ELLA SMC 1" Low Profile Reversible **SHOWER BASE** INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



ADA Size: 35" X 59"

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Please read and understand this manual before attempting to install the product.

🛆 WARNING 🛆

Do not proceed if you have any questions or concerns about performing any steps in this manual. If necessary, hire or consult a certified plumber or licensed general contractor for installation.

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Carefully open the box to prevent any damage to the surface of the base.

了 CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Simply wipe the surface with a damp towel to remove watermarks and stains. For basic stains, clean with mild detergent or a general-purpose cleaner. For corners and seams, use a mildew cleaner.

WARRANTY

One (1) Year





1. Prepare the Installation Area

Ensure that the floor and stud walls are square and plumb on a level surface, as shown in **Figure A**. Provide a 5" x 5" (127×127 mm) opening in the floor for the drain. Refer to the product rough-in specifications for the exact drain location.

3. Prepare the Shower Base

1. Measure, Cut, and Drill

- Measure your shower base to determine the correct length for the aluminum tile flange.
- Cut the flange to size using a hacksaw or miter saw.
- Pre-drill pilot holes in both the flange and the shower base:
- Use 4 screws on each 35" side, spaced approximately 11.67 inches apart.

• Use 8 screws on the 59" side, spaced approximately 8.43 inches apart.

This ensures smooth screw installation without damaging the materials.



2. Install the Drain Assembly

Before installing the drain into the shower base, remove the strainer (**Figure B**). The strainer will be installed after the shower base is in its final position.

Cut the waste pipe to the appropriate height so that the drain body fits snugly into the shower base without gaps. Ensure a secure fit before proceeding. Apply a continuous bead of silicone sealant between the drain body and the shower base to create a watertight seal.

2. Apply Sealant and Attach

- Apply a generous bead of silicone sealant along the edge of the shower base where the flange will be attached.
- Align the flange and fasten it using the pre-drilled holes and appropriate screws.

3. Check Fit and Make Adjustments

- Verify that the flange fits snugly and evenly with no gaps, especially where sealant was applied.
- Make any final adjustments to the screws or sealant to ensure a tight, waterproof fit.







4. Position the Shower Base

Place the shower base into position. Ensure that the drain assembly slides overs the waste pipe and fasten the drain hardware. Make sure the front edge of the shower base is in full contact with the rough floor along its entire length. Verify that the base is level in both directions, as shown in **Figure C**.



6. Protect and Complete the Installation

Cover the strainer with tape to protect its finish and to prevent construction debris from entering the drain. Complete the final installation steps as illustrated in **Figure E**.



5. Secure the Shower Base

Pre-drill holes on tile flange where it lines up with frame/studs and drive screw to secure base into frame studs. **Figure D.**



Allow the shower base to cure for 24 hours before working in the area.

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