

# Ready for tile shower base or decorative central drain





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## **TECHNICAL SHEET**

- -Basic safety equipment
- -1/2 inch by 1/2-inch notched trowel
- -Tile mortar with polymer (Flexibility up to 1/8 of thickness)
- -Level
- -Clear silicone tube
- -Silicone applicator gun
- -Mixing rod for mortar
- -Drill for mixing
- -Waterproofing liquid membrane\*\*\*
- -Brush
- -Reinforcement tape\*\*\*

\*\*\*Recommended, but optional depending on the type of threshold chosen\*\*\*

(Optional ready-to-tile threshold or brushed stain-less steel)

#### **Steps to Installation**

- \* Please read this entire manual before proceeding with the installation\*.
- 1. Make sure the floor is level where the shower base will be installed.
- 2. Mark out the area where the base and glass panels will be installed.
- 3. Delimitation for wall thresholds.
- 4. You must now mark out your thresholds that will be used to support the glass panels. You must install 1 3/4-inch-wide wood or high-density Styrofoam posts on the floor. These will be your thresholds (once the ceramic tiles are installed on each side and above, you will now have a standard dimension for your glass walls).
- \*You can also install our ready to tile thresholds or our ready to install stainless steel thresholds. (Available at your retailer)

## Installation notes on the waterproofing of the sill.

- \* You must apply a layer of liquid membrane to make the joint between the piece that serves as a threshold and the base. Then, apply a reinforcing tape. Finally, you must apply a second layer of liquid membrane to seal everything.
- \* Sand (coarse sandpaper) the surfaces where the liquid membrane will be applied to increase the adhesion of the liquid membrane.
- 5. The sides with the wall edges must be supported on the studs and the gypsum is installed on top of them, leaving a half-inch gap with the bottom. The ceramic tiles join the bottom of the base and are finished with a silicone bead between the base and the tiles.

6. Spread the cement glue with the notched trowel ½ p.



- 7. Install the base by pressing well around the drain and make sure it remains level.
- 8. Connect the ABS drain with the water return according to the code in your area.
- 9. Allow the recommended curing time (for mortar, adhesive) by the manufacturer before walking on the base.
- 10. You can now install your ceramic.

#### Installation notes

- \*Avoid contact between stainless steel and other metals. If contact occurs, please use a bead (gasket) between the two metals.
- \* Note that if you need to drill the base, make sure to use the high-quality stainless-steel hardware provided.



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