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Tiles manufactured from mats are intended for smaller installations. Larger quantities resulting in multiple dye lots may not be of an exact match in shade or density. Every effort is made to ensure the best possible match, however PLAE makes no warranty on the exact match between dye lots. Any moderate to severe discrepancies should be reported immediately before beginning the installation.

2. PLAE tiles must also be installed in the same direction. (Directional markings stamped on the bottom of the tiles must point in the same direction.)

3. Establish a starting point in the area. For most sites, starting at the corner along one edge is best to represent the length or width of the room. For irregular areas, the best starting point is often the center, to ensure a symmetrical finish.

4. Mark two points on the floor at an equal distance from the edge of the installation. These points should be located near the opposite ends of the site in the length-wise direction.

5. Snap a chalk line through the recognized points. Measure the chalk line and mark a point in middle.

6. Use a 3-4-5 triangle method, snapping a chalk line to form a 90° angle to earlier recognized length-wise chalk line. These perpendicular lines will serve as a guideline for laying the first course of Aspire tiles.

7. Once chalk lines are established, place the first tile at the intersection of two chalk lines, aligning adjacent edges of the tile with the chalk lines.

8. Apply a continuous 1/4" diameter bead of Quad Blok Adhesive the perimeter of the Quad Blok connectors. Working adhesive time is dependent upon environmental conditions. See NO GLUE zones in Connector Detail drawing below.

9. Fit the first tile with four prepared Quad Blok connectors by lifting each tile corner slightly, sliding the connectors under each corner and engaging the four corner legs of each tile with the respective apertures in the Quad Blok. Continue to sequentially lay the tile and to set the Quad Blok connectors along one chalk line until the first course of tile is complete.

NOTE: Cut the Quad Blok connectors in half to secure perimeter tiles

10. Complete the other three quadrants in a similar fashion.

11. Depending on manpower availability, one or more quadrants can be worked on simultaneously using the above method.

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14. Dowel the second side of the tile by lifting the tiles to fixed together and insert one dowel at a time with a the corresponding dowel hole.

15. Continue this method to assemble in the tiles in the second course. Complete the rest of the courses in a similar manner.

16. In most wall-to-wall installations, the tile in the outer course will have to be cut to fit. Tile may be cut using a heavy-duty utility or carpet knife and a straight edge.

15. In cases where there is no wall is to contain the tiles—
a. If necessary, ramps can be cut in the same manner as tiles. If ramps are used at a corner, each ramp should be miter cut at a 45° angle.

W#Ramps and outer tiles should be adhered to floor with a 1/16in#square notched trowel indoors over substrate. Tiles should be XdccZXiZY'1 1] i] Z'fj VY'WdX' h to the next inner course! but do not need to be XdccZXiZY to each other. Ramps Yd'cdi require'Fj VY'7ad` h.
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