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Installation Instructions for Mincey Marble Manufacturing's

RAMP-01 ADA Roll-In Ramp



RAMP-01

Product number #RAMP- 01

Please read the following before attempting to install your new cast marble wall ADA roll-in ramp for shower pans.

These instructions have been written for Mincey Marble's RAMP-01 cast marble ADA Roll-in ramp. If you have received a product other than what's shown, please call our office so we can send the correct instructions to you.



INSTALLERS NOTE: *This ramp should be installed prior to the floor tile that butts up to the shower enclosure and after the shower pan has been set and the drain connected by the plumber. The ramp's dimensions are 60 3/8" long x 12 1/4" wide. The ramp is designed with a textured finish on the top surface to reduce slipping. The side of the ramp that butts up to the cast marble shower pan is 1 1/2" thick, so it should be just about flush with the edge of the pan it is butting up to. The narrowest point is 1/2" tall to allow for the floor tile to butt up to the ramp, being just about flush at this point. Both ends of the ramp should have a factory sealed edge, so care must be taken not to cut the ramp from the wrong side. See note below in the installation instructions section.*

Materials/Tools required:

1. Circular saw with masonry blade
2. Saw horses
3. Sandpaper (recommend 80 grit) for sanding cut edges
4. Measuring tape
5. Pencil
6. Carpenter's square
7. Acetone
8. Clean, dry rag
9. Construction adhesive to adhere ramp to the sub-floor
10. Putty knife
11. Color matching 100% silicone
12. Color matching latex caulk for the marble to drywall seams

NOTE: *The RAMP-01 is not designed to be a dam to keep water inside the shower enclosure. Most bathrooms with an ADA shower will have a drain outside of the shower enclosure to allow for water that is splashed outside the shower when in use.*

ADDENDIUM: *This ramp is designed for use in an accessible shower that is approximately 60" wide. If the curb is longer than the pan, it can be trimmed down using a circular saw with a masonry blade or diamond blade.*

Installing the RAMP- 01 ADA Roll-In Ramp:

1. Measure the opening where the ramp is to be installed. If the width of the pan is narrower than the ramp, the ramp will need to be cut to fit the opening.
2. To determine which side of the ramp should be cut off, carefully note which side of the shower enclosure has a wall extending past 12 1/4" from the edge of the pan. If you cut off the wrong side of the curb, you will have a raw, unfinished edge that cannot be easily re-finished without a repair kit. The open, exposed edge of the ramp should have a factory sealed, finished edge. Most often one side of the enclosure will have a shorter return wall opening up to the rest of the bathroom. This will be your exposed, finished edge of the ramp.

3. Once the ramp has been cut, the edge should be sanded to allow for a clean edge to caulk against the wall, and also to prevent being cut while handling the ramp during installation. .
4. The ramps bottom, which will sit on the floor, and the 1 ½" edge should be cleaned using the acetone and dry rag, prior to installation.
5. Construction adhesive should be liberally applied to the bottom of the ramp.
6. A heavy bead of silicone should be applied to the 1 ½" edge of the ramp. This will help in both adhesion to the pan and help prevent water from penetrating to the floor should the seal between the pan and ramp come loose during normal expansion and contraction of the floor of the building. Enough silicone should be applied so that when the ramp is butted up to the pan, some silicone should ooze out from the seam between the pan and ramp.
7. Place the pan onto the floor in front of the shower pan as closely as possible; yet not so close as to run the risk of pinching your fingers when you set the ramp in place.
8. Slide the ramp up to the pan.
9. Using a clean, dry rag, remove the excess silicone at the seam of the ramp and pan. Excess adhesive on the sub-floor can be cleaned up sing a rag dampened with acetone and a putty knife, if necessary.
10. Once everything is clean, the seam between the pan and the ramp should be sealed using the color matching 100% silicone.
11. The area where the ramp butts up against the wall should be sealed with a color matching latex caulk. After the tile base is set, this area can be sealed with silicone.

If you have any questions, please call Mincey Marble Customer Service at 800.533.1806.