

Re: Dummies question – gap filler

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> This is part of the reason the tiles are laid diagonally, not
> straight. The flow always crosses the gap, rather than running along
> it. This minimizes local heating at larger–than–normal gaps.

Hmm, never heard taht.

Any reason then they used linear edges on the doors and stuff? You'd think they'd want to use some sort of checkered edge.

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> Mary
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> Mary Shafer Retired aerospace research engineer
> We didn't just do weird stuff at Dryden, we wrote reports about it.
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