



Bathroom Planner

WHETHER YOU ARE DESIGNING A BRAND NEW BATHROOM
OR PLANNING A RENOVATION, OUR BATHROOM PLANNER IS THE
PERFECT TOOL TO HELP TURN YOUR DREAMS INTO REALITY.

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BATHROOMS

How to Use

Getting the bathroom of your dreams starts with planning. Achieve a stylish bathroom whatever your budget by choosing fixtures to complement the space. Let us help create a room you will love.

OUR BATHROOM PLANNER MAKES THINGS SIMPLE

1. Use the grid to measure out your bathroom to scale. Every 10 squares are equal to 1 square metre.
2. Add any fittings you want to keep.
3. Cut out the grey product outlines of products you are considering.
4. Place them on the bathroom grid and play round until you're happy with the layout.
5. Glue or tape down your preferred design to bring in store – our expert team will help you find exactly what you need.

ZIP TIPS

- Measure your space as accurately as you can.
- Don't forget to make a note of windows, doors, power points, waste, and water connections.
- Make sure you allow for doors and drawers to open.
- Find out if your water pressure is mains pressure or not.
- Take a photo of anything that is staying in the room, eg the vanity or the bath so that the new items will look nice with the old.
- Keep within existing pipe work to help reduce cost!

SAFETY TIPS

- If your bathroom users are elderly, infirm or very young, think about putting safety rails in the bath and showers and near the toilet.
- It is best to hardwire in heaters, heated towel rails and fans, and when you are installing other appliances make sure to use outlets with circuit breakers.
- Never fit appliances over the bath, and make sure your electrical sockets are located a safe distance from the shower.

HOT WATER TIPS

- If you are wanting a large bath to soak in, or a shower with high pressure, you need to make sure you have enough hot water. This could mean upgrading your hot water system if it is not capable of providing the amount of hot water you would need. Make sure to also take into consideration how many people will use the hot water at any one time.
- If you are going to change your hot water system, do this before choosing any tapware or showerheads.

CHECKLIST - PLEASE TICK ALL THAT APPLY.

What type of water pressure are you catering for?

- All pressures
 Mains pressure
 Low pressure

What type of vanity would you like?

- Wall-hung
 Floor mounted

What type of basin would you like?

- Wall-hung
 Vessel

What type of shower would you like?

- Square
 Round
 Angle corner
 Shower over bath
 Alcove (3 sided)

What type of bath would you like?

- Freestanding
 Back to wall
 Drop in

What type of toilet?

- Wall-hung
 Close coupled
 Back to wall

* What is your set out?

Do you need any accessories?

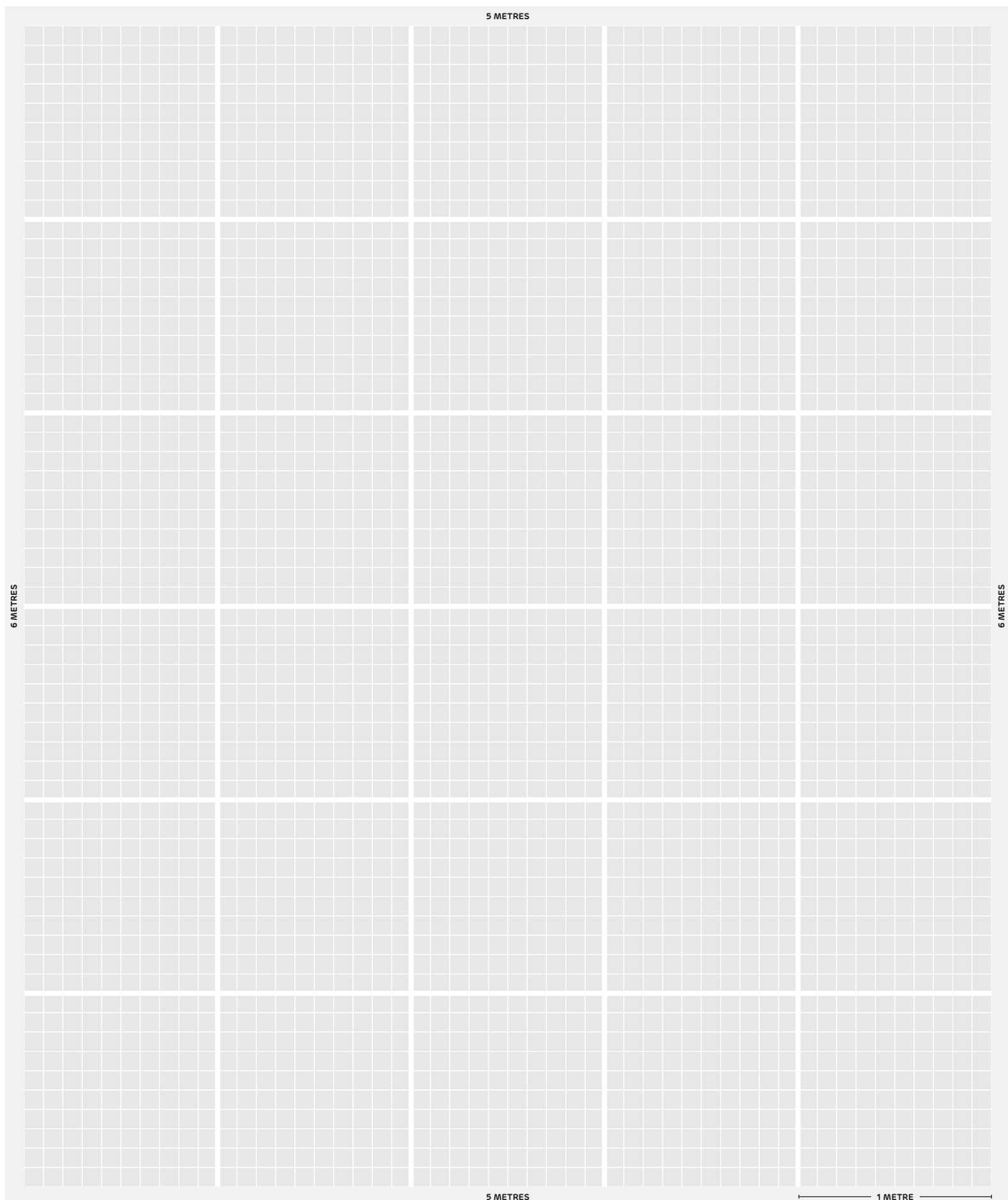
- Towel rail
 Heated towel rail
 Extractor fan
 Robe hooks
 Toilet roll holder

Do you need a new mirror?

- Framed
 LED
 Mirror cabinet
 Bevelled edge

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1:25 scale means that one small square equals 10cm. 10 squares equal 1 metre.



This planner should be used as a guide only. Please consult your plumber or builder.

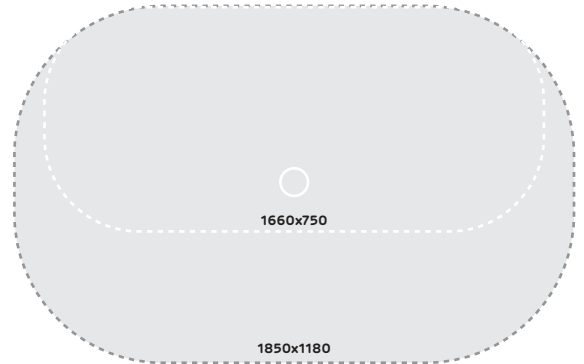
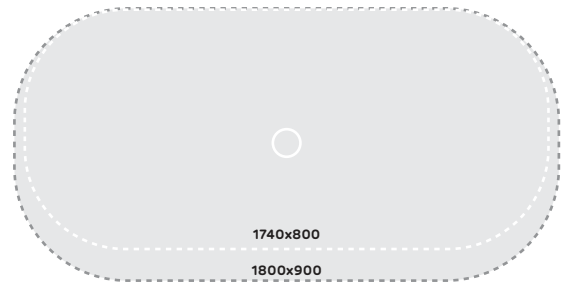
Baths

When choosing your dream bathtub, consider your space and what you want to achieve. Your bath could be a focal point in a bathroom and draw your eye down the centre of the room. Finding what works best for you and your space will help to decide the tub you choose.

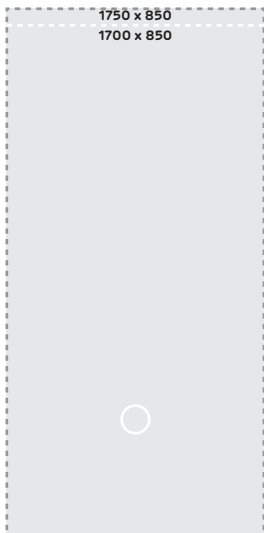
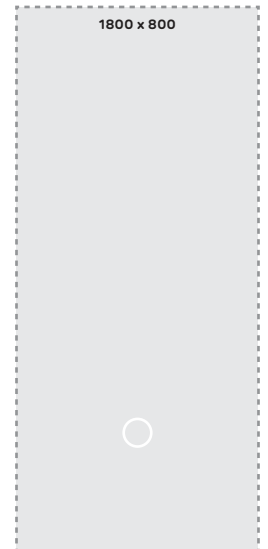
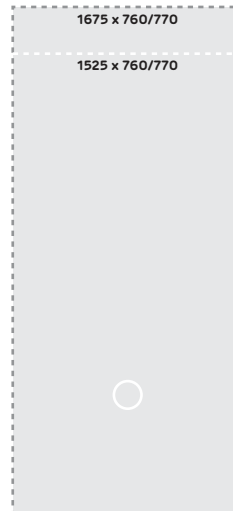
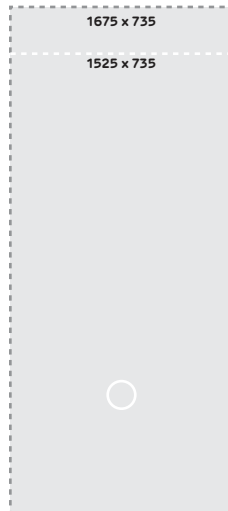
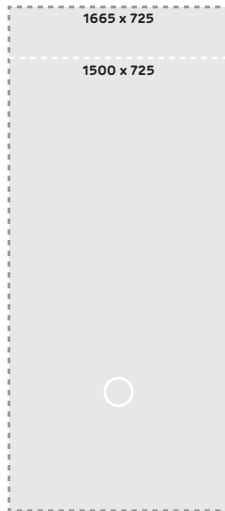
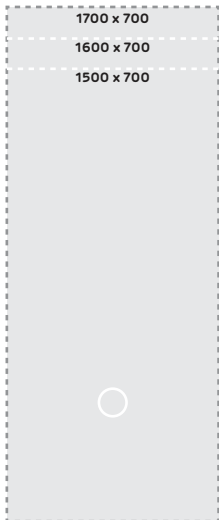
ZIP TIPS

- Keep storage in mind when choosing a free-standing bath. Shelving and other forms of storage within arm's reach will come in handy.
- Consider adding a corner bath if you have less room to play with, they are big enough for two and take up less room than a traditional tub.
- Add a tiled ledge to add a bit of flair for soaps, shampoo and even children's bath toys.

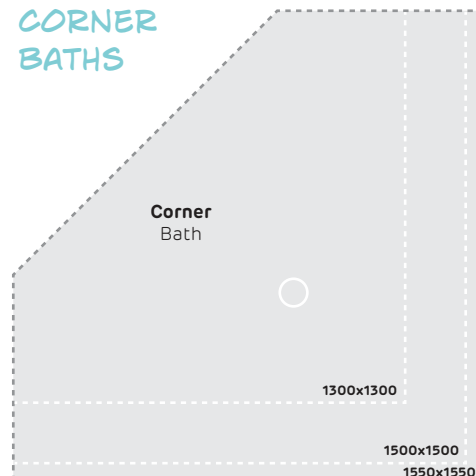
FREESTANDING BATHS



INSET BATHS



CORNER BATHS



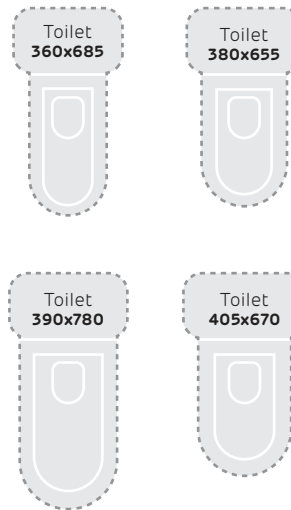
Toilets

First impressions count - ensure your toilet isn't in direct sight of the door if possible. When looking at styles keep in mind the different types.

ZIP TIPS

- Keep other fixtures in mind, oval or squared edges can create cohesion with the other fittings in the room.
- A popular option is the wall faced toilet to cut down on cleaning and saves on space.
- Always consider your pipework when choosing a new toilet. An s-trap system goes through the floor and the p-trap goes through the wall.

TOILETS



Storage & Accessories

Picking from the multitude of storage options can be overwhelming. The right bathroom storage system can create a great looking design feature and give you more space and functionality.

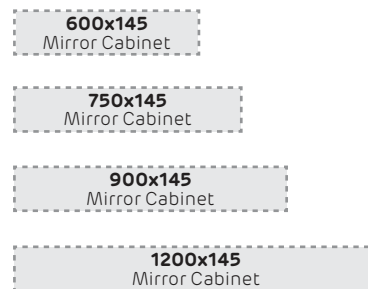
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- Keep in mind the functionality of the room. Is there a towel rail? Do you need robe hooks?
- Don't forget opening doors and what space this might take up.
- Colours can make all the difference; find a colour scheme you like and carry that through your accessories.
- Lighting and ventilation are also an important feature, whether you are keeping fittings or buying new.
- Make your space more luxurious by adding underfloor heating.

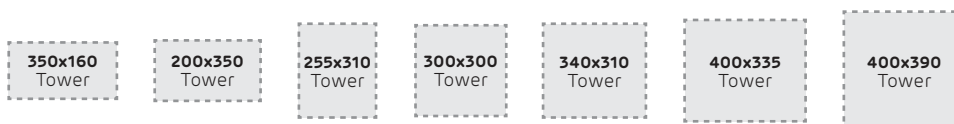
HEATED TOWEL RAILS



MIRROR CABINETS



STORAGE TOWERS



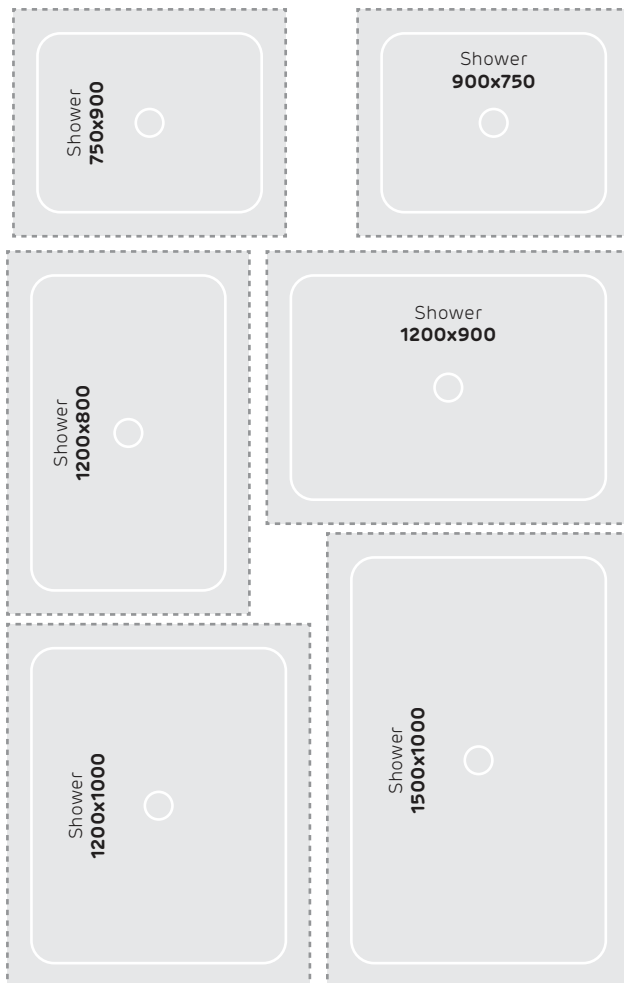
Showers

Keep your shower area contemporary by adding a tiled niche to keep toiletries tidy and keep the space looking cohesive.

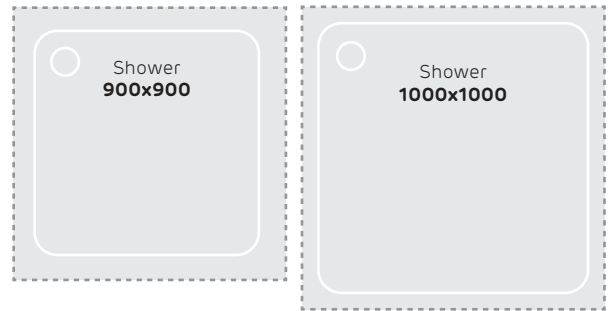
ZIP TIPS

- Glazing protection helps to reduce scrubbing shower surfaces.
- If you have the space, choose the larger shower. You won't regret it.
- If you have a tight space, consider a shower with a curved front and sliding doors, or a shower over the bath.
- Keep your fixtures in the same places to cut trade costs.
- Think about the placement of the shower mixture so you don't get wet when turning it on.
- Don't point the showerhead towards the door.

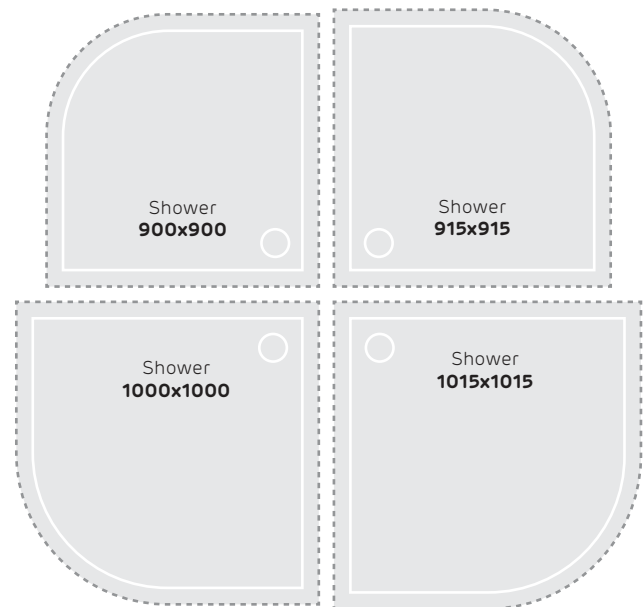
RECTANGLE SHOWERS



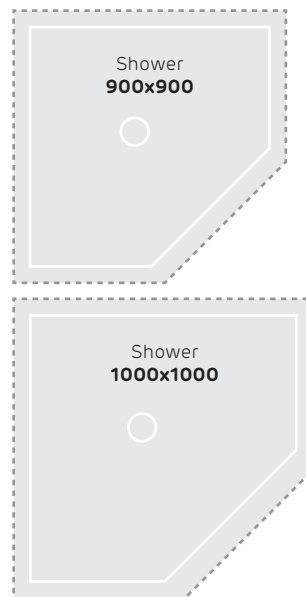
SQUARE SHOWERS



ROUNDED SHOWERS



ANGLE SHOWERS



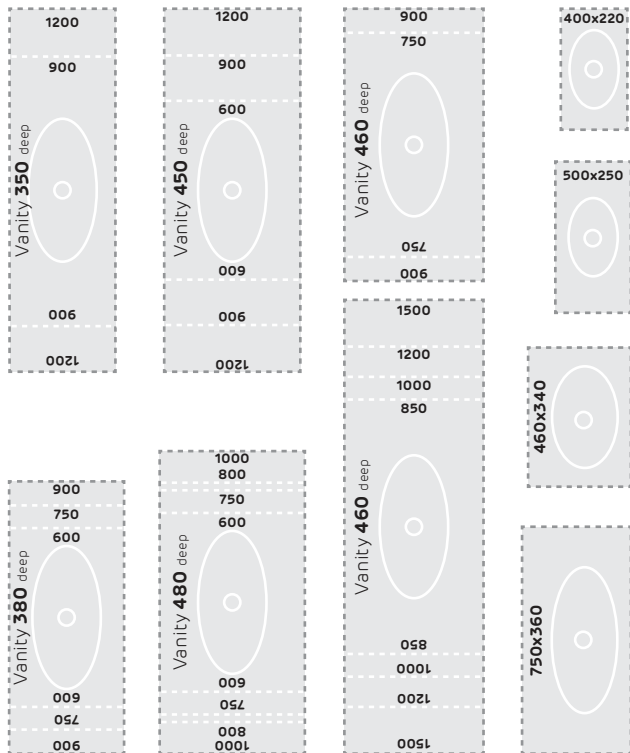
Vanities & Basins

Making the most of your vanity and basin could mean the difference between a breezy morning and chaos. Avoid frustration and mess by adding additional space for toiletries, makeup, and skincare. If you have the space to spare, why not include a double basin so there is no one battling for the sink.

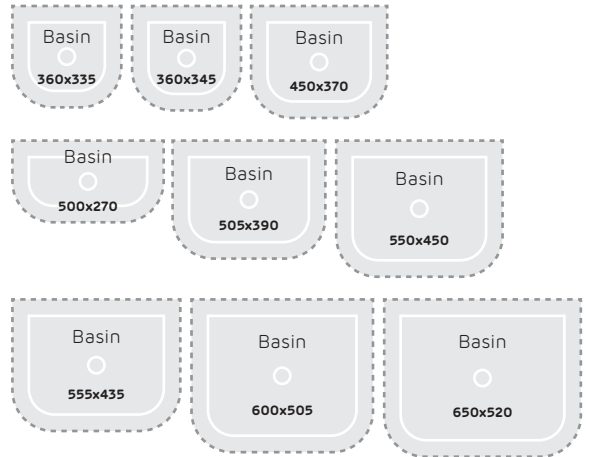
ZIP TIPS

- Reduce splash back by installing a deeper basin.
- Match tapware with your bath and shower to ensure flow throughout the room.
- Save on cost by placing a new vanity where the plumbing for the original is.
- Look at the different styles of basin, from wall hung to semi recessed, this could be what saves you crucial space.
- Don't forget your electrical power points. Keep them close by to charge toothbrushes and shavers or to use hairdryers.
- If you have room for an extra drawer, cupboard or bench space, do it.

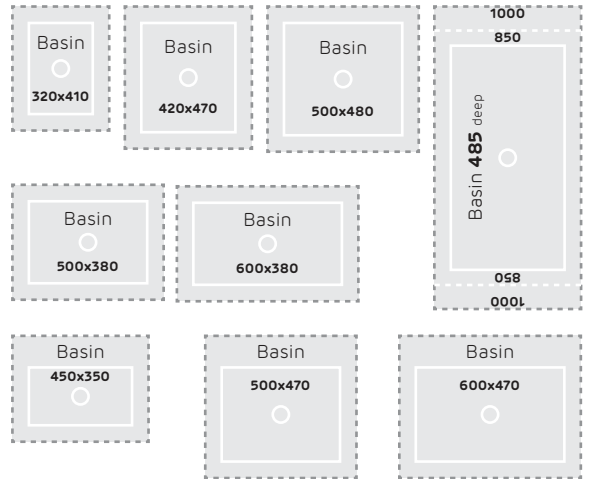
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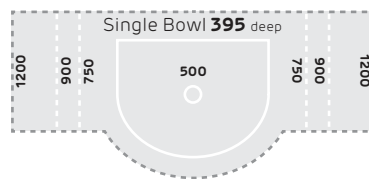
ROUNDED BASINS



RECTANGLE BASINS



RECESSED VANITIES



DOUBLE VANITIES

