



## **Checklist for installing poolside bullnosing to Fibreglass or Concrete beam pools**

### Fibreglass Pools

To get the best laying result for your Australis headers ensure the following occurs:

- Ensure beam of pool is clean and free from dust and sand before laying
- Ensure beam of pool is dry otherwise it will interfere with the adhesiveness of the glue
- Check the base of each paver and wipe off dust with coarse rag
- Use Emerseal as the glue.. Liquid nails is not a suitable alternative.
- When gluing, the coverage should be around 1 tube per 3 lineal metres of Poolside Bullnose (400x270mm).
- A recommended pattern for the glue is to cover the beam of the pool with 2 full rings of glue (one on the inner edge and one on what will be the external edge of the bullnose paver) and then criss cross in between. Ensure you adhere to the products drying times.
- More glue will be required per lineal metre if the pool beam is greater than 270mm.

Australis recommends Emerseal to adhere its products to fibreglass pool edges. Using other products may result in the headers popping off.

### Concrete Pools

Concrete pools require a concrete mix to adhere the headers to the pool.

- Add Silasec Bondal waterproofer to the cement mix as it helps strengthen the bond and repel water.
- Wipe the bottom of each paver with a coarse rag to remove all dust.
- Wet the side of the pool and the back of each paver as they are being laid. Having both these surfaces wet helps with the adhesion of the cement mix.
- Use enough cement to form a good coverage on the edge and between the paver and beam of the pool. Press the paver into place and align as required.
- You can choose to have a mortared edge or to have the pavers just butted up against each other depending on your preference. Using a mortared edge may provide a stronger bond.