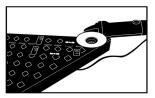
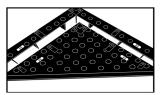
# Goof Proof® Shower Seat 🖘 FLOORING

Mark E Industries offers the choice of either of 2 sizes integrated into the same seat. Simply choose the existing standard full-size 30" or 24" seat which can be cut from within by cutting along the guidelines shown on the seat surface. Use a diamond wheel grinder or circular saw and finish the cut with a hacksaw blade.







#### New Installation Instructions Using <u>Wood Backing</u> (Structural integrity is greatly enhanced with the use of blocking)

(Maximum load limit is 400 lb.)

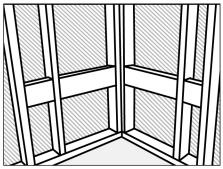
### Preparation

• Before installing wall boards, determine desired height and position of seat. (We recommend a height of approximately 19 inches above the anticipated finished

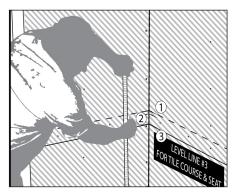
shower floor tile in a corner opposite or farthest from the shower head). Height of the seat should be coordinated or considered, if possible, with wall tile layout in order for the seat to rest on top of a full tile course for ease of installation and appearance.

• Install 2x4 or 2x6 blocking between the vertical wall studs, at least 24 inches (18 inches for the 24" seat) out from the corner of adjoining walls, for the attaching screws.

• The horizontal top edge of the blocking

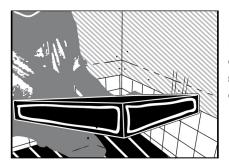


should be 1 inch above seat position for 2x4, 2 inches above for 2x6. This is to ensure that the attaching screws strike the optimal point in the blocking.



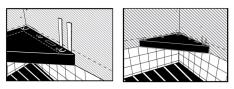
#### **Shower Seat Installation**

• After wall boards are installed, locate and mark the position of the blocking. Remember the top edge of the seat should be 1 inch below this mark. (This guarantees the screws are properly placed for strength into the blocking). Layout and begin wall tile installation.

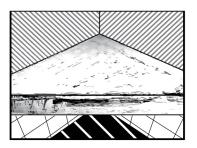


• A continuous bead of an adhesive caulk is to be applied on the back sides of the seat, where the seat contacts the wallboard.

• With the seat situated on top of the tile, level the seat by the incorporated bubble vials and screw seat through wall board and into the blocking (Use supplied



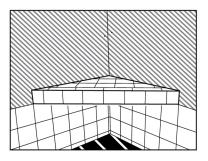
shims if wall is not square). The seat surface has been pre-sloped to ensure water run-off. The bubble vials have accounted for this and should read level after installation.

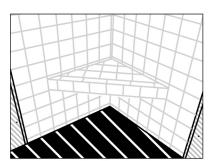


(Be sure to break or cut off shims flush with top of seat after secured)

• Using latex modified thin set mortar, skim coat the top and front of the seat before setting the seat tile with the same mortar.

• Tile the seat, then continue the wall tile installation. (The seat tiles should be under and behind the wall tiles according to proper tile installation procedures).





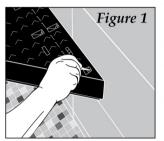
• Grout after mortar has set.

## **Goof Proof**<sup>®</sup> **Shower Seat** Installation Instructions for <u>Existing Tiled Surface</u>

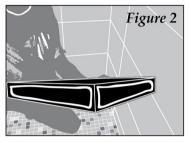
(Maximum load limit is 400 lb.)

First determine in which corner the seat will be installed and its height above the floor. (approximately 19 inches)

(See figure 1 and 2) Position the seat level with the bubble vials and mark the line through the pre-drilled seat holes. (Note: Draw a horizontal line along seat top for returning the seat to



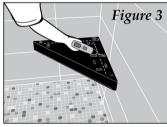
this exact placement.) Drill 3/8 inch holes through the tile and insert the supplied anchors by gently tapping flush to the tile surface. Use an adhesive caulk applied to the back



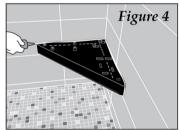
sides of the seat which will contact the tile.

(Note: Also inject a small amount of caulk in the anchor's holes.)

(See figure 3 and 4) Reposition seat onto the wall using the horizontal line drawn earlier as a guide and insert the

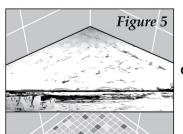


mounting screws through the seat and into the anchors. Shim if necessary before tightening. (Do not over tighten.) Break off shims if used and

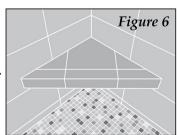


caulk the top and sides of the seat to the tile.

(See figures 5 and 6) Using latex modified thin set mortar, skim coat the top and front of the seat before setting the seat tile with the same mortar.



Grout after mortar has set.



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