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Welcome to your new Ariel EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R Walk-In Bathtub. This manual provides essential information for the safe installation, operation, and maintenance of your bathtub. Please read all instructions carefully before installation and use to ensure proper function and longevity of your product.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury. This bathtub is designed for adult use. Children should be supervised at all times. Ensure proper grounding and electrical connections are made by a qualified electrician. Do not operate the bathtub if any part is damaged or malfunctioning. Maintain water temperature below 104°F (40°C) to prevent hyperthermia. The bathtub features an ADA compliant design for accessibility.

- **Electrical Safety:** All electrical work must comply with local codes and be performed by a licensed electrician.
- **Water Temperature:** Test water temperature before entering the tub to avoid scalding.
- **Slip Hazards:** Use caution when entering and exiting the tub. Consider using non-slip mats.
- **Weight Limit:** Do not exceed the recommended weight capacity of the tub.
- **Chemicals:** Avoid using harsh chemicals that may damage the gelcoat finish.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Ariel EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R is a high-quality gelcoat fiberglass walk-in bathtub designed for comfort and accessibility. It features a durable construction, a reinforced door system, and a free-standing stainless steel support frame for stability. Key components include a handheld shower and Roman faucets.



Figure 1: General view of the Ariel EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R Walk-In Bathtub. This image shows the overall design and white finish of the bathtub.



Figure 2: Exterior view of the Ariel EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R Walk-In Bathtub, highlighting its compact and functional design.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Pre-Installation Checks

- Verify that the installation area is level and can support the weight of the bathtub filled with water and a bather.
- Ensure all necessary plumbing (hot and cold water lines, drain) and electrical connections (if applicable) are available and meet local codes.
- Inspect the bathtub for any shipping damage before installation.

Installation Steps

1. **Positioning:** Carefully move the bathtub to its desired location.
2. **Leveling:** Adjust the feet of the free-standing stainless steel support frame to ensure the tub is perfectly level. Use a spirit level to confirm.
3. **Plumbing Connections:** Connect the hot and cold water supply lines to the Roman faucets. Connect the drain to the household drainage system. Ensure all connections are watertight.
4. **Sealing:** Apply a waterproof sealant around the base of the tub where it meets the floor or wall, if required by local codes or for aesthetic purposes.
5. **Test:** Fill the tub with water and check for any leaks before final use.

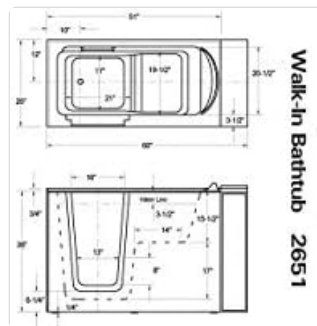


Figure 3: Technical drawing providing detailed dimensions and specifications for installation planning of the Ariel EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R Walk-In Bathtub.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Entering the Bathtub

1. Ensure the bathtub is empty.
2. Open the reinforced door by disengaging the latch mechanism.
3. Step into the tub carefully, using the grab bar for support if needed.
4. Close the door firmly until the latch engages securely.



Figure 4: Top-down view of the bathtub, illustrating the door mechanism and interior seating area.

Filling the Bathtub

- Once inside and the door is securely closed, turn on the Roman faucets to fill the tub to your desired level.
- Adjust the water temperature using the faucet handles.
- The handheld shower can be used for targeted rinsing or assisted bathing.



Figure 5: Interior view of the bathtub, showing the seating area, drain, and grab bar.

Draining and Exiting

- After bathing, open the drain to empty the tub completely.
- Wait until all water has drained before attempting to open the door.
- Once empty, open the door and carefully exit the tub.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance will preserve the appearance and functionality of your walk-in bathtub.

- **Gelcoat Surface:** Clean the gelcoat fiberglass surface with a soft cloth and a mild, non-abrasive cleaner. Rinse thoroughly with water after cleaning. Avoid cleaners containing ammonia, bleach, or abrasive particles.
- **Door Seal:** Periodically inspect the door seal for any signs of wear or damage. Keep the seal clean and free of debris to ensure a watertight closure.
- **Faucets and Shower Head:** Clean chrome or metal finishes with a soft cloth and a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for bathroom fixtures.
- **Drain:** Regularly remove any hair or debris from the drain to prevent clogs.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water leaks from door	Door not fully closed; damaged door seal; debris on seal	Ensure door is latched securely; clean door seal; inspect seal for damage and replace if necessary.
Slow drainage	Drain clogged with hair or debris	Remove drain cover and clear any obstructions.
Faucets drip or leak	Worn washers or cartridges	Consult a plumber to replace internal components of the faucet.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model Number:** EZWT-2651-SOAKER-R
- **Brand:** ARIEL
- **Product Dimensions (L x W x H):** 51" x 26" x 38"
- **Material:** Gelcoat Fiberglass, Alloy Steel (frame)
- **Color:** White
- **Capacity:** 45 Gallons
- **Item Weight:** 234 Pounds
- **Drain Location:** Right Side
- **UPC:** 816606012282
- **Features:** ADA compliant, Heavy duty reinforced door system, Free standing stainless steel support frame with adjustable feet, Handheld shower and Roman faucets.

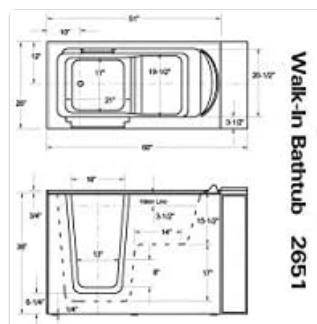


Figure 6: Detailed technical drawing showing all critical dimensions and structural elements of the bathtub.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

This product comes with a manufacturer's warranty. For specific details regarding warranty coverage, terms, and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official ARIEL website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require technical assistance, or need to order replacement parts, please contact ARIEL customer support. Refer to your product packaging or the ARIEL website for the most current contact information.