

Installation i4F Drop-Lock Technologies: Tiles



4-sided 3L TripleLock tiles

One piece drop-lock system.



Preparation

Tools needed: a straight edge, soft rubber mallet, disassembling wedge.



Install 1st tile

Place the straight edge horizontally along the wall. Starting from the left, place the tile against the straight edge. Press to engage the tile in the straight edge's groove.



Install 2nd tile

Place the second besides the first. Make sure the second tile is completely straight before you drop its groove onto the first tile's tongue. Then push down to engage.



Lock tiles

Using a soft rubber mallet, gently tap the sides to lock the tiles. Make sure the tiles are properly engaged. If there's no gap between the tiles, the tiles are fully locked.



Align 1st tile of the second row

Move the straight edge vertically along the other wall and align the first tile of row 2 with the first tile of the previous row.



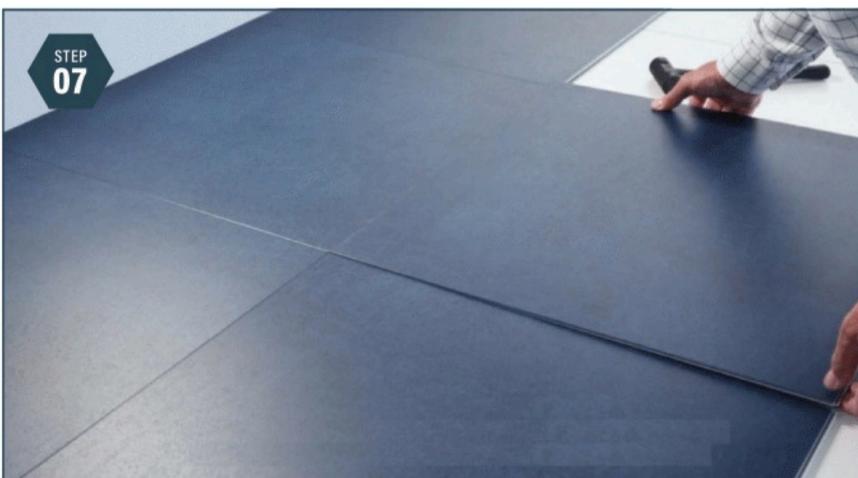
Connect rows 1 and 2

Connect the two tiles by dropping the new tile onto the first tile from the previous row. Make sure the tile is completely straight, before you drop the tile onto the other tile's groove and engage.



Locking

Again, using a soft rubber mallet, gently tap the sides to lock the tiles. Make sure the tiles are properly engaged.



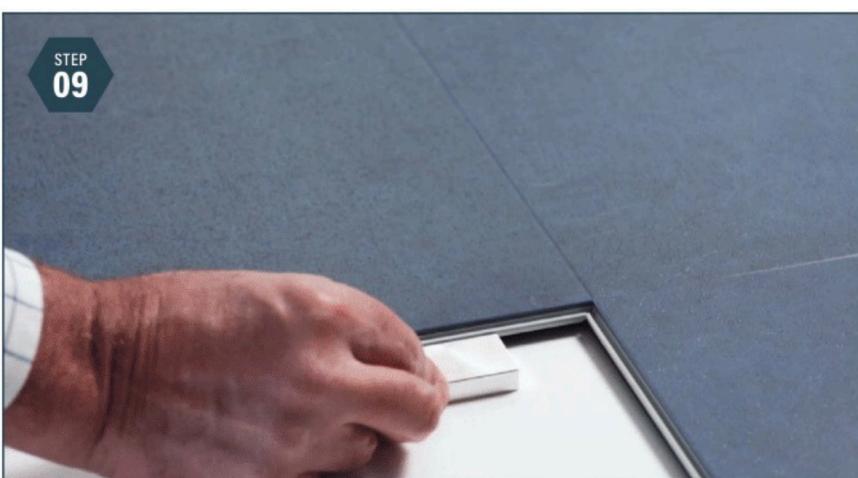
Subsequent tiles

Follow the same steps to install subsequent tiles going from left to right. As you go, keep using the soft rubber mallet to engage the tiles.



Finalize floor

Remove the straight edge. Control all sides of the tiles. No gaps? Then your tiles are fully locked.



Using disassembling wedge

Place the lower part of the disassembling wedge underneath the tile needing to be disengaged and gently press on the adjacent tile.



Loosening tiles

Lift the tile and push the disassembling wedge further beneath the tile, until the highest part of the wedge is underneath the tile. Slowly start pulling the tile upwards. Finally, lift the entire tile loose.