

Tubular Specialties Manufacturing, Inc.

731-PHI2

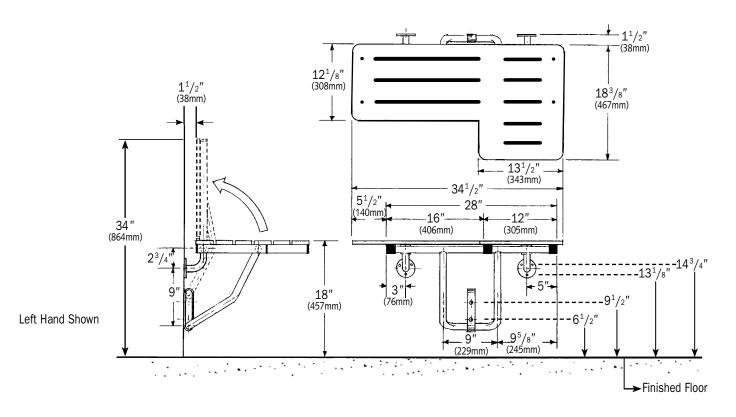
Folding Wheelchair Transfer Seat Ivory Phenolic One-Piece Top

Technical Data

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Model Numbers

731-PHI2, RH Ivory Phenolic One-Piece Top, Right Hand





Specification

Folding Wheelchair Transfer Seat frame shall be stainless steel satin finish type 304 (18-8) $1^1/4^n$ x 18 gauge square tubing (32 x 1.2mm) and 1" x 18 gauge round tubing (25 x 1.2mm). Flanges shall be stainless steel satin finish type 304 (18-8) 8 gauge round 3" (4.2 x 76mm) diameter with three $1/4^n$ (6mm) mounting holes. Guide bracket shall be all stainless steel type 304 (18-8) 1" x 8 gauge (25 x 76mm) formed construction with two (2) $1/4^n$ (6mm) mounting holes and shall support U-shaped legs which shall move up and down with minimal but intended resistance to prevent accidental freefall of the seat when it is lowered into

position or raised to be folded up against the wall. Phenolic top shall be solidly-fused plastic laminate $^1/^2$ " thick (13mm) with mattefinish melamine surface, ivory colored face sheet and integrally bonded black phenolic resin core. Top shall be bolted to frame with countersunk stainless steel machine screws and cap nuts. Handing shall be [right] [left].

Folding Wheelchair Transfer Seat shall be Model 731-PHI2 as manufactured by Tubular Specialties Manufacturing, 13011 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, California 90061, tel 800-Grab Bar.



Operation

The guide bracket supports U-shaped legs which move up and down with minimal but intended resistance, allowing the seat to be lowered into position or raised to be folded parallel to the wall. TSM's unique counterbalance mechanism prevents accidental freefall of the seat when it is lowered into position or raised to be folded up against the wall

The Folding Wheelchair Transfer Seat complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) for use in a 36" x 36" shower stall. The seat's distinctive shape allows the user to transfer from a wheelchair to the narrow part of the seat and slide across to the wide section which is installed at the corner of the stall. Grab bars should be specified in conjunction with all shower seats.



Installation

- 1. The 731-PHI2 is manufactured to meet and exceed ADAAG requirements as published in ANSI A117.1-1986 and CFR 28 part 36, Federal Register Vol. 56 #144, July 26, 1991, section 4.21.3 and section 4.26.3 that the fabricated product shall be of adequate strength to support a load of 250 pounds (113.4kg). Having said this, the seat is only as strong as the mounting surface to which it is attached. Consult local codes to assure compliance.
- In-wall backing is required. If the shower is prefabricated, secure and appropriate backing must be provided by the shower stall manufacturer.
- 3. Seat is surface mounted to wall through in-wall backing with two mounting flanges at top and guide bracket below. While local codes must be complied with in mounting seat, the recommended seat height is 18" (457mm) above floor level. The template that is supplied with each seat will allow you to mount the seat at that height with mounting holes from finished floor at 6½" & 9½" for guide bracket and 13½" & 14¾" for flanges.
- It is the installer's responsibility to select fasteners that are appropriate for the wall condition and application; TSM does not include fasteners with shower or tub seats.

