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# Fixing Vinyl Floor Tiles



Compared to stone or wooden floor coverings, vinyl tiles offer an inexpensive alternative.

They are not hard to lay, but care is needed to ensure a good end result.

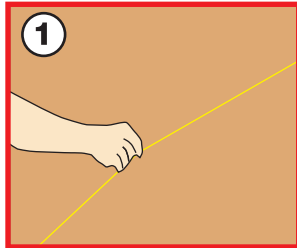
**TOOLS REQUIRED**

Hammer  
Chalk Line  
Straight Edge  
Craft Knife  
Measuring Tape

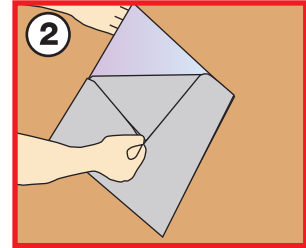
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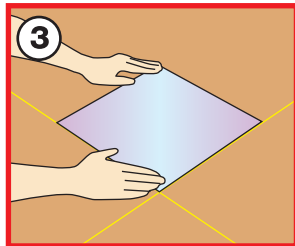
Mark the centre of two opposite walls and snap a chalk line or string between the two points. Repeat this on the opposite two walls and you have a centre point.



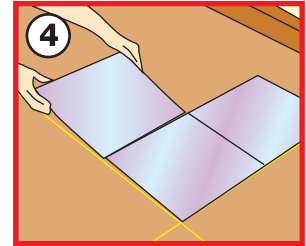
Without removing the protective backing, lay out some tiles to see the most effective way of fixing them with minimum wastage and balanced cut edges. Mark your starting point. Lift the tiles and give the floor a vacuum. Peel the backing off the first tile.



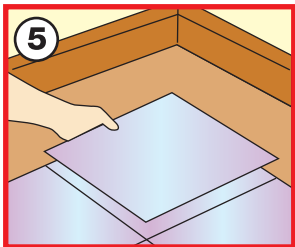
Carefully place the tile to the marks made earlier, applying pressure with your hands.



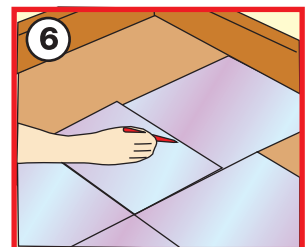
Repeat the process, concentrating on one half of the floor and laying a pyramid shape, butting the tiles together.



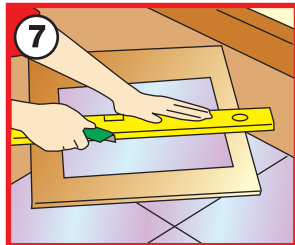
For trimming the edges, lay a tile against the wall over the last full tile.



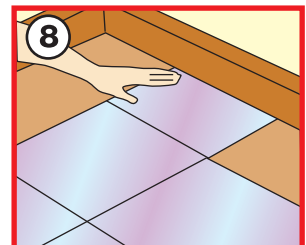
Without removing the backing, mark the fixed tile.



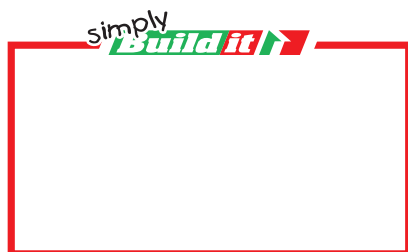
Transfer marks onto a tile for cutting with a sharp craft knife and a straight edge.



Peel backing paper off and stick the cut tile firmly into place. With your craft knife and straight edge, tidy any rough edges.



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