

### **BASE AND WASTE FITTING INSTRUCTIONS**

**BFK-AQ-EC** 



### AQUAPLANE EASY CLEAN WASTE FITTING

#### Included in this package:

1 x	AquaPlane Waste fitting – 40/50mm Easy Clean	
2 x	Sturdi Bond construction adhesive	
1 x	White NG silicone	
1 x	BAG-20SCREW	
1x	Waste Fin Removal Tool	
1 x	Quick Start Guide	
1 x	Base fitting instructions (this booklet)	

#### Other equipment required

Broom

Accurate level

Adhesive application / caulking gun

Tape measure

Levelling compound and associated equipment (only required for shower base being installed into a concrete recess)



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All shower bases are inspected before leaving the factory, any damage on the tray will be the responsibility of the shower installer / owner.

# The installation process requires the waste fitting to be installed at the same time as the base.

Atlantis showers are supplied with Sturdibond to adhere the base to the floor substrate. It is recommended that Gorilla Grip is used if the temperature is below 5 degrees.

Wall glazing channels must be fitted to the wall after waterproofing, prior to tiling.



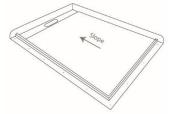


### **LEVEL ENTRY** BASE FITTING INTO A TIMBER RECESS

#### FLOOR PREPARATION – <u>*Timber Recess – Level Entry*</u>

Measure and mark the floor to suit the selected shower base size. (note

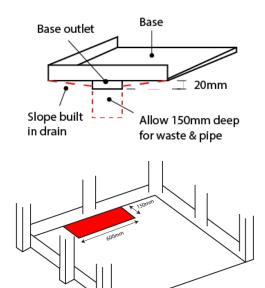
 the perimeter flange sits on the original flooring)

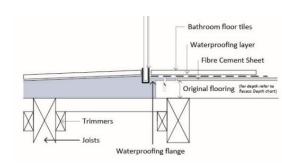


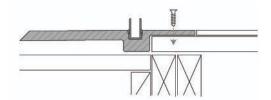
- 2. Provide a hole for the waste fitting to a minimum size of 600mm x 150mm, **FIGURE 1**, in the correct position to suit the shower base supplied.
- 3. Allowance must be made for the bulge on the underside of the channel drain either side of the waste outlet. The waste outlet sits 15-20mm below the bottom of the tray.
- 4. Cut and remove floorboards. Measure base depth. For an indication Refer to the recess depth guide chart on the last page of these instructions. Trim joists to the correct level, if required. Apply extra blocking around the perimeter of the recess and between existing floor joists. Attach trimmers beside joists, fit full flooring in between and flush with the top of the joists.
- 5. Butt 6mm fibre cement sheet / tile slate underlay up to perimeter edge of shower base. Fix fibre cement sheet / tile slate underlay to timber floor as per manufacturers recommendations.

Dry fit the shower base into the recess and check that it is level. The top of the glazing channel(s) and top edges of the upstands must be level. The floor of the shower base must slope towards the drain.

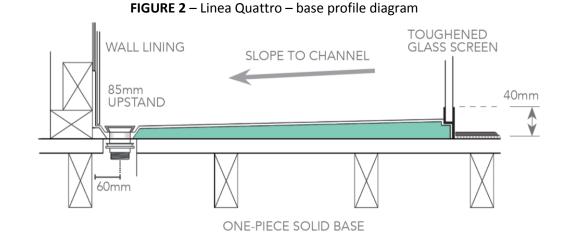
FIGURE 1





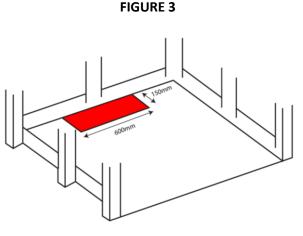


### **STEP ENTRY** BASE FITTING

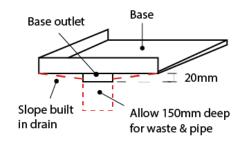


### FLOOR PREPARATION – any substrate type

- 1. Sweep floor free of dust. Check the floor is level over the entire area where the shower base is to be fitted. If the floor is not flat or level, use levelling compound to rectify.
- 2. Allowance must be made for the bulge on the underside of the channel drain either side of the waste outlet. The waste outlet sits 15-20mm below the bottom of the tray.



**FIGURE 4** 

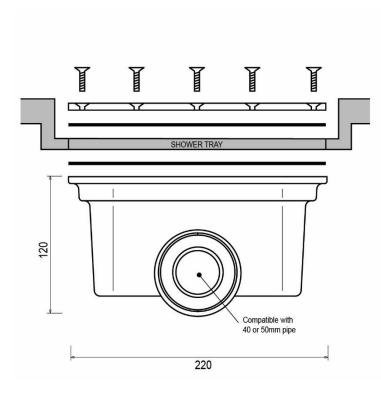


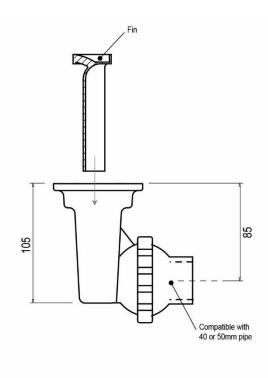
- 3. Provide a recess for the channel drain to a minimum size of 600mm x 100mm, **FIGURE 3 & 4**, in the correct position to suit the shower base.
- 4. Dry fit the shower base onto the flooring. The flooring substrate **must** be level. Due to the nature of the product the shower base may bow slightly. Once glued to the floor the top of the glazing channel(s) and top edges of the upstands must be level. The floor of the shower base must slope towards the drain.

### WASTE PREPERATION

When setting up the waste allow some flexibility/movement in the waste body for ease of installation.

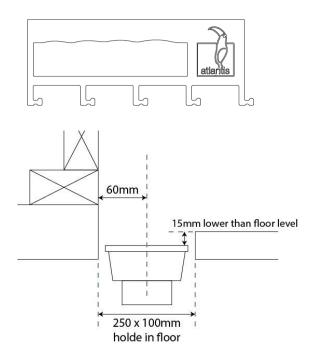
- 1. Separate the components of the waste into:
  - The top ring, top seal and 5mm stainless steel screws
  - The waste body and body seal
  - Fin





Included in this package is a Waste Fin Removal Tool – This should be put aside for the homeowner.

- 2. Connect the waste body to the pipework, ensuring that the body seal is in the correct position and 15/25mm below the floor level.
- 3. Clear floor of all debris and dust
- 4. Apply <u>Sturdibond</u> liberally to the webbed support rings and the shower base perimeter.
- 5. Install base in final position. Apply weights on the surface of the base for 4 hours (preferably a board with heavy weight distributed around the perimeter of the shower base).
  - NOTE: cure time may vary depending on installation conditions.
- 6. The inside face of the upstand must be flush with the inside face of the wall board, see **FIGURE 1**.
- 7. The top of the glazing channel must be level.



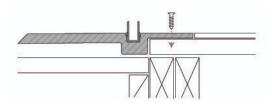
### WASTE CONNECTION

8. Place the top seal and top ring in the waste recess of the shower base and screw into the waste body with a phillips hand screw driver (do not overtighten)

### LEVEL ENTRY PERIMTER FINISHING TRIM

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Screw the front floor flange down using 32X8# CSK Stainless steel screws supplied



### **TILING DETAILS**

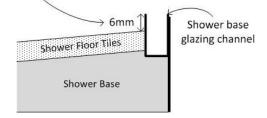
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#### TILED BASES

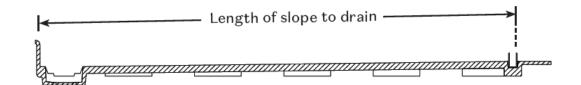
- When tiling the shower base the shower floor tile surface should be a minimum of 6mm below the top edge of the base glazing channel. Refer to FIGURE 5.
   THIS IS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT WHEN SLIDING DOOR SCREENS ARE BEING FITTED – for door clearance.
- Please ensure the stainless steel drain cover is in place during tile laying to achieve correct clearances for water drainage – there should be an approximate 5-6mm gap, as determined by drain cover. DO NOT tile into the channel drain.
- 4. Remove protective cover from drain cover once tiling is complete.

FIGURE 5

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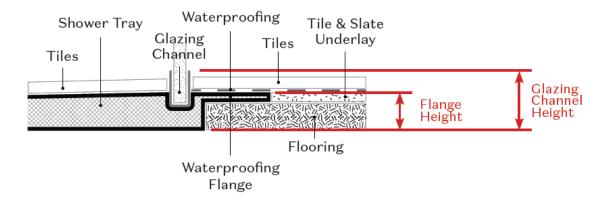


### RECESS DEPTHS



LENGTH OF SLOPE TO DRAIN (mm)	FLANGE HEIGHT (mm)	GLAZING CHANNEL HEIGHT (mm)
800	30	42
900	33	45
1000	36	48
1100	37	49
1200	38	50
1300	39	51
1400	40	52
1500	42	54
1600	44	56
1700	45	57
1800	46	58
1900	47	59
2000	48	60

### TYPICAL RECESS DETAIL



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