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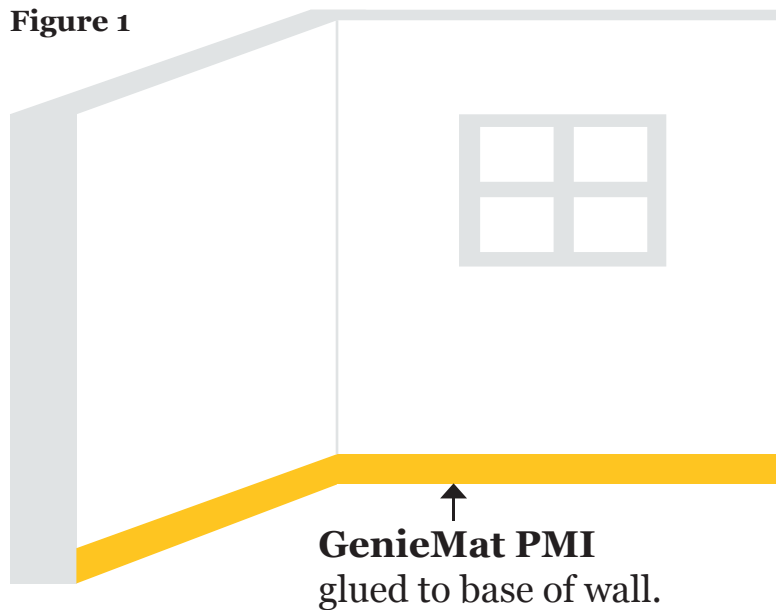
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PREPARATION

- i. Attach **GenieMat PMI** to base of wall (refer to **Figure 1**).



- ii. Unroll and place **GenieMat** underlayment perpendicular to subsequent installation direction of finished floor (refer to **Figure 2**).

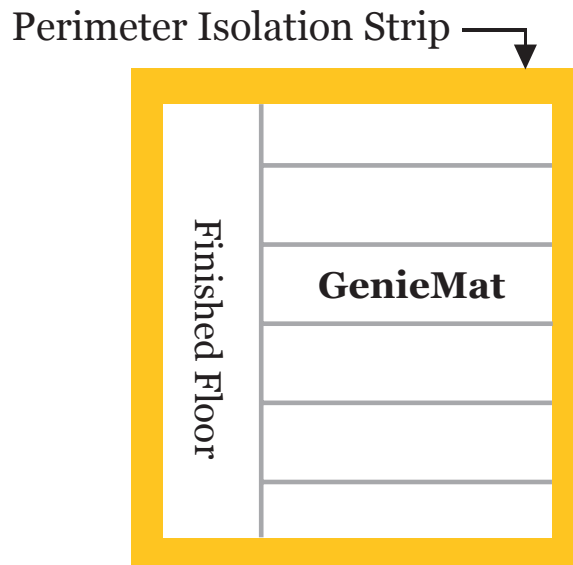


Figure 2

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- iii. Trim ends of each section to fit floor surface area.
 - iv. Align lengthwise edges of underlayment with neighboring sheets by butting up or overlapping them.
 - v. Determine whether installation will be glue-down or floating floor and follow corresponding instructions.

FLOATING FLOOR INSTALLATION

- i. Use duct tape or high-quality carpet tape to secure butt joints and seams, and prevent underlayment from moving.
- ii. Proceed to Finished Floor Installation.

GLUE DOWN INSTALLATION

- i. Fold over first sheet of underlayment halfway lengthwise.
- ii. Spread adhesive using appropriate notch trowel and **GenieMat® FAS** adhesive (refer to **GenieMat FAS** product spec guides).
- iii. Spread adhesive perpendicular to seam (refer to **Figure 3**).
- iv. Carefully lay underlayment on adhesive.
- v. Fold over second half of first sheet and first half of second sheet.

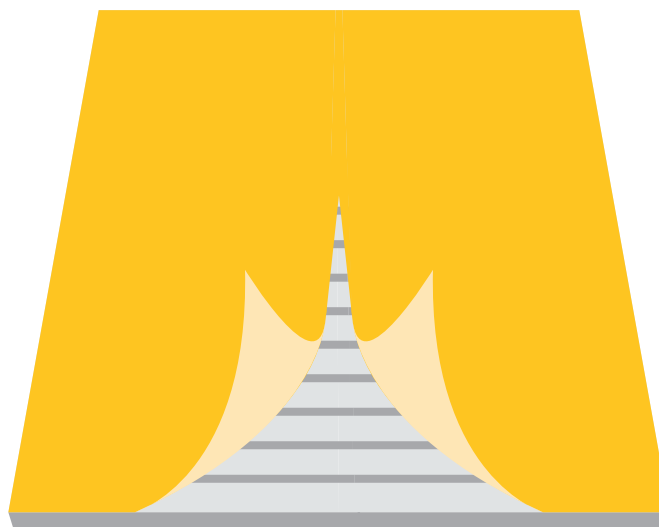


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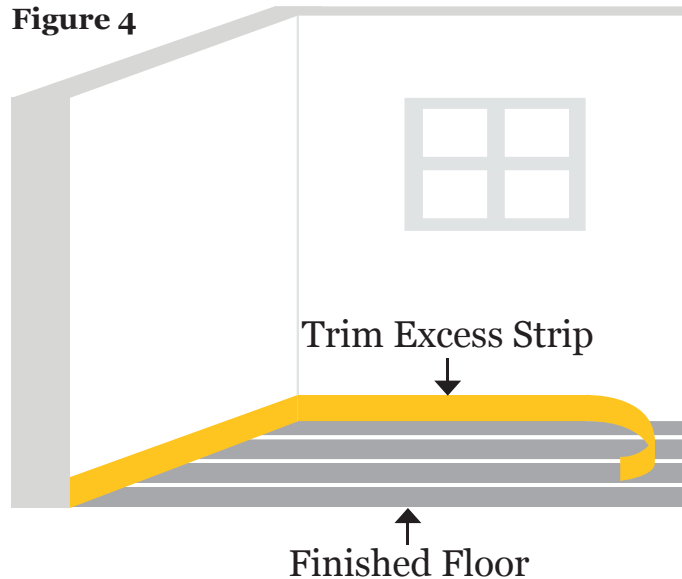
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- vi. Continue this process for each consecutive sheet.
 - vii. Use a 30 to 50 lb roller over sheets to ensure proper transfer of adhesive.
 - viii. Provide enough time to allow adhesive to set before installing finished floor.

FINISHED FLOOR INSTALLATION

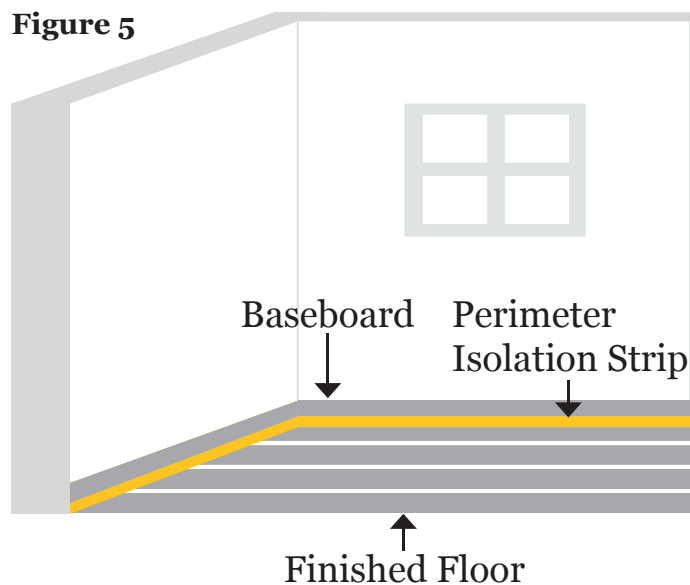
- i. Install all finished floors according to manufacturer's recommendations.
- ii. If installing a floating floor, interlock or glue planks together without gluing the planks to the underlayment.
- iii. If manufacturer recommends installation of plywood or cement board between underlayment and finished floor, adhere board to underlayment.
- iv. DO NOT nail or screw through the underlayment.
- v. Adhere all finished floors using appropriate notch trowel and **GenieMat® FAS** (refer to **GenieMat FAS** product spec guides).
- vi. Alternate adhesives recommended by manufacturer shall be pre-approved by **Pliteq®** Technical Services.
- vii. Install grouted flooring materials in a thin or thick-set mortar bed applied directly over underlayment.
- viii. Tile and stone sizes smaller than 4" x 4" shall be pre-approved by **Pliteq** Technical Services.

BASEBOARD INSTALLATION

- i. Trim excess **GenieMat® PMI** perimeter isolation strip flush or below surface of finished floor (refer to **Figure 4**).



- ii. Install baseboard to wall $\frac{1}{4}$ " (min.) above **GenieMat PMI** and finished floor (refer to **Figure 5**).
- iii. Do not allow baseboard to touch finished floor.



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