

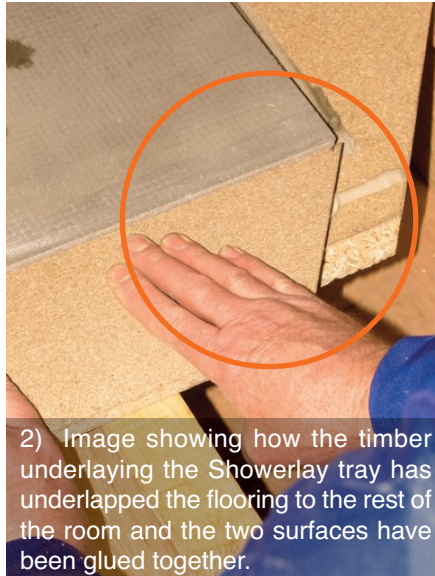
# Step by Step Guide to Fitting a Wet Room over a Timber Floor

The construction of a wet room is easy if the steps shown are followed and attention is paid to the detail. The cost of this system is surprisingly low and will add value to your project.

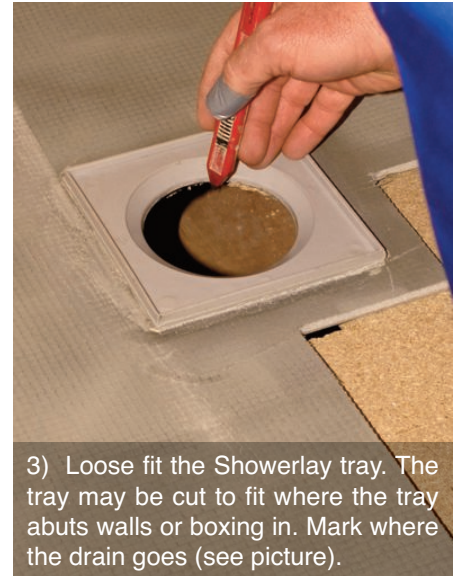
Before starting work check there is room for the drain and sufficient fall for the waste.  
Then remove the flooring from where the Showerlay tray is to be fitted.



1) Batten the joists and loose lay the flooring onto the battens so its top is flush with the top of the joists.



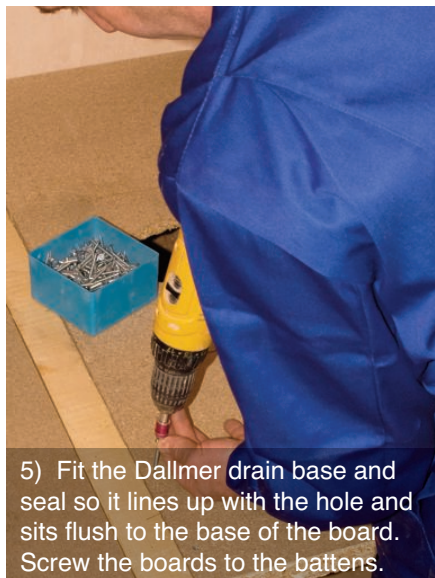
2) Image showing how the timber underlaying the Showerlay tray has underlapped the flooring to the rest of the room and the two surfaces have been glued together.



3) Loose fit the Showerlay tray. The tray may be cut to fit where the tray abuts walls or boxing in. Mark where the drain goes (see picture).



4) Cut a 90mm hole then waterproof the cut edge with Ardex WPJ Waterproofing tape.



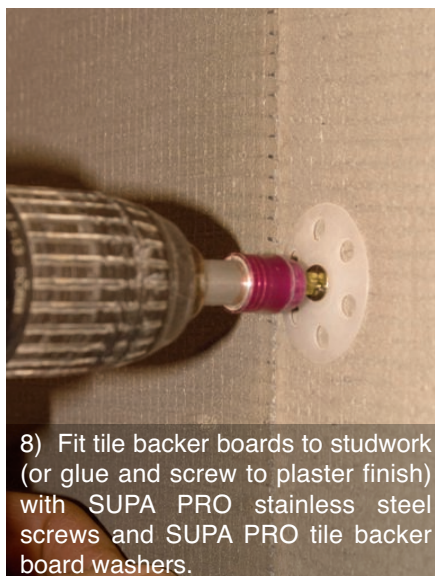
5) Fit the Dallmer drain base and seal so it lines up with the hole and sits flush to the base of the board. Screw the boards to the battens.



6) Using a 10 x 10mm floor trowel spread a polymer modified cement based adhesive and lay the Showerlay tray. The adhesive should make 100% contact with the tray.



7) Apply a thin bead of silicone sealant round the base of the threaded waste then screw into base using the protective cover fixing tool. *Tip: leave the tool in place during tiling and grouting.*



8) Fit tile backer boards to studwork (or glue and screw to plaster finish) with SUPA PRO stainless steel screws and SUPA PRO tile backer board washers.



9) Run DOW Corning Silicone Sealant along edge of tile backer board and along floor. Slide the next board into the silicone. Ensure the joint is fully sealed.



10) Fix Marmox self adhesive scrim tape along board joint and into internal corners.



11) Run a skim coat of cement based adhesive over the scrim tape. This re-enforces the joint.



12) To the rest of the floor fit GMAT matting\*.



13) Fix Ardex WPJ Waterproofing tape to the perimeter of the shower tray/wall junction. Use a trowel to ensure all air pockets are removed.



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\*If the Showerlay tray is one of the 20mm thick trays use Ardex AF200 acrylic adhesive. If the tray is one of the 24mm thick trays fit the GMAT with a polymer modified cement based adhesive using a 10 x 10mm trowel. If the Showerlay tray is the 27mm thick 1850 x 900mm tray either overlay the floor with 6mm Marmox sheets then fix with Ardex AF200 or set the Showerlay tray down by 7mm by planing the top of the joists.

Close up showing tiling and Showerlay tray cut away to show all the layers.



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