GoBoard® Fasteners

**For use with ¼", ½" and ⅜" GoBoard® waterproof tile backer board**

### 1¼" Hi-Lo Fasteners

**for use with Wood Studs**

- Large diameter head for increased holding strength
- Smooth underside to help avoid overdriving screw
- Hi-Lo threads for increased holding power and reduced driving torque
- #2 square-Phillips combo drive

### 1¼" Self-Drilling Fasteners

**for use with Metal Studs**

- Large diameter head for increased holding strength
- Smooth underside to help avoid overdriving screw
- Self-drilling tip meeting SAE J78 hardness and timed test requirements
- #2 square-Phillips combo drive

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**Installation Tips**

- Use the included #2 square bit with any variable speed corded or cordless screw gun or drill.
- If applicable, make sure to adjust clutch setting such that fasteners are seated flush and not overdriven through top surface of board.
- For waterproof installations, make sure to seal each fastener penetration with GoBoard® Sealant or equivalent.
- See complete GoBoard installation instructions at www.jm.com/goboard.

**GoBoard® Installation Instructions**

**Measure, Score and Snap**

Measure GoBoard, then score with a utility knife and snap to desired size, it's easy and fast.

**Bonding, Fastening and Sealing:**

- **For Floors and Countertops**
  - Apply mortar to subfloor (floors) or fastened plywood base (cabinets), combing it into a ribbed setting bed with a ¼" square notched trowel.
  - Laminate cut GoBoard by firmly pressing it into the mortar, ensuring that it is fully embedded. Subsequent boards should be laminated with a ⅛" space between all corners and edges.
  - Fasten GoBoard, ensuring fasteners are flush with the surface of the board with a maximum spacing of 8" and within ⅛" – 1" of the edge (not required for concrete subfloors).
  - Fill all joint gaps with mortar, then place 2" fiber glass mesh tape on the joints and embed with mortar, ensuring tape is fully covered.
  - To ensure a waterproof installation, seal all joints and fastener locations with two coats of liquid waterproofing membrane.

- **For Walls and Ceilings**
  - Liberally apply a continuous bead of sealant to the bottom (walls) or side (ceilings) edge so that when GoBoard is butted the sealant squeezes out. Ensure a tight seal at the joint leaving a ⅛" gap.
  - Fasten GoBoard to the wall or ceiling studs, ensuring fasteners are flush with the surface of the board with a maximum spacing of 8" and within ½" – 1" of the edge.
  - After fastening, spread the excess sealant with a putty knife to at least 1" beyond either side of the joint to ensure a tight seal. Liberally apply a continuous bead of sealant to the top (walls) or opposite edge (ceilings) before tightly butting the next board.
  - Repeat the above two steps as necessary to completion.
  - To ensure a waterproof installation, all fastener locations and joints (between boards, at corners and for other changes of plane) must be sealed.
  - As an alternative to the above sealing procedure, leave a maximum ⅛" gap between boards, then follow the final two steps outlined for floor and countertop installation.