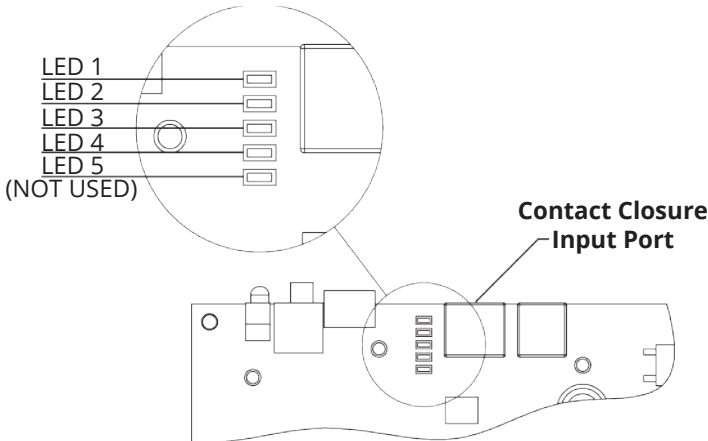
CONTACT CLOSURE INPUT TABLE

PIN	DESCRIPTION	ACTION	WIRE/CABLE TYPE		LED INDICATOR
			568A	568B	
1	12V SUPPLY	12V SUPPLY - CURRENT LIMITED	W/G	W/O	
2	12V LATCH	WHEN 12V ATTACHED, DEVICE WILL MOVE TO D POSITION. WHEN 12V REMOVED, DEVICE WILL GO IN.	G	O	
3	GROUND	GROUND	W/O	W/G	
			B	B	
5	DEVICE LATCH (PRE-SET)	SHORT TO GROUND (PIN 3), DEVICE WILL MOVE TO D POSITION, WHEN REMOVED DEVICE WILL MOVE TO IN POSITION.	W/B	W/B	LED 4
6	DEVICE STOP	MOMENTARY SHORT TO GROUND (PIN 3), STOPS DEVICE IN CURRENT POSITION.	O	G	LED 3
7	DEVICE OUT	MOMENTARY SHORT TO GROUND (PIN 3), DEVICE WILL MOVE TO OUT POSITION.	W/BR	W/BR	LED 2
8	DEVICE IN	MOMENTARY SHORT TO GROUND (PIN 3), DEVICE WILL MOVE TO IN POSITION.	BR	BR	LED 1

IMPORTANT
THE DEVICE CAN BE STOPPED BY SHORTING PINS 5,6,7 OR 8 TO GROUND (PIN 3) WHILST THE DEVICE IS MOVING

RS232
CONTROL

This Mechanism can be controlled via RS232, utilising a 6 Pin RJ11/RJ25 connector OR 9 Pin Serial connector attached to a length of 6 core cable.

The mechanism's functions can be controlled by plugging this into the RJ11/RJ25 port on the mechanism control box, then inputting the RS232 commands shown in the RS232 Input Table below.
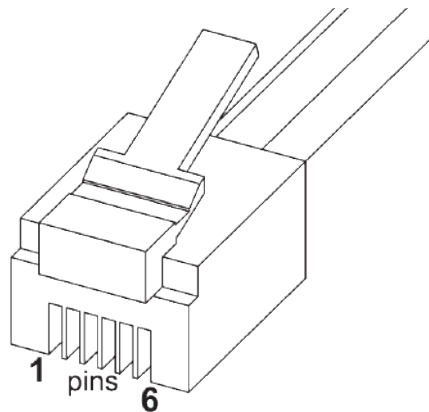
Confirmation of Contact Closure input will be shown by a single flash of the large green LED located on the end of the control box.

RJ11/RJ25 PIN LAYOUT
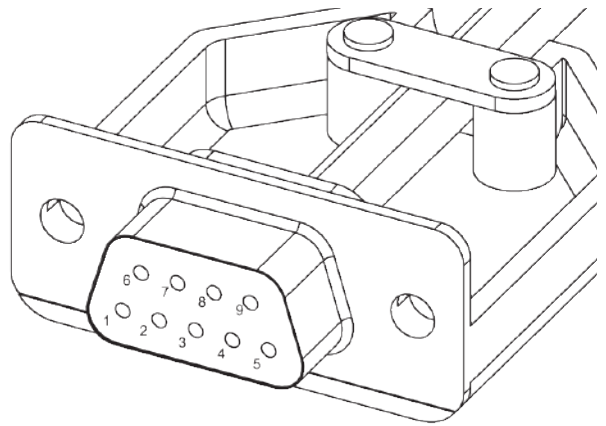**PIN 1: RX**
PIN 6: TX
PIN 3 & 4: GROUND

SERIAL PIN LAYOUT
PIN 2: RX
PIN 3: TX
PIN 5: GROUND

RS232 PROGRAMMING DETAILS
Baud Rate: 9600

Stop Bit: 1

Parity: None

Databits: 8

RJ11/RJ25	Func.	9 PIN Serial	Colour
PIN 1	TX-RX	PIN 2	Blue
PIN 3	GROUND	PIN 5	Green
PIN 4	GROUND	PIN 5	Red
PIN 6	RX-TX	PIN 3	White

RS232 INPUT TABLE

IMPORTANT - Ensure all protocols are entered exactly as written below, including Carriage Return (ENTER / ASCII 13)

Protocol	Action
fa_in Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device fully IN
fa_out Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device fully OUT
fa_stop Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device STOP (At any position)
fa_d Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device to preset D position
fa_e Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device to preset E position
fa_f Carriage Return (Enter / ASCII 13)	Device to preset F position

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