# POSH SOLUS, LOWLINE & 4-WAY BASES

Please read instructions carefully before installing; failure to follow instructions voids warranty.

Check for any chips or damage that may have been caused during transport. It is the responsibility of the installer of the shower tray to adhere to local building codes in relation to waterproofing and installation.

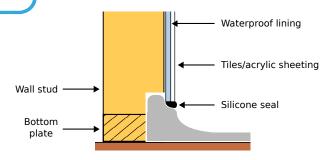


### **1** Water test base



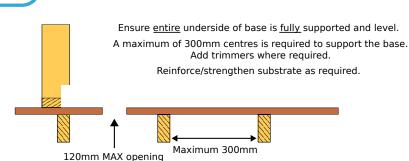
Put base on a level surface and water test with 5 litres of water to ensure it drains correctly. If this is not possible, a small spherical object placed in each corner will suffice.

### **2** Prepare the wall studs

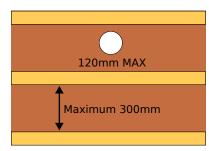


These bases are designed to be installed in a stud wall. Make sure there is clearance between the base's tile lip and the wall stud to allow for any movement.

# For installation on timber/steel substrate



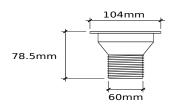
#### Underside



# 4 Waste connection - to be completed only by licensed plumber

**NOTE:** Waste is only loosely screwed into base by Showerline - <u>waste must be removed</u> prior to installation of base.

Appropriate silicone sealant  $\underline{\text{must}}$  be used when re-attaching waste after base has been installed.

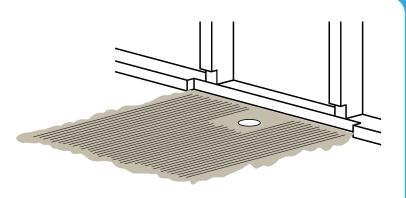


## 5a Lay/level base

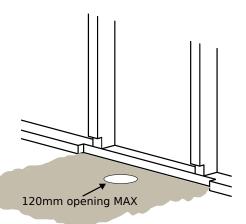
#### If substrate is level:

- Spread a minimum 10mm of tile adhesive over entire area, slightly wider than where base is to sit. This is to ensure entire base is bedded adequately.
- ◆ Screed/rake adhesive using a 10mm tile comb.
- Gently place base onto adhesive with outside edge of base resting firmly against stud frame.

If substrate is not level, see next step.



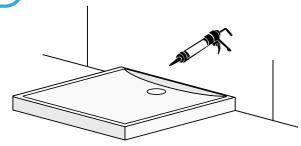
### If substrate is not level



#### Mortar bed must be used on uneven surface

- ◆ Spread 10mm thick mortar mix (4:1 washed sand/cement) over entire area where base is to be installed. Do not use silicone or liquid nails to install base on uneven surface.
- Ensure the base is completely supported, level, then repeat water test (adjust on mortar accordingly until correct drainage is achieved).

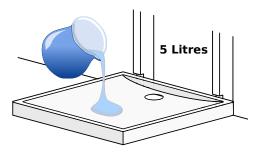
# **7** Seal the base



- ◆ Use appropriate amount of silicone to seal edges of base.
- Protect surface (with cardboard overlay) until ready to use.
  Showerline will take no responsibility for surface damage that occurs during/after installation.

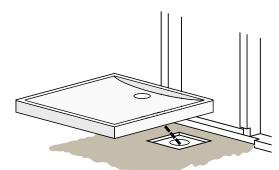
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### Water test after install



- ◆ Use a spirit level to confirm that the base is installed level.
- ◆ The base must be completely supported by the adhesive/mortar.
- Finally, check to see that the base drains (adjust appropriately until this is achieved).

### When using a smart pan



#### The following is recommended:

- ◆ Leave the lid in-situ.
- ◆ Place base over lid use marker to trace outlet onto lid.
- ◆ Use hole saw to cut 55mm hole into lid.
- ◆ To prevent mortar falling into the pan, insert an appropriatelysized length of PVC pipe that can be removed once the mortar sets.
- ◆ The base must be completely supported and level.
- Repeat water test (adjust on mortar until correct drainage is achieved).

### **Gel Coat care and maintenance**

**DO NOT USE** - Automatic dishwashing detergent, abrasives, bleaches, acid based chemicals or ammonia. Wash surface with mild detergent. For optimal results, use a cleaner recommended for fibreglass composites. A cutting compound along with a mild detergent will reduce build-up of soaps/oils on surface. Use standard car polish and follow instructions carefully.

### 7-year Warranty information

Showerline maintains a strict quality control process, ensuring that every product we produce is completed to the highest standard. In the event that a legitimate fault is identified in a Showerline product - as a result of workmanship or faulty materials, it will be replaced or repaired at the discretion of the manufacturer (all costs other than product supply will not be met by the manufacturer). It is the responsibility of the purchaser to check the product for any defects or damage prior to installation. Failure to do so will void any warranty. Failure due to other causes, including the use of other than recommended installation procedures is not covered by the warranty.

Showerline will not honour warranty claims if the shower base is:

- ◆ Installed using tile adhesive on an uneven surface.
- Installed on an uneven surface, on anything other than a mortar bed.
- ◆ Cracked as a result of ground movement.
- ◆ Been installed out of level.

- If the shower base is to be installed on a smart pan, and the 'smart pan' instructions have not been followed.
- ◆ Damaged caused by the plumbing.
- Damaged during transport, but claimed after installation.