Schluter® Profiles
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Ceramic and stone tiles have become a popular trend in the design industry due to the durability and aesthetic appeal they offer. The extensive variety of available shapes, colors, patterns, and sizes open the door to unlimited design possibilities. Unfortunately, a lack of trim pieces such as bullnose or quarter round in many tile lines can limit design options.

Schluter®-Systems offers a solution to this problem with various finishing and edge-protection profiles increasing design flexibility because they can be integrated with any field tile.

Protect the edges
Though tiles are extremely durable, their edges are vulnerable to chipping and cracking if left unprotected. Imagine investing your time, money, and hard work into a tile project, only to end up with chips in your tile edges.

Schluter® Profiles are designed to produce a long-lasting installation by protecting tile edges from damage.

Caulking – a thing of the past
Nobody likes caulking. It is used purely out of necessity to seal joints or seams, and allow for movement at floor/wall transitions and inside wall corners, or where tile meets a fixed element. Not only is caulking unsightly; it is not a permanent solution.

Schluter® Profiles eliminate the need for caulking in tile installations. With cove-shaped profiles for floor/wall transitions and inside wall corners, and movement joint profiles with flexible zones to absorb movement; caulking has become a thing of the past.

Just for looks
While the majority of profiles are produced to meet functional installation needs, they can also be used to enhance the design. Schluter® Decorative Profiles are produced exclusively for design purposes and are available in a variety of finishes to accent the field tile, match fixtures in the room, or create a decorative border around a mosaic insert.

A profile for every style
Schluter® Profiles can blend with the tile color for a subtle finish, or contrast with the tile to create an accent.

Whatever your design style, the wide variety of available materials, finishes, colors, and styles of Schluter® Profiles helps ensure you will find a profile suiting your decor and installation needs.

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Tiled countertops provide the perfect combination of functionality and beauty. They are resistant to high heat, staining and scratching, and are easy to clean. Plus, today’s large-format tiles allow for minimal grout joints. Schluter® Profiles make it easy to produce stunning sink rails, hygienic backsplash transitions, and practical tiled-under sinks.
Tuscan beige profiles blend perfectly with the large-format tiles on the countertop, and frame the mosaic insert in the backsplash in this modern kitchen.
The satin anodized aluminum profile on the sink rail creates a bold, sleek finish in this modern kitchen design.
This charming country kitchen was given a modern twist with nickel profiles and stainless steel appliances.
Unique porcelain tile, natural wood, and terra-cotta accents give this kitchen a rustic feel, while stainless steel profiles and fixtures add a modern touch.
Subway tiles on the backsplash, porcelain tiles with granite look, and brushed aluminum profiles match the appliances creating this contemporary kitchen.

Schluter®-RONDEC edging profile and corners used to finish the countertop trim and tile edges of the backsplash. RONDEC was also used to produce the tiled-under sink. Schluter®-RONDEC-CT double-rail edging profile applied to the sink rail. Schluter®-DILEX-AHK cove-shaped profile used to create a smooth transition between the countertop and backsplash.
In the

BATHROOM

The timeless beauty of ceramic and stone tiles can bring a relaxing spa feeling home. Schluter® Profiles are suitable for creating hygienic transitions and protecting tile edges in wet areas. They can also be used to frame shower niches and mosaic inserts, or as accents in tile fields.
Hexagon shaped tiles installed on the floor and wall of this shower accent the design, while Tuscan bronze profiles complement the rich brown colors and create clean finished edges and corners.
Brushed stainless steel profiles add a modern touch to this rustic bathroom, creating a spa-like feel.
The tile chosen for this shower offered beautiful listellos, but no bullnose tile for the edges. PVC profiles in light beige integrated perfectly with the tile and eliminated the need for matching bullnose tile.
Stainless steel profiles match the chrome fixtures and combine with the white tiles and wood flooring to create a sleek look that is warm and inviting.
Brushed nickel profiles and fixtures add a cooling touch to the warm natural stone and glass mosaic tiles in this bathroom.
Satin nickel profiles installed throughout this modern bathroom match the shower fixtures and drain grate creating a professional, finished look.
PVC profiles in light beige create a subtle finish by blending with the neutral tiles in this contemporary bathroom.
Stainless steel profiles create decorative accents in this minimalist bathroom design.

Schluter® QUADEC edging profile and corners applied to the tile edges on the wall, and used to produce a decorative accent above the sink. Schluter® DILEX-ENK cove-shaped profile and corners used to create a smooth transition between the shower floor and walls.
Leaving tile edges unfinished not only leads to damage, it also drastically diminishes the aesthetic appeal of the design. Schluter® Profiles finish and protect tile edges, helping to ensure your installation will stand the test of time.
Profiles for countertops finish and protect exposed edges of tiled surfaces. The various finishes available offer endless design possibilities.

**Schluter®-RONDEC-CT**
Double rail profile with symmetrically rounded edges matching RONDEC. Features a recessed section for field or accent tile inserts.
Accessories include: inside and outside corner pieces.

**Schluter®-RONDEC-STEP**
Symmetrically rounded edges matching RONDEC. This profile is also ideal for stair applications.
Accessories include: inside and outside corner pieces.

Decorative Profiles

Decorative strip profiles are used to create design accents and interesting contrasts in the tile field. They can be used to frame a mosaic insert, create a break between two different tiles, or as a decorative accent to break up a large tile field.

**Schluter®-QUADEC-FS**
Double rail feature strip profile with square edges matching QUADEC. Features a recessed section for field or accent tile inserts.
Accessories include: inside and outside corner pieces.

**Schluter®-DESIGNLINE**
Border profile used to create decorative designs in tile fields on walls or floors.

For a complete list of Schluter® Profiles please visit [www.schluter.com](http://www.schluter.com).
Profile

FINISHES and COLORS

STAINLESS STEEL, CHROME-PLATED BRASS, AND SOLID BRASS

ANODIZED ALUMINUM

Polished and bright anodized aluminum

Satin anodized aluminum

Brushed anodized aluminum

COLOR-COATED ALUMINUM

Choose the perfect finish to match fixtures, blend with tiles, or accent your design.

Tuscan Inspirations

Finishes inspired by nature

A new line of profile finishes, Tuscan Inspirations offer the perfect complement to ceramic and stone tile, with warm, soothing earth tones, and unique textures inspired by nature.

< Tuscan Beige
Blends with neutral tile to create a subtle finish.

< Tuscan Pewter
Ideal for use as an accent in both modern and rustic designs.

< Tuscan Bronze
The perfect complement to oil-rubbed bronze fixtures.