Quality construction for your long-term satisfaction.

What you need to know about the shell of your bathtub.



The shell of a jetted bath is the most expensive component. All baths begin with a sheet of flat cast acrylic material. It is heated to approximately 390 degrees, then positioned over a mold and the sheet of acrylic is drawn down into the mold by suction. Once the sheet has cooled, it is removed, turned over, and fiberglass is applied to the outside for strength.

Most companies try to cut costs on the quality and the thickness of the acrylic sheet, and also on the amount and thickness of fiberglass reinforcement. When they use a 20% thinner sheet of acrylic and 200-300% less fiberglass, the savings are considerable for them, but the customer is the one who suffers. Some baths may feel like you are sitting in an eggshell with flimsy sidewalls and floors that flex and squeak when stepping in or sitting down. When bathtubs are inferior with poor quality, the possibility of cracking and failure goes way up. This is precisely why some companies offer such short warranties.



Sidewall sample hole for structural strength and stability.

At Hydro Massage, we pride ourselves on superior quality. We use some of the thickest cast acrylic available for baths. This is very important since this is the surface that you see, feel and touch. With a thicker acrylic used, you will not be stuck with a paper thin surface on the floor of the bath like some competitors.

We then re-enforce the bath with up to 200 – 300% more material for a structurally solid bath. We also re-enforce all of our floors with layers of fiberglass and wood to give you a rock solid floor.

"I love my tub! This was by far my best investment. It is a chunk of change, but what you get is priceless."

Better by Design: Saves You Time & Money!



Most brands require floor or wall mount faucets.

Design features make a real difference — in cost, operation, and ease of installation.

Most competitors require you to buy a floor or wall mounted faucet for their freestanding bathtubs. With a Hydro Massage bath, you can choose a floor mount, wall mount, or a deck mounted faucet. We offer a deck mount faucet location because it can save you **\$500-\$2,000 over** the other options. In addition, deck mounted faucets normally deliver a higher gallon-per-minute flow of water, filling your bath quicker. Who wants to sit around forever waiting for their tub to fill up? We recommend a flow rate of 12-18 gallons a minute.



Hydro Massage offers deck mount faucets for more choice.

A better drain design: Hydro Massage EZ Fast Connect Drain

This amazing drain will make installation of your freestanding bath simple and quick. The drain can be installed in your wood or concrete floor. Hook the drain up to your plumbing system and finish the floor with tile before the tub arrives. When your bath is delivered, the adapter is attached to the bath drain. The bath is then lowered onto the flange fitting and sealed with a large rubber gasket. And, voila, you're done!

Paper templates are also available so you do all of your plumbing and electrical ahead of time.

Flange Flange Floor Level P-trap under your floor

Hydro Massage EZ Fast Connect Drain.



*The bath comes without any faucet holes drilled. Verify clearance on wall or freestanding faucets. We offer an optional deck mount faucet access panel for installation. Some baths with a massage system access panel may not require the faucet access panel.