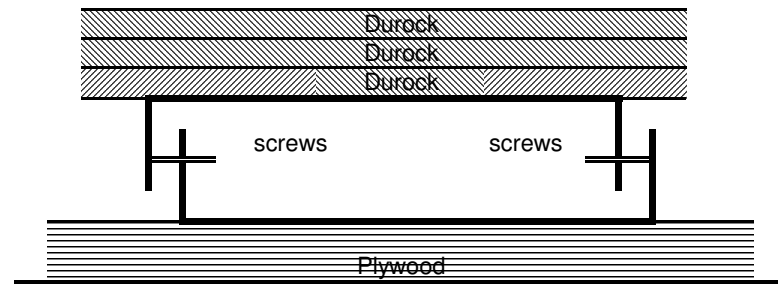


This pad is sized for 13" ceramic tiles, with 1/4" grout.
 Overall size will vary by tile size and grout width.
 The close set pairs of framing are extra support under the feet.

This is the basic design for my hearth pad.
 My stove is an Englander 30-NC, with leggs.
 While it is close, this drawing is not to scale.



Screw two metal studs together into a boxed style frame for added strength.
 Drill a ~5/16" hole in the top stud in order to screw the only bottom stud to the floor.
 Run screws through the durock, through both top and bottom studs, and into floor.
 Screw the first two layers of Durock down with only a few screws.
 Screw down the final layer of Durock with screws every 6".