

# **SOFT TOUCH® BASES**

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## IN Series - Indoor Bases Installation Instructions

## Thank you for choosing Soft Touch® Bases!

These instructions should be read thoroughly before installation. If there are questions concerning the installation or use of these bases, consult Soft Touch® Bases before using them.

The Soft Touch® Indoor Base has been designed to allow for practice year round with the same intensity and safety as outdoor play. The suction cup mounting system applies to any smooth practice surface.

- Step 1: Wipe the surface with a clean cloth, removing dirt and dust from the area where the base will be placed. The base will work best on a smooth seamless surface. **IMPORTANT:** Be sure vacuum tee will hold firmly to floor.
- Step 2: Measure and mark the proper location for each base. Insert the tee into the underside of the base. Place the base cover in the proper position with the arrow in the corner pointing toward the pitcher's mound.

  Note: Manufacturer advises that pointing the arrow toward the pitcher's mound is the only position that should be used for all play.
- Step 3: Place the base cover with the vacuum cupped tee on the floor. Step down on the base cover to create the vacuum needed to adhere the cups to the floor. You are now ready for play.

Sliding into this base IS NOT RECOMMENDED.

### Removal

To remove base from floor, pull base cover off of tee. Then remove the tee by pulling up one edge of vacuum cup until it releases.

It is IMPORTANT that the bases be checked before each use to be sure that the vacuum cups are holding the base in place.

### Warranty

Soft Touch® bases are warranted against defects in materials and workmanship when used in a usual and customary manner for one year (defined as a regular season of normal length for softball or baseball). Normal wear and tear is excluded from coverage. Pictures of defective merchandise are required and the Manufacturer may request that merchandise be returned before any warranty adjustment will be made. The liability of the Manufacturer for a warranty is limited to either a refund of the purchase or replacement of the defective product.

#### Disclaimer

Be advised that sliding into a baseball/softball base may cause serious and permanent injury. No base, however constructed or designed, can prevent all injuries and the Soft Touch® base is no exception. The Manufacturer advises that deviation from installation instructions or failure to properly install and maintain bases and to properly groom playing surfaces around bases and home plate area could increase the risk of injury to players. Under no circumstances should these bases or base anchors be modified, altered, tampered with, or used when they are damaged, as serious injury may occur. Buyer is responsible for furnishing proper installation instructions to the purchaser.