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From furnaces that run on wood pellets to toilets that make a splash, new home products bring style and innovation.



7. TILEREDI WATERPROOF SHOWER MODULE

What it does: A lightweight, leakproof polyurethane form that can be tiled over. The finished work serves as a basin for tubs and showers. It makes for faster installations and more upscale appearances. Units have a pre-formed slanted pitch for drainage and are a cost-saving alternative to the conventional installation of felt, vinyl and cement or the cheesy-looking one-piece acrylic pans.

Where you'll see it: Because it has a lifetime no-leak guarantee, remodelers and new-home builders should lean toward these modules. Because they accept tile, they provide an affordable high-end appearance.

What it costs: Modules come in five standard sizes and are from \$500 to \$545, including a special tile-setting adhesive. Prices are similar to custom-cast-iron shower bases.

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