

Specification with BIM and Openings Studio™

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ASSA ABLOY Opening Solutions Middle East Specification with BIM and Openings Studio™ at Al Ahli Bank, Amman

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Software used by the client: AutoCAD Revit 3D ASSA ABLOY Software used: Openings Studio™

Size of Specification: 640 doors

Challenge

Solution

The main challenge faced was the need to manually review all the floor plans and elevations to meticulously extract the data needed to create a detailed Manual Door schedule. We also had to use Microsoft Excel to carefully process data while avoiding errors. We faced a few communication issues between the specifier and consultant, and the revision process was complicated as new changes and updates had to be tracked manually. There was also a requirement to manually organize Technical Data Sheets and Certificates to send to the consultants.

We were able to provide solutions for the challenges stated above by using ASSA ABLOY's proprietary BIM Openings Studio™. The complete detailed scheduling process was automated using Openings Studio™'s Analyze process. The door schedule details were then easily exported from Autodesk Revit via the plugin to avoid manual door scheduling. Centralized data and customized reports with images were provided at the with the consultant in Jordan was simplified using the Import and Export options. The technical and product for all parties concerned. Revisions were monitored using the Highlight Changes option which saves time as opposed to manually tracking each change.

consultant's request. Communicating the requested data databases were centralized to make them easier to access

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Segment: Commercial

Property type: Bank / Financial Institution

Location: Amman, Jordan

"Opening studio was very helpful in Al Ahli Bank project to define the suitable hardware set according to space function since we had many types of doors."

Haneen Albow Senior Architect/ BIM Manager at Engicon

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