

SECTION 09 65 13

RUBBER BASE

PART 1 PRODUCTS

1.1 SUMMARY:

- A. Section includes:
 - 1. Resilient Base

1.2 RELATED SECTIONS:

- A. Section 06 41 16 – Cabinet Work & Shelving

1.3 SUBMITTALS:

- A. Comply with Section 01 33 00.
- B. Submit through Contractor to Architect:
 - 1. Samples: Provide properly identified, actual samples of each material for approval and color selection prior to installation.
 - 2. Operation and Maintenance Data: Include maintenance procedures, recommended maintenance materials, and suggested schedule for cleaning.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE:

- A. Regulatory Requirements: Conform to applicable code for flame/fuel/smoke rating requirements in accordance with ASTM E84.

1.5 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Store materials for three days prior to installation in area of installation to achieve temperature stability.
- B. Maintain ambient temperature required by adhesive manufacturer three days prior to, during and 24 hours after installation of materials.

1.6 WARRANTY:

- A. Provide manufacturer's one year warranty for material and Installer's one-year warranty.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIAL

- A. Coved Rubber Base

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1. Tarkett “Traditional Duracove”, or approved alternate Thermoplastic Rubber 1/8” coved wall base,
 2. ASTM E84/NFPA 255, Type TP or better, group 1 (solid); 4" high, 1/8" thickness; class C fire resistance, with matching pre-molded corner units; top-set coved base; color as selected from 70 color options by Architect. Pre-molded corner units to match exactly, rubber base color selected.
 3. Provide base material in continuous rolls. **“Preformed” or “Field-Made” outside corners will not be allowed. Factory made Pre-molded outside corner units must be used.**
 4. Adhesive: Porous surfaces: Tarkett #960 Acrylic Cove base Adhesive; Non-porous surfaces: Tarkett #946 Contact Bond Adhesive. Provide adhesives for approved alternate products as approved by manufacturer for each substrate application.
- B. Substitutions: Alternate products may be submitted for Architect’s review and approval, but must comply with Section 01 60 00.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION:

- A. Beginning of installation means acceptance of existing substrate and site conditions.

3.2 PREPARATION:

- A. Cleaning: Immediately prior to installation of the work of this section, vacuum clean substrate. Thoroughly clean substrate and remove all wax, oil, grease, paint, varnish hardeners, and other items which would adversely affect the bond of the adhesive.
- B. Remove edges and bumps.

3.3 INSTALLATION

A. BASE MATERIAL:

1. Areas to receive base will be clean, fully enclosed, weather-tight and temperature maintained at 65 degrees F for a minimum of 24 hours prior to and after installation. This also includes adhesives, which will be conditioned in same manner.
2. Coiled wall base will be uncoiled and laid out flat for at least 24 hours at 65 degrees.
3. Installer to verify substrate rubber base is to be adhered to and coordinate with other trades. Do not install epoxy paint where rubber base is to be installed.
4. Fit joints tight and vertical. Maintain minimum measurement of 18 inches between joints. Install continuous rolls with as few joints as possible. Use pre-molded corner units.
5. Install base on solid backing. Bond tight to wall and floor surfaces.
6. Apply adhesive with 1/8” square notched trowel to cover 80% of the back surface. Hold adhesive down 1/4” from top of base.
 - a. If Caulk is to be used, install in level beads so that adhesive locations are not visibly transferred to finished surface. Visible swirls or waves are not acceptable.
7. Scribe to fit door frames and other interruptions.

8. Install pre-molded corner units on all outside corners before installing wall base. Do not extend continuous base around outside corners unless approved by Architect.
9. Base will be mitered at all inside corners.
10. Pieces of base less than 8" not allowed.
11. Install at toe space at base of all cabinets unless otherwise shown.

3.4 CLEANING AND FINISHING:

- A. Allow adhesive to dry prior to mopping. Follow base manufacturer's instruction for drying time.
- B. Remove excess adhesive from base, and wall surfaces without damage.

END OF SECTION