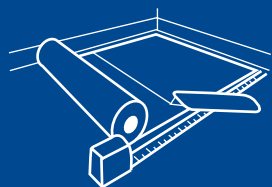
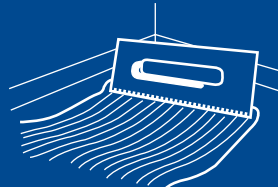


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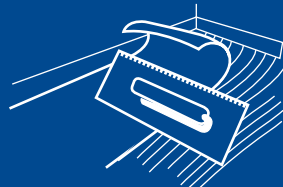
■ seal with Waterproof Matting



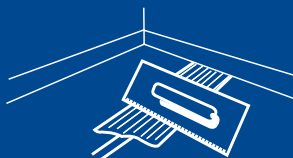
1. Measure the area to be tiled & cut the Waterproof matting including all trim pieces to size using a utility knife. We recommend a dry fit before proceeding to step # 2.



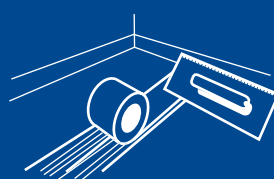
2. Apply a latex modified thin-set mortar (conforming to ANSI specification 118.11) to the substrate using a 5/32" x 3/16" (6mm) V notched trowel. Ensure 100% even coverage.



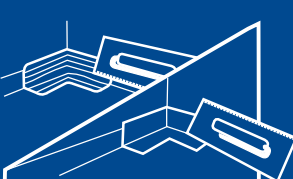
3. Lay the pre-cut Waterproof matting black side down. From the edge of the room, work the Waterproof matting firmly into the thin-set mortar with flat edge of the trowel, ensuring 100% contact. Remove any excess mortar & eliminate any air pockets.



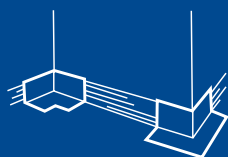
4. To ensure a 100% waterproof seal when joining 2 or more pieces of Waterproof matting, you must cover the seam with Waterproof matting seam tape (sold separately). Using a 5/32" x 3/16" or 6mm V notched trowel, cover the open seams with a Latex modified thin-set mortar approx 6" (15cm) wide, with 100% coverage, ensuring an even overlap either side of the seam.



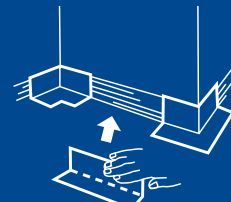
5. Center the tape over the seam, ensuring the tape overlaps the seam evenly on either side. Smooth the seam tape firmly into the thin-set mortar with flat edge of the trowel, ensuring 100% contact. Remove any excess mortar & eliminate any air pockets.



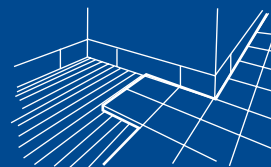
6. After the matting has been installed, to ensure a 100% waterproof seal, Waterproof matting inside & outside corners must be used (sold separately). Using a 5/32" x 3/16" (6mm) V notched trowel, apply a Latex modified thin set mortar approximately 3" (75mm) wide on the floor & wall where corners will be applied, ensuring 100% coverage. Position corners in place & secure firmly with edge of trowel removing excess mortar & eliminating air pockets, ensuring 100% contact.



7. To ensure a 100% waterproof seal between wall & floor, Waterproof matting seam tape must be applied. Using a 5/32" x 3/16" (6mm) V notched trowel, apply the thin-set mortar to floor & wall between corners where seam tape will be applied, overlapping 2" (50mm) onto corners, ensuring 100% coverage.

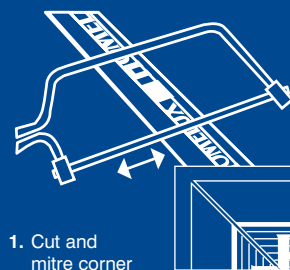


8. Crease seam tape along its length & apply between corners, ensuring 2" (50mm) overlap onto the corners. Position tape in place & secure firmly with edge of trowel removing excess mortar & eliminating air pockets, ensuring 100% contact.

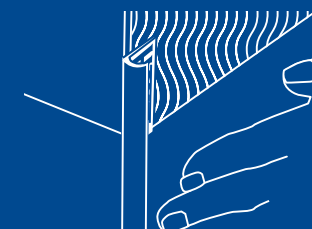


9. You are now ready to tile immediately onto the 100% waterproof and crack suppression membrane having installed the Waterproof matting correctly.

■ edge



1. Cut and mitre corner



2. Offer trim to wall adhesive



3. Place trim onto wall and adhesive



4. Tile and grout

■ enhance



1. Cut and mitre corner



2. Offer listello to wall adhesive



3. Grout tiles & allow to dry before use

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Tile Trim

Essential to any tiling project, tile trims prevent tile edges from getting chipped or damaged. They are a great & cost effective alternative to bull nose tiles, and look neater than the traditional edging method



Bull Nose Tiles

Handy Hint

Make sure you choose the right trim for the job. Trims are available in 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2"..check the depth of the tile before buying the trim

Metal Tile Trim

These metal tile trims have been developed to co-ordinate with the latest trends in natural stone tiles. They are the perfect solution to finishing off stone tiles, where bull nose tiles are not often available.



Handy Hint

Alternatively match the trim finish to the latest natural grout colors!

■ enhance



Listello Borders

Listellos are a great alternative to ceramic borders. These decorative strips can enhance white tiles creating a completely different look to your room.



Handy Hint

This is a more cost effective way of refreshing your room, plus they're much easier to install than tile borders!

Metal Tiles

These are a great way to instantly brighten up any kitchen or bathroom, you can use them on top of existing tiles or straight onto an untiled wall.



Handy Hint

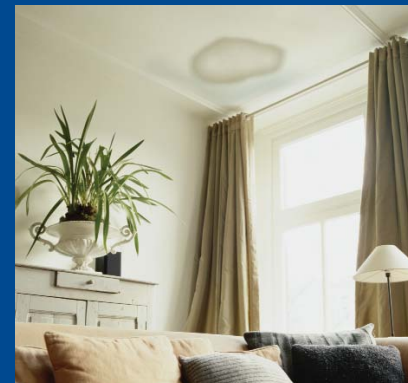
Use a combination of brushed & polished chrome effect to create a fantastic check effect!

■ seal with Waterproof Matting

The Problem

Most of us have had some experience of the damage that can be caused when tiled bathrooms and wet areas are not sealed properly against intrusive water and moisture.

Unightly damp patches constantly re -appear on the ceiling in the room below your bathroom, not to mention the unseen damage that leaks can cause to timber frames, building joists and plasterboards etc.



Why the problem exists

Contrary to popular belief, thin set unglazed tiled areas are permeable, and moisture or vapour will migrate through these areas and can be absorbed into the substrates behind. While water resistant grouts offer some protection, these areas still remain permeable and over time increasing levels of moisture will penetrate these joints.



Other influences, which will have an effect on the integrity of your sealing joints, will be the normal subsidence, which occurs in buildings. The drying and cracking of mastics used to seal joints and the expansion and contraction of wooden or concrete floors, may cause the tiles to de-laminate or move from their original position.

So regardless of whether you have used traditional waterproof mastics or sealants, you will not necessarily have a watertight seal around your bath or shower tray.

Why is Waterproof Matting the Solution

Waterproofing and sealing against water and moisture is critical in order to protect any construction or building against intruding water and related damages. Damages from such leaks can create high and escalating repair costs.



Waterproof Matting is your one stop solution to permanent waterproofing & has the following benefits:

- Provides a 100% waterproof barrier between tiles or stone and the floor, with a 10 year warranty.
- A unique decoupling layer in the ProtexaSeal reduces the risk of cracks and tile movement.
- The underlayment is lightweight, and easy to work with.
- Ideal for both indoor and outdoor use.
- Tile immediately on top of the matting, as soon as the matting has been installed on any acceptable sub floor.
- No waiting or drying time vs. other sealing methods.
- Uniform thickness, no weak points.

For installation instructions see overleaf. For further information see www.homelux.co.uk & visit the Homelux fixture in store