

THE BEST BATH OR SHOWER EXPERIENCE? THE ONE NOBODY INTERRUPTS.

Thank you for buying an American Standard bath or shower product.

We're so grateful you did, and you will be too. Not just while you're waking up each morning, but also every time a dirty gardener, sweaty soccer player, or muddy dog gets cleaned up. How do we know? Just like you, we've lived with that same beautiful chaos called life for almost 150 years. We believe that while every home should appreciate in value, we never forget the sentimental value that grows from enjoying life in the heart of home—your kitchen and bath. That's why we love your stories and ideas; they help us innovate with products that make your life easier.

Or, visit **americanstandard-us.com/bathroom/tub-and-shower-walls** to watch video, view/download installation manuals or learn more about your product.

Have a question or need help on install?

For questions or help on installation call us at **800-442-1902**.

For a copy of our warranty in additional languages,
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OWNERS MANUAL

Mainstream® 4-Piece Shower Wall Set 2950SWT32

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for selecting American Standard – the benchmark of fine quality for over 150 years. To ensure this product is installed properly, please read these instructions carefully before you begin. Certain installations may require professional help.

INSTALLATION PREPARATION

- Please unpack carefully and identify all parts needed for installation by using the Box Contents as a reference. Inspect the product and report any damages or missing parts immediately to customer care by calling 800-442-1902. Follow the prompts for consumer/bathing products.

NOTE: Take extra care in handling the front surfaces of the walls. Use only non-abrasive cloths to avoid scratching.

- These Mainstream Walls were developed to be installed with Mainstream Shower Bases and Mainstream Shower Doors. If you are using a different base or door, you may need additional hardware and tools to complete the installation.
- Wear protective equipment during installation to avoid injury.
- Please keep these instructions for after care and customer service details.



BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Inspect your product thoroughly before installing. Take extra care in handling surfaces of the walls and use only non-abrasive cloths to avoid scratching. Observe all local plumbing and building codes.

RECOMMENDED TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Installation steps will indicate which tools should be used with associated letter



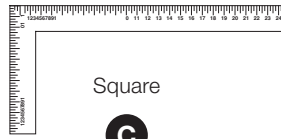
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A



Tape Measure

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Square

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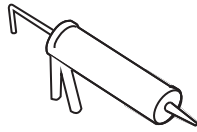
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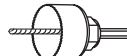
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Caulking Gun

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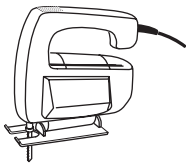
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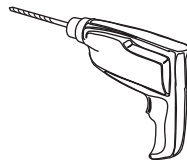
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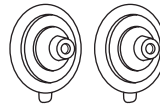
Jig Saw with fine
tooth blade

I



Drill

J



Suction Cups - optional

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SOLD SEPARATELY

x4 Tubes Waterproof Instant
Grab Construction Adhesive
x2 Tubes Tub & Tile Sealant

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IMPORTANT GENERAL INFORMATION

This unit is best installed by two people.

Cover drain with tape prior to installation to prevent the loss of small parts.

Unpack your unit carefully and inspect for freight damage. Lay out and identify all parts using Box Contents as a reference. If any parts are damaged or missing refer to the description noted in the instructions when inquiring about replacements. Be sure to wear safety glasses whenever drilling or cutting.

BOX CONTENTS

1 - 72" x 24" Side Panel

1 - 72" x 24" Rear Panel

1 - 72" x 31.44" Side Panel

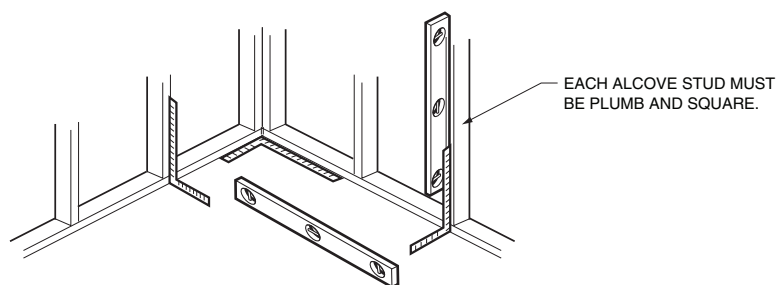
1 Corner Panel

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PREPARATION

PREPARATION: Must be installed over SHEETROCK/GREENBOARD.



1a. WALL SURFACE PREPARATION

NOTE: For best adhesion, we suggest priming walls prior to installation.

Ensure wall surface is dry, smooth, and free of dust, soap scum, mold or other contaminants. Wipe wall surfaces with a damp cloth and allow to dry. Wall surface must be dry before panels can be applied. Ensure that alcove is plumb and square. (See Illustration)

1b. ROUGH PLUMBING & FITTINGS MUST BE INSTALLED BEFORE WALLS

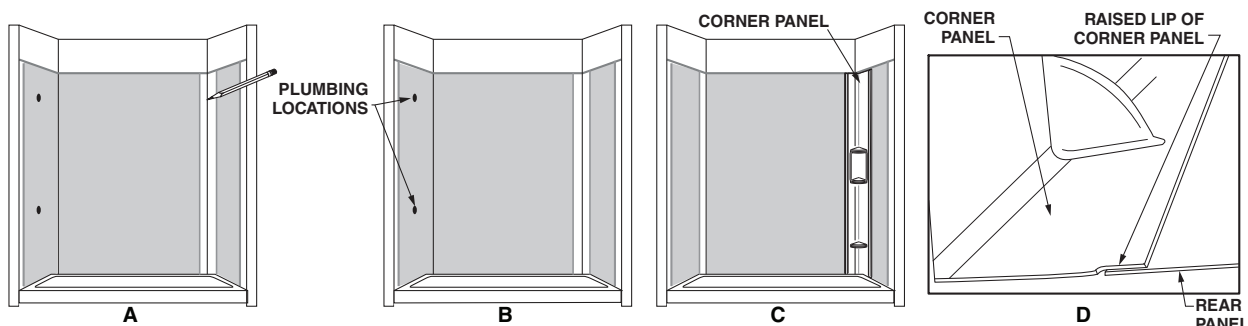
Turn off hot & cold water supplies. Remove faucet handles, escutcheons, filler spouts and any other fixtures & fittings (e.g. towel bars, soap dishes, etc.).

1c. IF YOU PLAN TO INSTALL A SHOWER DOOR

Follow manufacturer's instructions and prepare stud wall accordingly.

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DRY FITTING THE PANELS ON THE WALL



2a. Dry fit the panels starting with the 72" x 24" panel first and determine what corner of the shower the Corner Panel will be installed (left or right). Place the 72"x 24" Rear Panel into the opposite corner of the shower where the Corner Panel will be installed and use masking tape to hold the Rear Panel on the rear wall. Mark a vertical line top to bottom at the corner edges of the panel on the rear wall. (Ref. Illustration A)

NOTE: If any trimming is needed, measure and mark dimensions. Cut with a fine tooth Jig Saw.

2b. When dry fitting 72" x 24" Side Panel, place the panel entrance edge at the desired location on wall while also ensuring a gap or distance no greater than 7-3/4" (197mm) exists at the panel's back corner to the Rear Wall. Use masking tape to hold panel in position. Mark a vertical line top to bottom on the side wall near the corner at back edge of Side Panel to reference later. Place the 72" x 31.44" Side Panel on the opposite side wall into the rear corner and ensure there are no gaps in the corner. Trim panel to fit if needed.

NOTE: Verify that the gap at the rear corner can be covered by the corner panel by dry fitting.

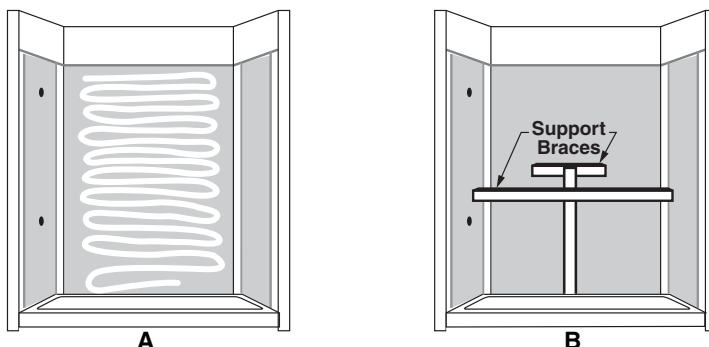
(Ref. Illustrations C & D)

2c. Once side panels are properly dry fitted, mark all plumbing locations where shower valves come through the side panel. Drill holes at each location using a Hole Saw large enough to accommodate the opening but small enough to be covered by the trim plates. (Ref. Illustration B)

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INSTALLING BACK AND SIDE WALLS

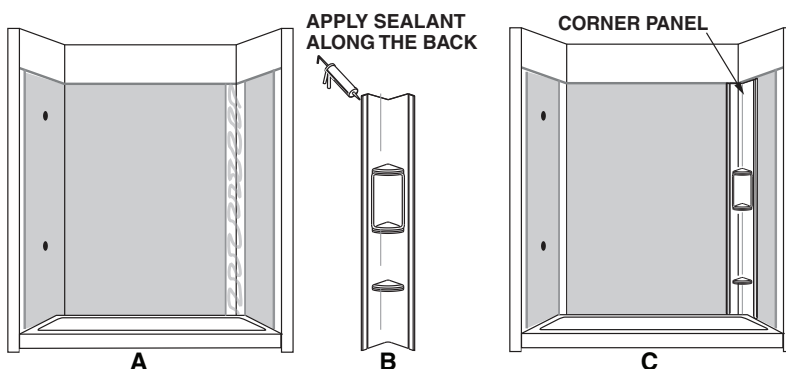
NOTE: INSTALL ONLY ONE WALL AT A TIME AND REMOVE FILM FROM WALLS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.



- 3a.** Wipe back side of all panels and walls with a damp cloth to remove any dust or debris and allow to fully dry.
- 3b.** Apply adhesive in a zig-zag pattern on the wall within marked lines, keeping bead thickness to 1/8" (3mm) or less. (Ref. Illustration A)
NOTE: Applying beads of adhesive thicker than 1/8" (3mm) may make it difficult to spread behind the panel once it is up and installed creating a ripple effect on the panel.
- 3c.** Move Rear Panel onto the wall keeping a space of approximately 1/8" (3mm) off of the surface of the shower base and keeping panel between the marked line previously drawn. Press panel firmly over entire surface to ensure firm contact of panel to adhesive on wall. (Ref. Illustration B)
NOTE: It may be necessary to brace or support the panel against the wall until the panel stays securely in place. **Place a cloth under the supports to prevent marring of the walls surface.**
- 3d.** Install side panels in the same manner using the same adhesive pattern. Wipe off any excessive adhesive with mineral spirits.

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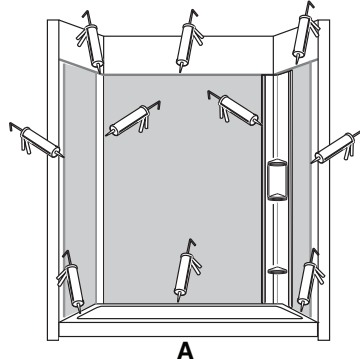
INSTALLING THE CORNER PANEL



- 4a.** Place Corner Panel into rear corner of shower and check for proper fit to shower walls.
NOTE: Make sure corner panel is aligned right side up so that flat shelving surface is facing upward. Ensure Corner Panel completely overlaps Rear and Side Panels by at least 1/4" (6mm).
- 4b.** Apply adhesive to rear corner (Ref. Illustration A) top to bottom, side to side and on back of the Corner Panel (Ref. Illustration B) and place into rear corner of shower (Ref. Illustration C). Press firmly to hold in place.
NOTE: It may be necessary to brace or support the corner panel in position until the adhesive dries.
Use cloth under any support to prevent any marring of the walls finished surface.
- 4c.** Wipe the panel down with a damp rag while continuing to apply pressure to the panel to ensure it makes complete contact.
NOTE: Wipe any excess adhesive from the panel with a damp rag or mineral spirits.

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APPLYING SEALANT AND INSTALLING SHOWER HANDLE AND SHOWER HEAD



NOTE: Allow 24 hours for the wall panel adhesive to dry before applying the sealant.

5a. Apply a bead of sealant around all corners, outside edges of panels, corner panel and deck of shower base. (Ref. Illustration A)

5b. Install the shower handle and shower head per the manufacturer's instructions. Be sure to apply sealant to all trim plates.

NOTE: ALLOW 24 HOURS FOR THE SEALANT TO DRY BEFORE USE.

Install the shower door or shower curtain rod according to the manufacturer's instructions.

POST INSTALLATION CLEAN-UP

Remove all construction debris. Install any accessories, shelves or doors according to manufacturer's installation instructions.

Post installation clean-up can be completed using 50/50 mixture of isopropyl alcohol and water.

AFTERCARE AND CLEANING

⚠ WARNING: Cleaning products with labels that say "not suitable for use with ABS, acrylic or polystyrene" SHOULD NOT BE USED. Read all labels carefully.

Clean shower walls with warm soapy water and soft sponge. For stubborn stains, use a 50/50 mix of isopropyl alcohol and water.

HARSH CHEMICALS SHOULD NEVER BE USED ON SHOWER WALL SURFACE. Clean after use with a mild liquid household detergent cleaner. **Do not use** Lestoil®, Lysol® Disinfectant (spray or concentrate), or Lysol® Basin, Tub and Tile Cleaner, Windex®, Mr. Clean®, Dow® Disinfectant Bathroom Cleaner, or cleaning products in aerosol cans.

Do not use wire brushes, knives or sharp objects to remove stains or other surface blemishes.

Abrasive cleaners or powders should not be used as they will dull the surface.

Do not allow nail polish remover, acetone, paint remover or other solvents to come into contact with the surface.

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WARRANTY

SHOWER WALLS 5 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

AS America, Inc. ("American Standard®") warrants to the original non-commercial owner that it will, at its sole option, repair or replace this product or any part of this product, if it confirms that the product is defective in materials or workmanship under normal use and maintenance for 5 years. This warranty is non-transferable to subsequent purchasers or owners. The sole exception to the non-transferability of this warranty is that if this product is purchased by a plumber, contractor or other service provider, this warranty extends to the first property owner on whose behalf the product was purchased for installation.

For this warranty to become effective, the warranty registration process must be completed via the internet or telephone per the warranty registration instructions.

The warranty term for non-commercial owners does not apply to commercial owner installations. Commercial owner installations shall have a warranty of 3 year(s), measured from the date of initial purchase. A "commercial owner installation" includes use of the products in apartments and other rental units, non-residential facilities, hotels, commercial businesses and/or other public accommodations. Except for warranty duration, all other warranty terms apply to commercial owner installations.

This warranty DOES NOT COVER the following:

1. Because American Standard cannot control the quality of products sold by unauthorized sellers, this warranty applies only to American Standard products which were purchased from American Standard or an American Standard authorized seller, unless otherwise prohibited by law. American Standard reserves the right to reject warranty claims from purchasers for products purchased from unauthorized sellers, including unauthorized Internet sites.
2. Defects or damage arising from shipping, installation, alterations, accidents, abuse, misuse, lack of proper maintenance and use of other than genuine American Standard replacement parts, in all cases whether caused by a plumbing contractor, service company, the owner or any other person.
3. Deterioration through normal wear and tear.
4. WATER DAMAGE, OR DAMAGES RESULTING FROM ABUSE OR MISUSE OR FROM FAILURE TO INSTALL OR MAINTAIN THIS PLUMBING PRODUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS FURNISHED BY AS AMERICA, INC.
5. USE OF CLEANING PRODUCTS CONTAINING CALCIUM HYPO CHLORITE (CHLORINE), SCOURING POWDERS OR PADS SHALL NOT BE COVERED.
6. THE USE OF SCENTED CANDLES IN CLOSE PROXIMITY WITH THIS PRODUCT CAN RESULT IN PERMANENT STAINING OF THE FINISH.
7. Expense of normal maintenance.
8. All costs of removal, transportation, labor, reinstallation or other costs including postage and/or shipping costs to obtain warranty service shall be paid by the purchaser.
9. ANY LIABILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES, ALL OF WHICH ARE HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMED. Some States do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so this limitation or exclusion may not apply to you. ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING THOSE OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PURPOSE INTENDED, ARE LIMITED IN DURATION TO THE DURATION OF THIS WARRANTY. Some States do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so this limitation may not apply to you.
10. Responsibility for compliance with local code requirements ARE EXCLUDED FROM THIS WARRANTY. (Since local code requirements vary greatly distributors, retailers, dealers, installation contractors and users of plumbing products should determine whether there are any code restrictions on the installation or use of a specific product.) This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from State to State.

OBTAINING WARRANTY SERVICE

If you believe that you have a warranty claim, contact American Standard, either through an authorized AS America, Inc. dealer or re-seller, by writing to the addresses below, or visiting the website below:

UNITED STATES

American Standard Brands
30 Knightsbridge Road, Suite 301
Piscataway, New Jersey 08854
Attention: Director of Customer Care
For residents of the United States,
warranty information may also be obtained
by calling the following toll free number:
(800) 442-1902
www.americanstandard.com

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Col. Santa Clara
Ecatepec 55540 Edo. Mexico
Toll Free: 01-800-839-1200
www.americanstandard.com.mx

PLEASE COMPLETE AMERICAN STANDARD WARRANTY REGISTRATION PROCESS AND SAVE THIS WARRANTY INFORMATION

IMPORTANT: Registration of the shower walls must be completed for this warranty to become effective. Your registration will make it easier to contact you in the event of a product recall.*

INSTRUCTIONS: Register your tub or shower walls at www.americanstandard.com. Please save your proof of purchase (sale receipt). If you need assistance or do not have access to our website, please contact American Standard Customer Care at: (800) 442-1902. An American Standard representative will assist in completing the warranty registration.

*In California, your warranty rights remain intact even if you do not complete the registration process.

THIS WARRANTY IS NOT TRANSFERABLE FROM ORIGINAL CONSUMER PURCHASER.

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Great Tub

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Love the tub. It is very roomy and would definitely buy it again. Our old tub cracked so we got this one to replace it. This one feels like it is more durable and not as flimsy as the last one.

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