



INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS | MAINTENANCE CARE GUIDE

Upon receiving and unpacking the bathtub, conduct a comprehensive inspection for any freight damage. Report any claims for damage, whether obvious or concealed, directly to the freight carrier immediately so that they can cover all associated costs. If an inspection reveals any defects in the finish, abstain from installing the bath. Claims pertaining to damage or defects in the finish after installation are not covered by the warranty. Please be aware that the warranty does not include labor or materials necessary for the removal or re-installation of the bath.

Before proceeding with the installation, please verify the following:

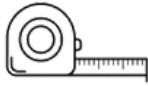
- Confirm that the installation aligns with all relevant Federal, State, and Local Building Codes & Regulations
- Inspect for any shipping-related damage
- Unwrap the protective plastic and packaging, conducting a thorough examination for any potential damage. If any concerns arise, refrain from proceeding with the installation, and promptly report the issues to us. T: 888.830.8828 | E: orders@ancerre.com | Chat: www.ancerredesigns.com
- Ensure that the unit is the correct model and color
- Thoroughly read and comprehend the information on the "notice" or "warning" tags attached to the bathtub
- Take measures to protect the interior of the tub during the installation process
- Check and ensure the levelness of the subfloor
- Conduct a water test to verify proper drainage of the tub



Required Tools:



Safety Goggles



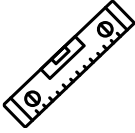
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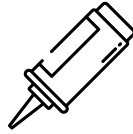
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Rubber Mallet



Spirit Level



Silicone Sealant

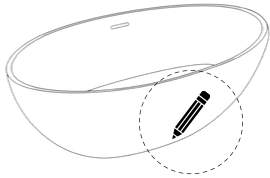


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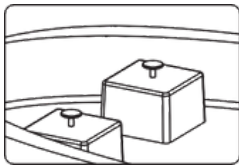
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- Drop Cloth
- Lifting Straps
- Shims
- 70" Supports more than 1" thick
- Common Woodworking Tools

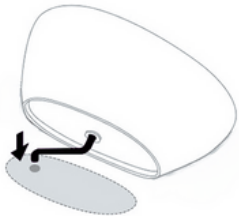
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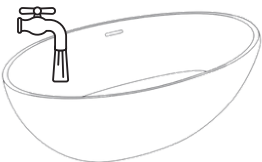
- Unbox the bathtub and carefully place it on a cover or any protective floor covering to prevent damage to both the bathtub and the floor.
- Place the tub in its assigned position and outline its shape using a pencil. Lay a drop cloth or a comparable protective material in the bathtub's interior, taking care not to cause any scratches on the surface.



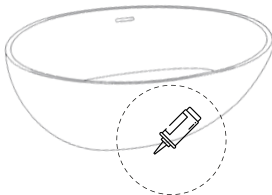
- Ensure the bathtub is level by adjusting the leveling feet at the bottom of the tub; this task may necessitate assistance from two individuals. If the drain waste vent is not directly below the drain, use an adjustable flex pipe (included)



- Organize the flex pipe and link its end to the waste vent, securing the connection with PVC cement.



- Fill the bathtub to the brim, allowing water to reach the overflow level, and meticulously examine for any signs of leaks.



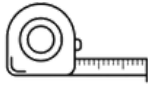
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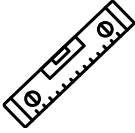
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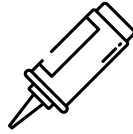
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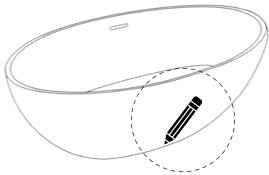


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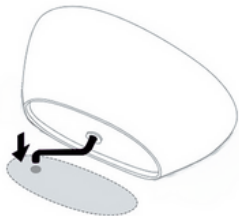
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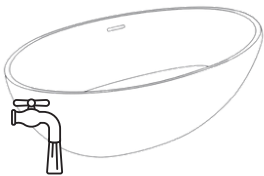
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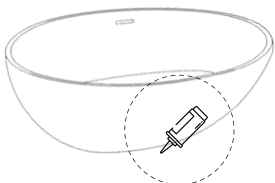
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Care and Maintenance for ACRYLIC Bathtubs

- For regular daily cleaning, utilize an approved acrylic cleaner. You may also opt for Formula 409 or Microban 24 Hour. Avoid the use of scouring pads or abrasive cleansers as they can diminish the surface. Rinse thoroughly after cleaning.
- To address mineral deposits, a mixture of white vinegar and water can be employed to soften them.
- For disinfection purposes, use 1/2 cup of Clorox Bleach per gallon of water. Avoid the use of original Clean Shower, Clean Shower for Plastic Showers & Glass, Ammonia, Aerosols, Acetone, Soft Scrub, Dawn dish soap, Dow disinfectant cleaner, Scrub Free, Fingernail polish remover, scouring pads, or Lysol disinfectant cleaner, as they may lead to a dull surface and chemical cracks.
- Avoid abrasive cleaners, as they can gradually dull the gloss over the years. In cases where recommended cleaners prove ineffective, cautiously use a Chore Boy or 3M
- Sponge pad designed for Teflon or non-stick surfaces.

Care and Maintenance for SOLID SURFACE Bathtubs

Composite solid surface bathtubs are durable and offer a range of benefits. Made from a blend of minerals, resins, and additives, and known for their strength and resilience.

- For regular daily cleaning, utilize an approved solid surface cleaner with nonabrasive cleaning solutions to cleanse the surface of your freestanding bathtub weekly. Refrain from using coarse cloths or scouring pads to protect the pristine finish of your solid surface bathtub.
- Address mineral deposits by utilizing a solution of white vinegar and water to delicately soften them.
- For disinfection, craft a solution by combining 1/2 cup of Clorox Bleach with a gallon of water.
- Exercise discernment in product selection; AVOID using original Clean Shower, Clean Shower for Plastic Showers & Glass, Ammonia, Aerosols, Acetone, Soft Scrub, Dawn dish soap, Dow disinfectant cleaner, Scrub Free, Fingernail polish remover, scouring pads, Lestoil, or Lysol disinfectant cleaner, as they may induce a dull surface and chemical cracks.
- In the event of scratches, meticulously rinse the tub surface to eliminate any dirt or dust. Proceed with two hundred grit sandpaper, using smooth and even strokes to ensure comprehensive coverage. As you progress, address dust removal with rags as needed.



Care and Maintenance for CARBON FIBER Bathtubs

Carbon fiber is renowned for its exceptional durability, making it a popular material in various industries. Its high strength-to-weight ratio, stiffness, and resistance to corrosion contribute to its durability. Carbon fiber composites are known for being lightweight yet incredibly strong, outperforming traditional materials like steel and aluminum.

- When cleaning carbon fiber, opt for a soft microfiber cloth to prevent surface scratches, avoiding abrasive sponges or brushes that may cause damage.
- Utilize a gentle detergent mixed with warm water for cleaning carbon fiber, avoiding the use of harsh chemicals or acidic cleaners that could potentially harm the surface.
- Address mineral deposits by employing a solution of white vinegar and water to delicately soften them.
- After cleaning, ensure thorough drying of the carbon fiber to prevent the formation of water spots.
- Enhance the luster of carbon fiber and eliminate swirls by polishing with a fine-grade scratch & swirl polish remover, along with lighter polishing pads. After polish application use a gentle detergent mixed with warm water and rinse the tub before use.



Ancerre Designs extends an exclusive, non-transferable limited warranty to the initial purchaser, referred to as the "User," acquiring the unit for personal or single-family residential use. Within the framework of the Limited Parts warranty, the company retains the option, at its discretion, to dispatch either a replacement piece or an entire component to the user.

Starting from the day you made your initial purchase, Ancerre Designs' warranty is specifically designed for residential use and is not transferable. However, there are a few exclusions and limitations to keep in mind.

The warranty doesn't cover certain things, like damage from not following the installation instructions, exposure to direct sunlight causing fading, using harsh cleaning products, mishandling, abuse, accidents, natural disasters, incorrect installation or moving the item after it's installed, changing the original design, or not following the recommended cleaning steps for certain hardware. Ancerre Designs is not responsible for damage caused by carriers, installers, users, other people, pets, or rodents. Ancerre Designs does not take responsibility for any extra or significant damage or losses from any cause. Please refer to the install & care manual for details.

Ancerre Designs is not accountable for the costs associated with modifying any product to obtain code approvals, such as city, county, or state building codes in the USA.

For warranty service, replacement parts will assume the remaining warranty period for the parts replaced. Ancerre Designs' warranty obligation is fulfilled upon the tender of replacement and not responsible for labor costs or monetary re-imbursement.

To activate the warranty on the new bathtub, users must follow the instructions in the installation & care manual. Please submit proof of purchase and a photograph of the tub being tested for leaks before installation to orders@ancerre.com.

Please refer to the install & care manual for details.

