

# CASE: Café Federal

**Area:** Valencia, Spain

**Products used:** Acoustic Panels

**Architect:** Hadit

**Interior Architect:** Jorge Gil Martin



When Café Federal opened up their latest café in Valencia, they wanted to make the most of a fantastic open interior space. Large street level windows and high ceilings are an obvious plus for any café space, but they also bring challenges. Mindful that noise levels could easily detract from the customer experience, the design team placed BAUX wood wool panels on a wall in the centre of the space to dampen sound reflections and create something unique.

Café Federal had used acoustic panels before, mainly on the ceilings because they wanted them to disappear. The BAUX design offered something different – a focal point that breaks up sound at speaking height, helping to control volume around the central counter where there's most movement. The BAUX design also set them apart from everyone else. Natural wood textures, combined in pinks and reds, created a fresh contrast within the space.

## **Products used:**

**Acoustic wood-wool Panels** — Stripes, Diagonal, Lines, Check.

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