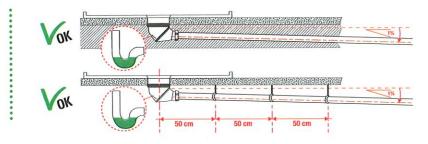
#### TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE FOR THE SHOWER TRAY WASTE UNIT

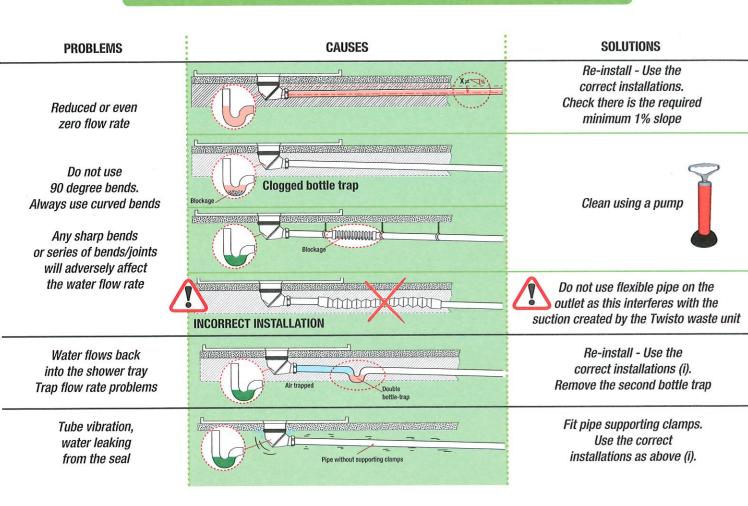
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ENSURE THAT THE WASTE INLET IS PROTECTED WHEN FITTING OR RENOVATING THE SHOWER TRAY, SO AS TO AVOID ANY DEBRIS FALLING INTO THE WASTE TRAP BODY



## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE GUIDE - SHOWER TRAY AND WASTE UNIT

#### **SHOWER TRAY**

CLEANING: Clean regularly with a damp cloth or sponge and buff with a soft dry cloth.

Occasionally use a NON ABRASIVE cleaner to remove stubborn stains and buff with car polish to give a perfect finish. Do not use stiff brushes, scourers or abrasive cleaners. These can damage the surface of the tray.

LIMESCALE: In hard water areas, limescale will mark the surface of the tray. To prevent this use a good quality water softener. Limescale can be removed with an application of automotive T-Cut followed by car polish (always use a soft dry cloth). Please note: constant repetition of this process is not recommended as it will gradually remove the gel coat surface.

HAIR DYES: Some hair dyes contain abrasive chemicals which can damage or mark the surface of the tray. It is essential to rinse all residue dye from the surface of the tray IMMEDIATELY after use to prevent damage.

LIGHT SCRATCHES/MARKS: Although the gel coat surface of your tray is extremely hard, it can be marked during showering by sand or other abrasive substances. To remove, apply automotive polish and buff with a soft cloth. More prominent marks or scratches (that have not exposed the resin below the gel coat surface) can be removed by first applying automotive T-Cut

**DEEP SCRATCHES/CHIPS:** Sometimes heavy items can be accidentally dropped onto the tray surface exposing the resin beneath. This can be clearly identified as it is dark brown/grey in colour. To repair, firstly examine the area around the impact. If no cracks are detected, ask your retailer/installer for details of the TM25 shower tray repair kit. This consists of everything necessary to complete a satisfactory repair.

RUBBER MATS: These may cause marking on the surface of the tray as they sometimes react with soaps, shampoos, dyes etc. Although not recommended, they may be used providing they are always removed from the tray after showering and the tray surface rinsed down to wash away any residues/fragments of rubber. DO NOT OBSTRUCT WASTE COVER WITH MAT.

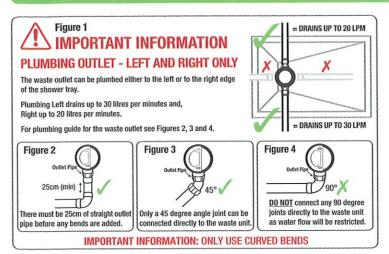
#### **WASTE UNIT**

To access waste unit, simply remove the stainless steel waste cover. The waste unit has been specifically designed to be self cleaning so small and medium sizes items will pass through automatically as part of the normal function of the waste.

Larger items such as hair clips etc., may be too large to pass through the waste and will remain in the top of the unit for easy removal. These items may impede water flow and can lead to a build up of water in the showering area so it is important to regularly check and remove any debris in the waste unit.

# 25mm SHOWER TRAY FITTING INFORMATION

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ PRIOR TO UNPACKING AND INSTALLING YOUR SHOWER TRAY INCORRECT INSTALLATION WILL INVALIDATE YOUR GUARANTEE. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE PLUMBING AND INSTALLATION ARE CARRIED OUT BY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL AND IN COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS.



# **DURING FITTING**

Connect the waste unit to standard straight outlet pipe. DO NOT use flexi-pipe as this interferes with the suction created by the waste unit and reduces water drainage. Always use curved joints for any bends in the outlet pipe

HOW TO CHECK THE TOLERANCE

Place a freestanding spirit level on outside edges of the trav

DO NOT push down at either end.

WHAT TO DO IF THE SHOWER TRAY HAS MORE THAN 5mm TOLERANCE

Side View Shower Tray (longest sides)

Place the tray on wooden blocks (edges) and the tray will revert back to tolerance.

Wood Block

Two End Panels

- . The outlet pipe should have a minimum of 2% fall. Ensure the outlet pipe does not
- . The waste unit inlet should be covered to protect from debris falling into the waste body. Once connected, check there are no blockages.
- DO NOT over-tighten the flange screws when attaching the waste unit to the tray, as this can cause the tray to crack
- . The tray should be water tested before the final fix.

No Panel/Enclosure

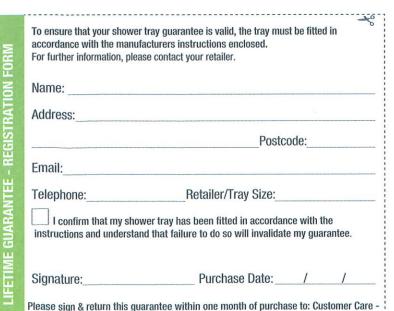
Cover and protect the tray when tiling and fitting shower tray and enclosures.

# PRIOR TO FITTING

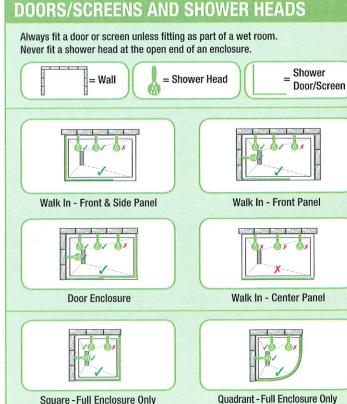
- · Check the product thoroughly prior to fitting. Unfortunately, no claims for imperfections can be made once the tray has been installed.
- The tray must be fitted in STRICT accordance with the installation instructions. Failure to fit and maintain the product as per the instructions will invalidate the guarantee and possibly lead to long term damage.
- . The use of any materials other than those specified in the fitting instructions could result in the shower tray failing, and will invalidate the guarantee. Alternative products used as bedding material (eg. Silicone, tile or general adhesive) are not suitable as they allow movement underneath the tray. This can cause the tray to 'flex' which can result in a stress fracture.
- . ONLY fit the waste unit supplied with the tray (Wirquin Twisto). Fitting any other waste unit may lead to a reduction in water flow.
- . This shower tray and waste unit combine to achieve European EN274 approval for water drainage. Together, they are designed to provide a water flow rate of over 30 litres per minute. High water pressure and 'deluge' shower heads can result in water flow rates exceeding the waste unit capacity (a restrictor valve may be required). Failure to fit the waste unit provided in accordance with the fitting instructions may reduce water flow and create drainage problems.

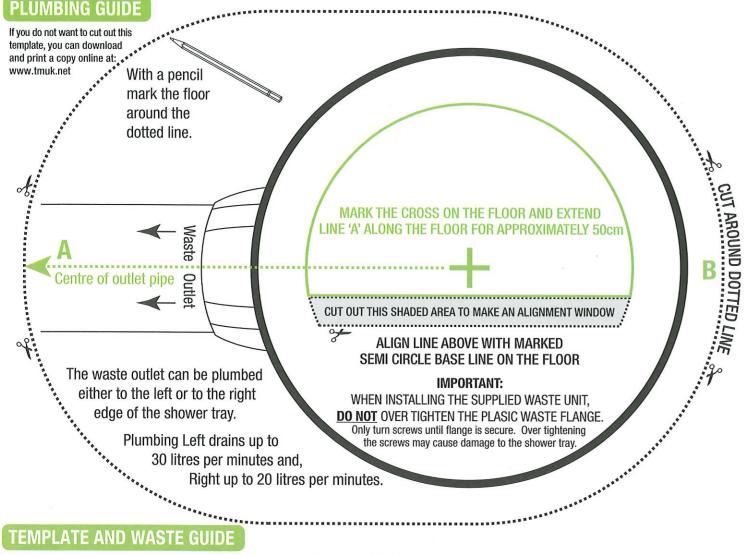
There should be no movement or flexing in any wooden flooring or support under the tray. Flooring should be secured to joists, and noggins should be added between joists under the waste hole area of the tray. Any movement beneath the tray may result in a stress fracture and invalidate the guarantee.

NB. Whilst all trays are inspected during the manufacturing process, in rare cases due to the centre weight load of the stone resin, transport and storage can cause the tray to move slightly out of tolerance. If you have measured your tray and it appears out of tolerance, simply support the tray under each corner for a few hours and the tray will revert back to factory tolerances.



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### **TEMPLATE AND WASTE GUIDE**

Please read the important information below first, and follow the full 'Fitting Instructions'. Use the template guide ONLY to cut out the waste area. This will ensure minimum stress to the shower tray. Failing to do so, may weaken the shower tray and cracking may occur.

- 1. Place the shower tray in the required position on the floor.
- 2. Draw a line around the entire waste outlet with a pencil.
- 3. Move the tray to a safe location to prevent accidental damage.
- 4. Cut out the template.
- 5. Overlay the semi circle template on the drawn semi circle on the floor. Align into correct position.
- 6. Mark the centre cross point on the floor. This will represent the centre point of the waste unit
- 7. With a pen or pencil, Extend line A (marked on template) onto floor for approximately 50cm. This will provide a guide for the centre point of the waste outlet pipe.
- 8. With a pen or pencil draw around the outer edge of the template B.
- 9. Remove the template and cut out the floor board. Ensure that the hole is not cut oversized.
- 10. Lift flooring and fit plumbing to the waste trap position.

NOTE: there is a safe error margin of 15 degrees when plumbing to the waste outlet.

#### WOOD FLOOR

It is essential that all flooring is properly secured, ensuring there is no movement or flex. Any joins in the flooring that are not supported by a joist must be supported by a separate noggin. Any flooring that flexes between joists MUST also be supported by additional noggins.

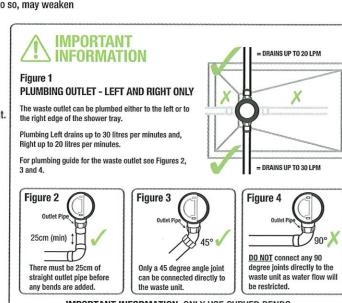
Ensure that flooring around the waste hole is fully supported by noggins. There must be no floor movement around the cut hole.

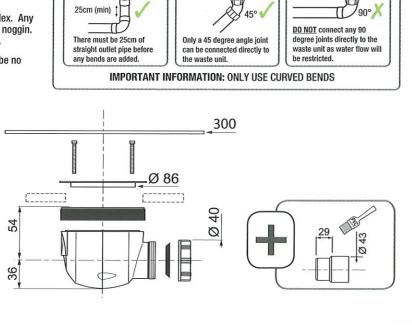
See fitting instructions for detailed illustrations and information.

# WASTE UNIT INSTRUCTIONS - TWISTO 090

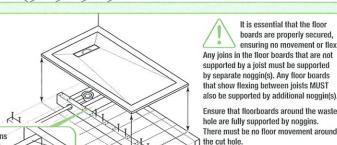
- Only use the waste unit provided. Fitting an alternative waste unit will compromise water flow.
- It is strongly recommended that a qualified plumber completes the waste unit installation and final plumbing • To join the outlet pipe to waste unit, use solvent weld. Test for leakage by pouring
- approximately 2 litres of water into waste unit prior to the final fix. Locate plastic flange onto waste unit with the securing screws supplied – Do not over-tighten the screws, only turn until the flange is secure. Over-tightening the
- screws may cause damage to the shower tray. It is essential that the fall angle of the waste pipe is maximised. Fall must be a
- · For trouble shooting and Q&A's, please visit www.wirquin.com

MINIMUM of 2% to ensure adequate water flow.









Re-fix the lifted floor area. Secure all floo boards under the tray with two wood screws at every point they cross a joist

Move the tray to a safe location to prev



It is recommended that a professional

THE TRAY MUST BE BEDDED ON SAND & CEMENT. **DO NOT USE ALTERNATIVE PRODUCTS** SUCH AS SILICONE OR ADHESIVE.

Prior to mixing sand and cement, sweep clean the area

i. Overlay the semi circle template on the drawn semi circle on the floor. Align into the correct posi

ii. Mark the centre cross point on the floor. This will represent the centre point of the waste unit.

iii. Extend line (A) on template onto floor for any 50cm. This line will provide a guide for the centre poir of the waste outlet pipe.

iv. Draw around the outer edge of the template (B).

Lift the floor boards to plumb the waste and trap

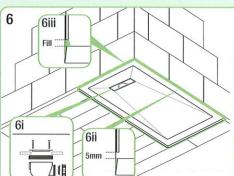
plumber completes the plumbing installation. (see 'Linear waste fitting and plumbing guide').

v. Remove the template and cut out the floor board (C).

Ensure no gaps between floor boards. All gaps should be sealed with joint tape

Mix sand and cement (5/1 ratio) adding anti-crumbling agent, such as 'Febmix and spread to fill entire marked area with approximately 10-15mm mortar screed.

Ensure that the whole area under the tray is fully covered by the mortar screed. Any unsupported area could lead to cracking



It is recommended that a professional plumber completes (see 6i) - refer to 'Linear waste fitting and plumbing guide' provided.

Do not over tighten waste flange. This will lead to damage of the flange unit and/or the shower tray (see 6i).

Tile walls down to the tray, leaving a 5mm gap between the tray and tile (see 6ii). pply a bead of mould resistant silicone ealant between the floor and tray and ong the back edge of the tray up to the bottom of the last tile (see 6iii).

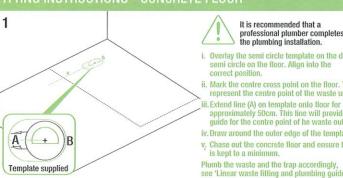
Finally, fit your chosen flooring (as appropriate) and apply a bead of mould esistant silicone bety een the shower trav and your chosen floor (See 9 for guidance

Make sure the waste is

protected by a cloth (or



24 HOURS



It is recommended that a professional plumber completes the plumbing installation.

of each edge of the tray to be fitted

Lay the tray in position, push against the wall and bed down onto the mortar screen

Ensure all of the base is supported by the

cement. Level the tray from each edge.

Leave for 24 hours prior to next step.

- semi circle on the floor. Align into the correct position.
- ii. Mark the centre cross point on the floor. This will resent the centre point of the waste unit. ii. Extend line (A) on template onto floor for quide for the centre point of he waste outlet pine iv. Draw around the outer edge of the template (B).

v. Chase out the concrete floor and ensure that hole

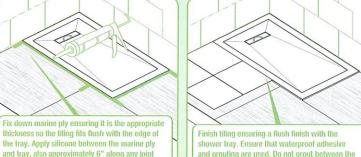
2 similar) to ensure no mortar falls into the place the tray in position and ensure correct location.

Once the waste and outlet pipe are fitted,

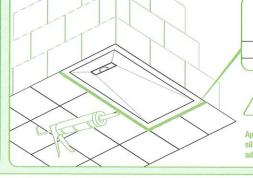
Mix sand and cement (5/1 ratio) and fill the entire hole leaving the waste in its

CONTINUE AS FROM <u>STEP 4</u> ABOVE TO COMPLETE THE TRAY INSTALLATION.

# FLUSH FITTING - OPTIONAL



and grouting are used. Do not grout between the hower tray and adjacent tiles.



Ensure all edges are Apply a bead of mould resistant silicone between the shower tray and adjacent tiles.

IMPORTANT FITTING INSTRUCTIONS: WET ROOM APPLICATION



that meets the tray edge(s)