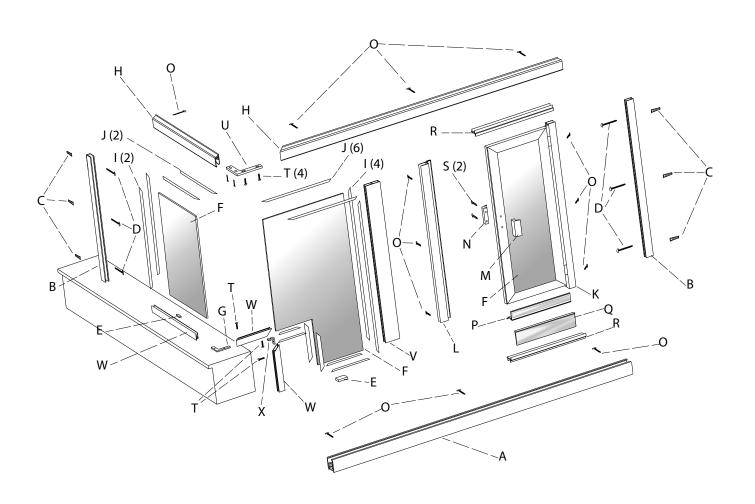


# **Installation Instructions**

**Premier** Series 1600 / 1650 with Butt Glazed Notch Return Panel



# **Parts**

ITEM	PART #	QTY	DESCRIPTION		ITEM	PART #	QTY	DESCRIPTION	
Α	401 C	1	Stall Curb		M	214 F	1	Exterior Handle	$\sum_{i=1}^{n}$
В	203	2	Wall Channel		N	214 M	1	Interior Handle	
C	113	6	Plastic Wall Anchors		0	119	13	#6 x 1/2" Pan Head Screws	<b>4000000</b> ()
D	110	6	#8 x 1 1/2" Pan Head Screw		P	204	1	Drip Bar with Tap	
Е	147	2	Setting Block	$\Box$	Q	VM-2	1	Drip Bar Vinyl	<del></del>
F		3	Glass Panel		R	402	2	Curb Fillers	
G	141	1	90-Degree Bracket w/ Set Screw		S	114	2	#6-32 X 1 1/4" Round Head Screws	5
Н	401 H	2	Stall Header	F	T	122	7	#6 X 1/4" Phillips Pan Type F	<del>u</del> m[]
1	VM-4	6	Wall Channel Vinyl		U	145	1	90-Degree Bracket	
J	VM-3	8	Stall Header and Curb Vinyl	$\ll$	V	404	1	180-Degree Post	
K	201	1	Hinge Jamb with Door Attached		W	410	3	180-Degree Snap Post	
L	202	1	Latch Jamb with Magnet		Χ	CX5	1	Wall Channel Clip	

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# **Tools**



# **Installation Notes**

- Unpack your unit carefully. Lay out and identify all parts using the instruction sheets as a reference. Before discarding the carton, check for any small hardware bags.
- If any parts are damaged or missing, refer to the description noted in the instructions when contacting your dealer for replacements.
- Please wear safety glasses whenever drilling or cutting.
- Handle the glazed panels carefully; tempered glass is difficult to break, but the sharp corners of the panels can damage tile and floor coverings.
- Before installing, check the tub rim for level and both walls for plumb. If either are out of plumb more than 3/8", you may want to contact your dealer for tapered fillers which can be used to level tub track or plum the side jambs.



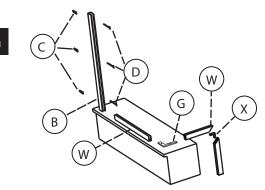
Caution: Tempered glass cannot be cut or drilled

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#### **WALL CHANNEL for BUTTRESS**

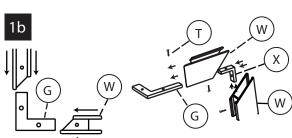
#### Step 1a.

- Layout buttress seat and notch panel metal.
- Insert bracket (G) into return panel snap post (W) and notch panel buttress snap post (W). Tighten set screws. Insert wall channel clip (X) into notch seat snap post and buttress wall channel snap. Tighten set screws.
- Place wall channel (B) on buttress snap post (W), plumb on wall and mark hole location.



# Step 1b.

- Remove parts and drill wall with 3/16" drill bit (for tile drill 3/16" mason's bit). Insert plastic wall anchors (C) into drilled holes.
- Do not screw wall channel (B) into place at this time.

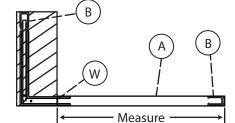


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#### **STALL CURB and WALL CHANNEL**

#### Step 2a.

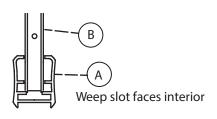
- Measure the opening from the buttress wall to the other wall and cut the stall curb (A) to fit the full width of the opening.
- Position the curb in the center of the opening with the weep slots facing interior and mark its position. The buttress snap post (W) will go into the stall curb when the stall is positioned onto the sill.



2a

### Step 2b.

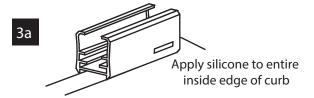
- Position return panel/notch panel channels on buttress.
- Press the wall channels (B) and snap post (W) into the curb (A). Plumb the wall channels (B) and mark the hole locations on the wall.
- Remove all parts and drill the wall for plastic wall anchors using 3/16" drill bit. Push the wall anchors (C) into the drilled holes.
   3.



## **BUTTRESS GLASS**

#### Step 3a.

• Apply silicone to underside of curb (A) and replace curb in previous location. Silicone both ends of curb in area where it meets the wall.



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#### **BUTTRESS GLASS CONTINUED**

#### Step 3b.

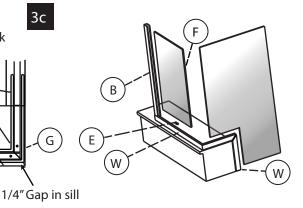
• Replace return panel/ notch panel channels (W) on buttress. Then secure buttress wall channel (B) with three #8 X 1 1/2 pan head screws (D).



3c

### Step 3b.

• Place setting block (E) into sill (W) so that the setting block will fit in the middle of glass panel (F). Place glass into sill (W) and wall channel (B).



# 4.

### **SETTING the GLASS PANEL**

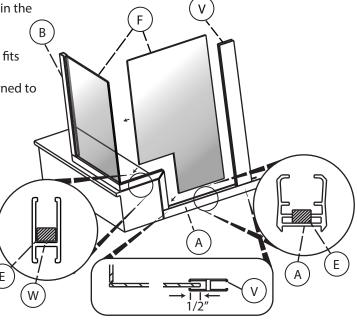
# Step 4a.

• Place setting block (E) in the curb (A) as shown. The setting block should be positioned to support glass panel (F) in the middle of panel.

• Set the glass panel so it rests on the setting block and fits approximately 1/2" into the 180-degree post (V). If obscure glass is used, the rough surface must be turned to the exterior.

• Press the 180-degree post (V) into the curb (A) and position to overlap glass panel (F) by 1/2".

> **Note:** The 1/2" glass bite may be varied from 1/4" to 3/4" to facilitate out of plumb walls.

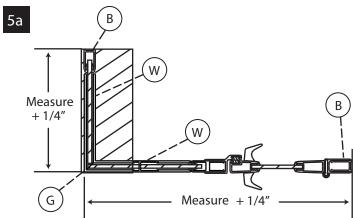


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#### **SECURING the HEADER**

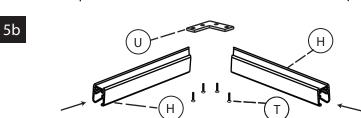
#### Step 5a.

- Position glass at 90 degree angle in the corner so that the front panel is in front of return panel.
- Tape corners of glass to hold together.
- Measure wall to glass corner at the top of unit. Add 1/4" to measurement and cut headers.



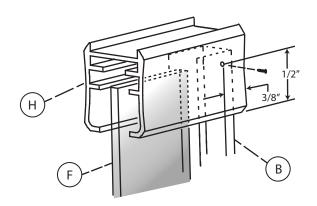
#### Step 5b.

• Using the holes in the 90-degree bracket (U) as a guide, mark and drill matching holes in the headers (H) with #32 drill bit and secure the 90-degree bracket (U) with four #6 X 1/4" screws (T).



#### Step 5c.

- Place header (H) over vertical posts; secure header to wall channels by drilling holes through header and wall channels from inside of shower with a 1/8" drill bit.
- Slide glass panel (F) away from the wall channels before drilling. The drill bit must not hit the glass.
- Secure with #6 X 1/2" pan head screws (O). Repeat for other side and bottom two corners.
- Reposition the glass panel.



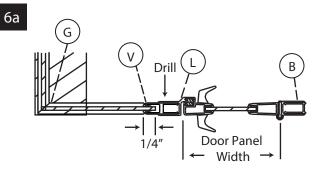
**Note:** Headers (H) come 3" longer to compensate for out of plumb walls. Make sure when cutting to size, you cut the sides of the headers that will be butting up to the wall, **NOT** mitered corners that meet and are secured by the 90-degree bracket (U).

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#### **MEASURING for DOOR**

#### Step 6a.

- For the door and panel to fit the opening, the unit has a 1" adjustment in the fixed panel and a 1" adjustment in the door, 1/2" maximum adjustment at each end. Most installers prefer to take the maximum amount of adjustment out of the fixed panel.
- The glass of the fixed panels must go into the 180-degree snap post (W) and 180-degree post (V) at least 1/4"; this is to ensure that the vinyl will hold the glass properly and provide adequate water protection.
- Secondly, the opening for the door must be large enough. Measure the door panel width (see below). The top and bottom door rails must be equal. Measure the distance between the wall channel (B) and the 180-degree post (V). This measurement between posts must be a ½" greater than the door panel width, and no more than 1½" longer than the door panel width.



**Note:** A good way to remember this measurement is that the distance between the wall channel and the 180-degree post on the fixed panel side (i.e. daylight) can never be narrower than panel size minus 1 1/2" and never wider than panel size minus 1/2".

**For example**: a 10" panel equals 8 1/2" minimum distance and 9 1/2" maximum distance.

7a



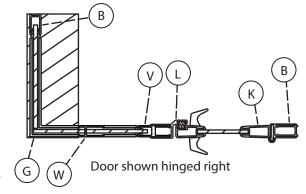
• Next, secure stall header (H) and stall curb (A) to 180-degree post (V) by drilling 1/8" holes and attach with #6 x  $\frac{1}{2}"$  pan head screws (O) (drill away from glass).

#### 7.

#### **PLACING the DOOR**

#### Step 7a.

- Determine the direction your door will swing. Set the latch jamb (L) over 180-degree post (V) with the magnet facing the outside, but do not secure.
- From inside the shower, set the hinge jamb with door attached (K) in place over post (V or B depending on configuration).
- Close the door so door magnet and latch jamb magnet connects. Adjust door on wall channel (B) and 180-degree post (V).

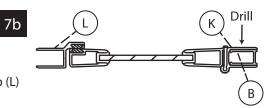


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#### **PLACING the DOOR CONTINUED**

#### Step 7b.

• Next, drill through top pilot hole of hinge jamb (K) into post using 1/8" drill bit. Secure top hole using #6 X 1/2" screw (O) the door will stay in place with only top screw. Plumb hinge jamb and latch jamb (L) then drill and secure the other five holes.

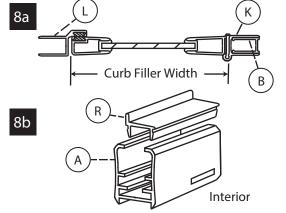


#### 8.

#### **MEASURE for CURB FILLERS**

#### Step 8a.

Measure between the latch jamb (L) and the hinge jamb (K).
 This should be the same as top or bottom rail of door + 5/16".
 Cut curb fillers to this measurement.



# Step 8b.

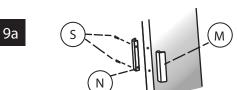
• Snap curb fillers (R) into stall header (H) and stall curb (A) with the 1/8" lip facing the outside.

# 9.

### **HANDLE ATTATCHMENT**

#### Step 9a.

• Attach the exterior handle (M) and the interior handle (N) to the door with two # 6-32 X 1 1/4" round head screws (S).



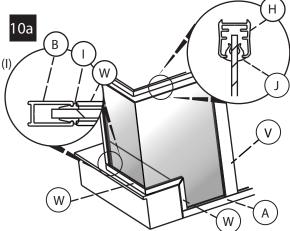
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#### **APPLYING the VINYL STRIPS**

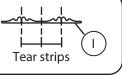
#### Step 10a.

- Inspect the glazing vinyl and note that there are two profiles.

  The larger profile (J) is installed orizontally and the smaller profile (I) is installed vertically. The horizontal vinyl is installed first.
- Cut the vinyl slightly longer than the opening (this prevents shrinkage). Press the interior vinyl into place.
- Use a wood block to tap the exterior vinyl into place starting at both ends and work towards the middle.
- Install the bottom vinyl in the same manner.
- Install the vertical vinyl being sure the corners fit tightly against the horizontal vinyl. If vinyl is difficult to tap on, lubricate the glass and vinyl with glass cleaner, then press on vinyl.



**Note:** The wall channel vinyl (I) may be provided with four strips in one. Tear each strip off.

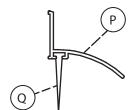


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### **DRIP BAR**

#### Step 11a.

- Next, take the drip bar with tape (P) and the clear drip bar vinyl (Q). Slide the vinyl into the groove at the bottom of the drip bar.
- Leave 1/4" hanging out at both ends and crimp, so vinyl does not move in the groove.

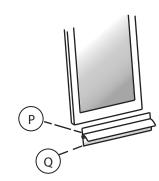


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11b

# Step 11b.

- From inside of shower, set drip bar on bottom rail and adjust so approximately 1/8" daylight space remains between bottom of vinyl and curb filler (R).
- Mark with pencil; peel off tape and press drip bar to door on marked position. You only get one chance to do this; **the adhesive is permanent**.



# 12.

# SILICONE SETUP

### Step 12a.

Silicone the entire unit where metal meets wall and curb.
 We recommend you let silicone set for 24 hours before using shower



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