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INSPIRING ARCHITECTURE

# Tongue and Groove Soffit

Installation Guidelines



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## Material Specifications

### Finishes

- Longboard Products are available in a wide range of powder coated finishes.
- Custom solid colors are available upon request.
- Longboard woodgrains have a repeat pattern, shipped in sets mated back-to-back in each box. Install these as they come out of the box, as an A&B pattern staggering each plank approx. 1-2' (305-610mm) from the previous plank to achieve a random pattern aesthetic. It is recommended to create an onsite mock-up to produce a suitable pattern.
- Longboard Products are not recommended for use on marine applications in direct contact with salt water.

Longboard extruded products are produced 1" (25mm) oversized, as one end is drilled for the coating process, and both ends have 1/2" (12mm) of masking tape (woodgrains only) which must be cut off for best results.

### Expansion & Contraction

Planks & components expand & contract 1/4" (6mm) over 24' (7.3m) in all directions, measured over a 30°C (54°F) temperature range. Due to this range of movement, the following expansion components should be installed perpendicular to planks every:

- 
- 24' (7.3m) max<sup>1</sup> Perpendicular to Planks: Traditional Flat Reveal, U-Reveal Set

<sup>1</sup>Note: 40' (12.2m) max if using staggered butt-joints.

Other options (Perpendicular to Planks only)

- 
- 12' (3.7m) -Craftsman U-Reveal Set
  - 6' 8" (2m) -Precision Flat Reveal

When using expansion components, each plank must terminate into a minimum of one (1) component to allow for expansion & contraction.

**See: Appendix for tables of expansion/contraction calculations per foot/meter of material.**

### Material Ordering & Delivery

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- Packaging: Planks are sold in box quantities:  
6" Planks: 96 SQ FT/Box (8/24's) w. 90pcs Quick-Screen Clips included  
4" V-Groove: 96 SQ FT/Box (12/24's) w. 135 Quick-Screen Clips included  
2 1/2" V-Groove: 20 SQ FT/Box (8/12's, 96 LF) w. 45 Quick-Screen Clips included  
Components are sold individually by the 12' (3.7m) length.
  - Shipping: Most Popular Finishes - ready to ship within 1 week  
Additional Finishes - ready to ship within 14 weeks  
Delivered on 24' (7.3m) long skids weighing up to 2000 lbs. A mechanical lift with forks is required on site to receive the order.
  - QC: Always inspect the delivery for damage and contact LB ASAP if there are any issues: [info@longboardproducts.com](mailto:info@longboardproducts.com) or 1-800-604-0343 and include your PO# and any pictures if possible. Mark the delivery receipt as "damaged" and accept the delivery as-is. Longboard is not responsible for the installation of blemished or damaged material.

### Storage & Handling

Be sure to store the material flat, keep it dry, safe & secure and remain in unopened cartons until ready to be installed. **See Appendix for proper handling and care instructions.**

### Cleaning Recommendations

- Initial and periodic cleaning for best looking product
- Basic methods use a combination of moderate water pressure, soft sponge/brush and a mild detergent (Safe for your hands, safe for the product)

⚠ NEVER use aggressive acid or alkaline cleaners on Longboard finishes. Do not use cleaners containing Trisodium Phosphate, Phosphoric Acid, Hydrochloric Acid, Hydrofluoric Acid, Fluorides, or any other compound that is known to react with metal.

**\*See Cleaning Guide for full requirements & cleaning schedule:**

[longboardproducts/resources/care-maintenance.com](http://longboardproducts/resources/care-maintenance.com)

### Warranty

Upon substantial completion of the project, register for warranty online here: [longboardproducts.com/warranty](http://longboardproducts.com/warranty)

⚠ Registration is required for the warranty to be in effect.

### Graffiti Removal

**Standard Woodgrain**

Use Standard soap & water only

**D2000 Solid Color**

	Prosoco Cleaner	MEK Solvent	
Permanent Marker	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	 MEK Solvent   Prosoco Anti-Graffiti Cleaner
Oil Based Spray Paint	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Water Based Spray Paint	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Adhesive Tape	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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**Anti-Graffiti High Gloss Woodgrain**

	MEK Solvent	
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Oil Based Spray Paint	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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Note: Cleaning the surface with a cleanser that is not diluted as per instructions may result in damage to the coating.

## Components

### Components (Typical)

T&G Soffit system consists of many components used in conjunction with each other to create a seamless look. For all LB components go to [longboardproducts.com](http://longboardproducts.com).

#### V-Groove Planks \* 48 sq. ft. box quantities † 96 sq. ft. box quantities

Size	12' *	24' *	12' Perf *	24' Perf *
2½"	3V.145	-	3VP.145	-
4"	4V.145	4V.289	-	-
6"	6V.145	6V.289	6VP.145	6VP.289

#### Smooth Planks

Size	12' *	24' *	12' Perf *	24' Perf *
6"	6PSP.145	6PSP.289	6PSP.145	6PSP.289

#### Channel Planks

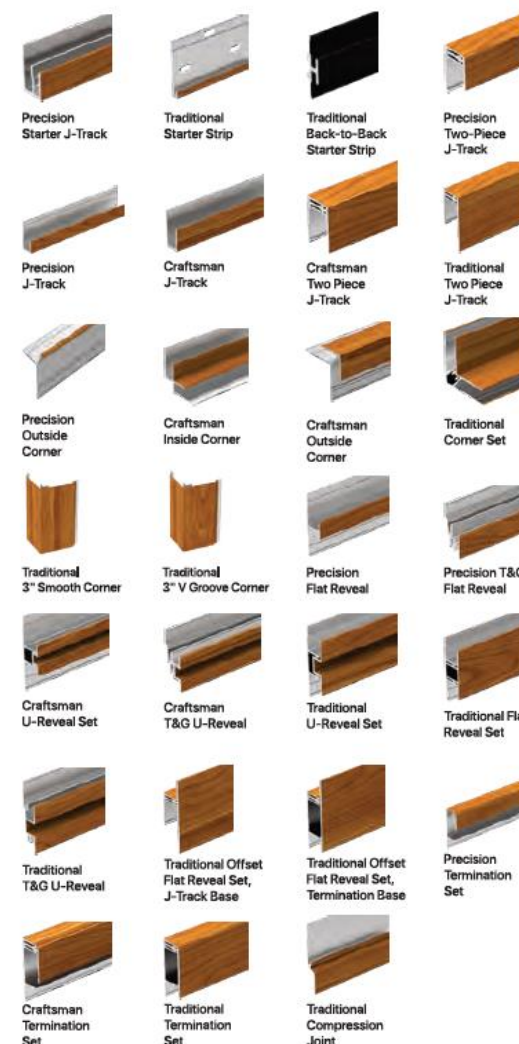
Size	12' *	24' *
6"	6CH.145	6CH.289

#### Accessories

Product	Qty	SKU
Quick Screen Clips	1750, box	CUP.N1750
Quick Screen Clips	100, bag	CUP.N100
Touch Up Pens <i>Reach out to confirm color with account manager.</i>	N/A	TUP

#### Trim Components


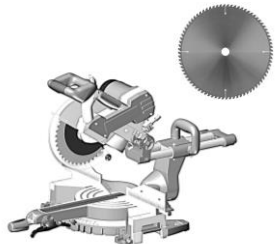

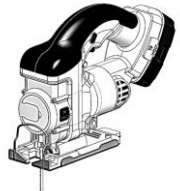

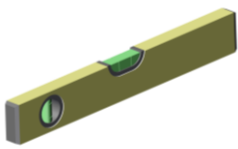


Type	Style	Product	Dimensions	SKU
Starter	Precision	Starter J-Track	(5/8") - 12'	1SJT.145
Starter	Traditional	Starter Strip	(1-7/8") - 12'	2SS.145
Starter	Traditional	Back-to-Back Starter Strip	(1-1/4")	2BTBSS.145
J-Track	Precision	Two Piece J-Track	(5/8") - 12'	1X1JT.145
J-Track	Precision	J-Track	(5/8") - 12'	1JT.145
J-Track	Craftsman	J-Track	(7/8") - 12'	1JT23.145
J-Track	Craftsman	Two Piece J-Track	(7/8") - 12'	JT23S.145
J-Track	Traditional	Two Piece J-Track	(1-3/8") - 12'	1X2JT.145
Corner	Precision	Outside Corner	(3/16") - 12'	05OC.145
Corner	Craftsman	Inside Corner	(3/4") - 12'	1IC.145
Corner	Craftsman	Outside Corner	(1") - 12'	1OC.145
Corner	Traditional	Corner Set	(2") - 12'	2CORS.145
Corner	Traditional	3" Smooth	(3") - 24'	3SCP.289
Corner	Traditional	3" V-Groove	(3") - 24'	3SVP.289
Reveal	Precision	Flat Reveal	(1/2") - 12'	1FR.145
Reveal	Precision	T&G Flat Reveal	(1/2") - 24'	1TGFR.289
Reveal	Craftsman	U-Reveal Set	(3/4") - 12'	1URS.145
Reveal	Craftsman	T&G U-Reveal	(3/4) - 24'	1TGURK.289
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Reveal	Traditional	Offset Flat Reveal Set, J-Track Base	(2") - 12'	2OFFJ.145
Reveal	Traditional	Offset Flat Reveal Set, Termination Base	(2") - 12'	2OFFT.145
Termination	Precision	Termination Set	(5/8") - 12'	1TS.145
Termination	Craftsman	Termination Set	(7/8") - 12'	TS23S.145
Termination	Traditional	Termination Set	(1-3/8") - 12'	2TS.145
Compression Joints	Traditional	Compression Joint	(1-3/8") - 24'	2CJ.289



## Tools/Cutting/Fastening

### Tools

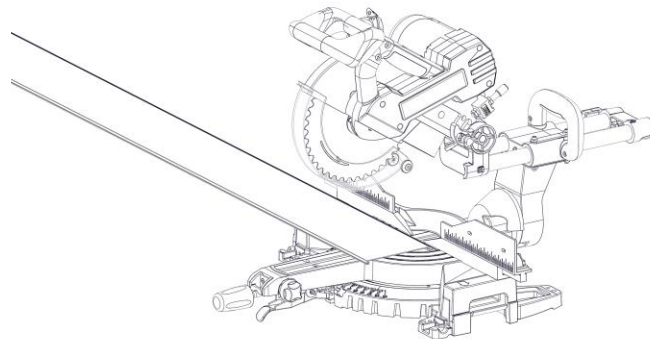
Commonly used tools for T&G Soffit install.

			
Table Saw with Carbide Metal Blade Non-ferrous 60-80T (for cutting aluminum)	Miter Saw with Carbide Metal Blade Non-ferrous 60-80T (for cutting aluminum)	Cordless Drill with clutch	Jig Saw (for protrusions)
			
Rubber Mallet (or Hammer)	Level	Hole Saw (for lighting fixtures)	#8 Pan Head Screws <small>*Length, thread and point to suit substrate</small>

### Cutting

⚠ Always be sure to wear appropriate PPE: eye & hearing protection.

Cut planks using a Miter Saw and Table Saw, always allowing for expansion & contraction. Trim the taped/drilled ends of all stock length material by at least **1/2" (12mm) each end** and discard.



### Fastening

Fasteners must be corrosion resistant and comply with all local building codes.

⚠️ All fasteners should be suitable for exterior use and be compatible with the substrate type. **Fasteners should be anchored into a solid secure framing member, blocking, furring, or strapping.** For any applications when the framing member is not available, install furring strips or metal strapping to securely fasten planks.

**Perimeter components** should be hard fastened every **16" (406mm) O.C.** directly through the flange using #8 pan-head screws (supplied by others). These components should be fastened within **8" (203mm)** of the end for secure fastening.

**Planks & starter components** are secured using Longboard **Quick-Screen Clips** fastened to the substrate using #8 pan-head screws (supplied by others).

#### Standard wind loads

- Typically, every **32" (813mm) O.C.**

#### Higher wind loads

- Typically, every **16" (406mm) O.C.**

⚠️ Always consult the project engineer, architect or authority having jurisdiction to understand the project specific fastening requirements.

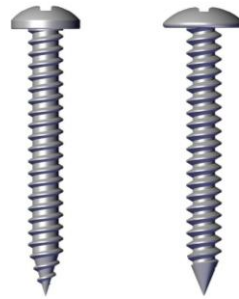
See **Appendix for fastener specs:**

**Quick Screen Clip - Wind Load Tables 3 & 4**

### Fastener types

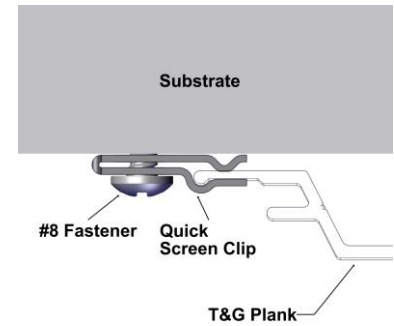
#### RECOMMENDED

Pan-Head Truss-Head



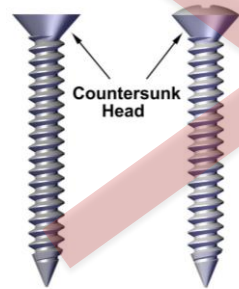
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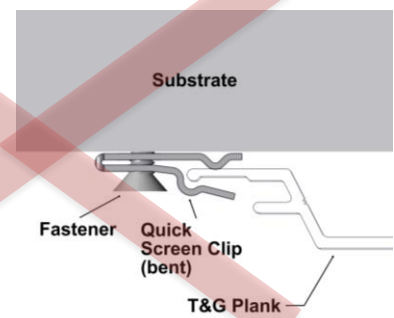


#### DO NOT USE

Flat-Head Oval-Head

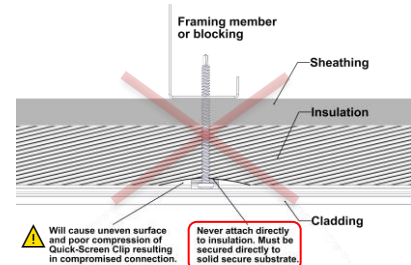
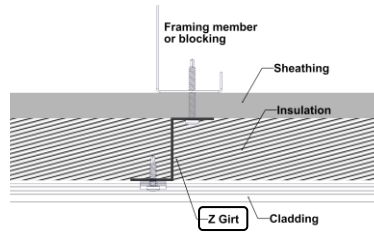
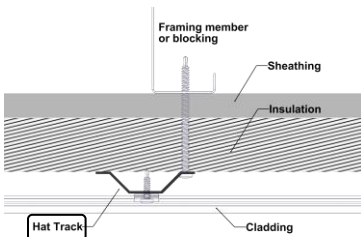
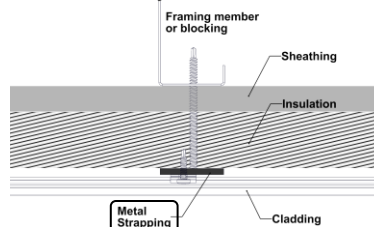
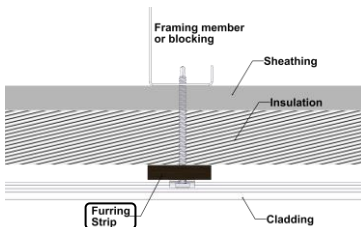


#### INCORRECT



### Fastening options onto exterior insulation

\*Never direct to insulation. Must be secured directly to solid secure substrate.



## **Framing requirements**

Always consult the local building authority and follow local building code requirements.

### Wood Framing

- Size: 2x4 minimum
- Spacing: see Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

### Metal Framing

- Gauge: 20 ga. minimum (see Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference)
- Spacing: see Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

## **Furring recommendations**

### Wood Furring

Attached back to wood or metal framing/blocking.

- Size: 3/8" minimum
- Spacing: See Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

### Metal Furring/Strapping

Attached back to wood or metal framing/blocking.

- Size: 20 ga. minimum
- Spacing: See Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

### Concrete/CMU

Wood or metal furring is recommended over concrete and CMU.

#### Wood Furring:

- Size: 2x2 minimum
- Type: Pressure treated lumber
- Spacing: See Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

#### Metal Furring:

- Size: 20 ga. minimum (See Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference)
- Type: Hat channel, Stud, or Z-Girt.
- Spacing: See Appendix Table 3 & 4 for reference

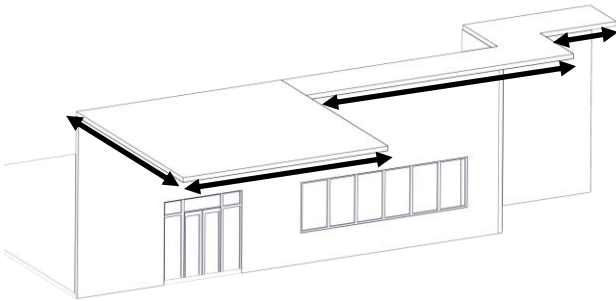


## System Install

### Perimeter and field area limitations & venting

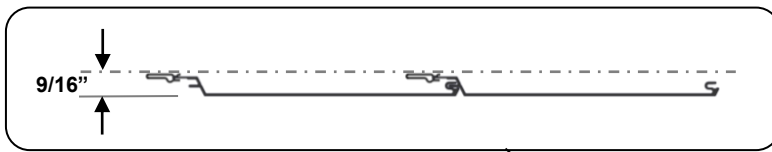
Measure and layout your soffit area to consider plank & component alignment with fixtures, penetrations, and adjacent walls and edges, for desired appearance.

- Longboard system typical dimensions:
  - Planks width - 2 1/2" (64mm), 4" (102mm), 6" (152mm)
  - Perforated Planks width - 2 1/2" (64mm), 6" (152mm)
  - Planks and Quick-Screen Clips depth - 9/16" (15mm)
  - Trim Components depth - 5/8" (16mm)

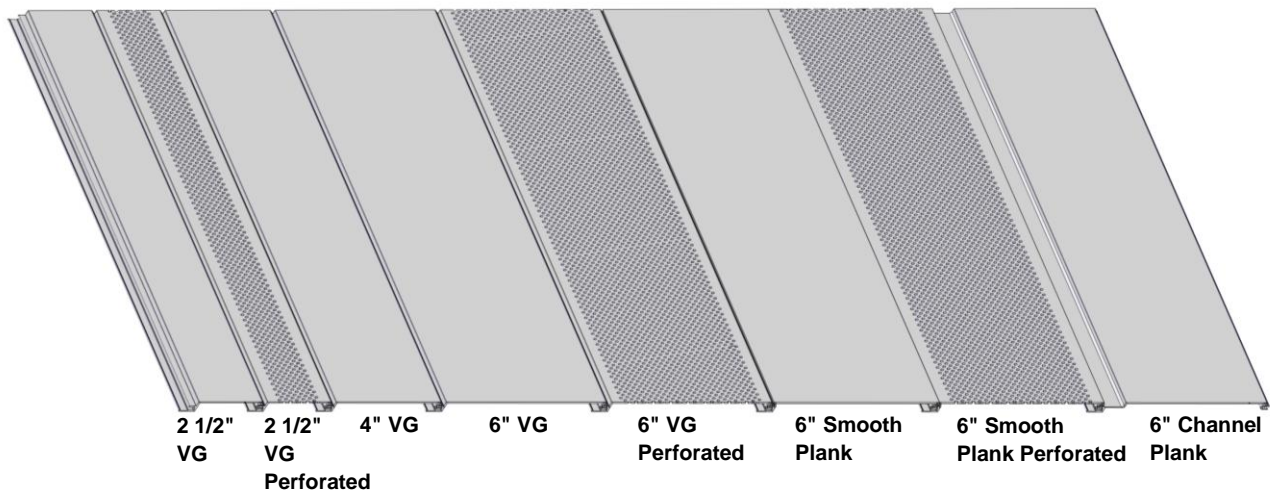
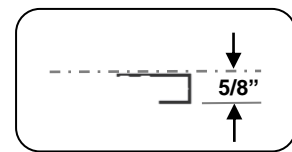


Perforated Planks	NFA (open area)	Hole size(mm)	Lengths
2 1/2" V-Groove	18%	3.18	12'
6" V-Groove	21%	3	12'/24'
6" Smooth Plank	21%	3	12;/24'

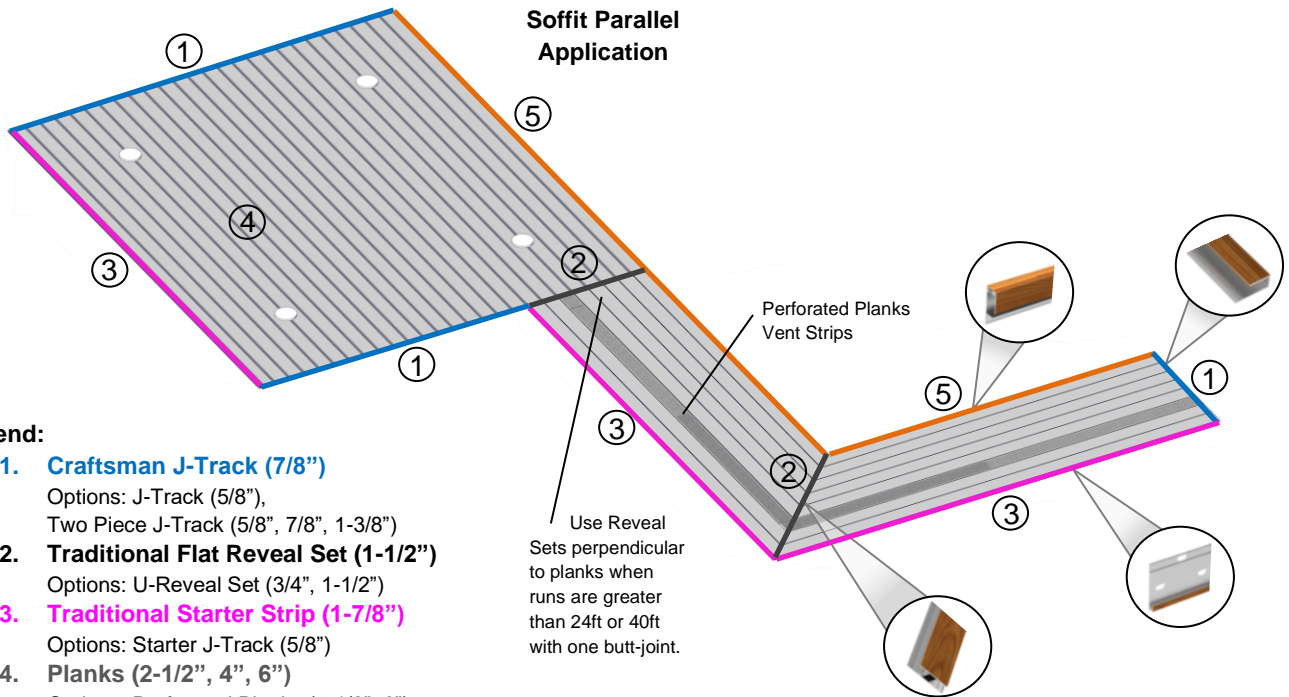
**Planks**



**Trims**

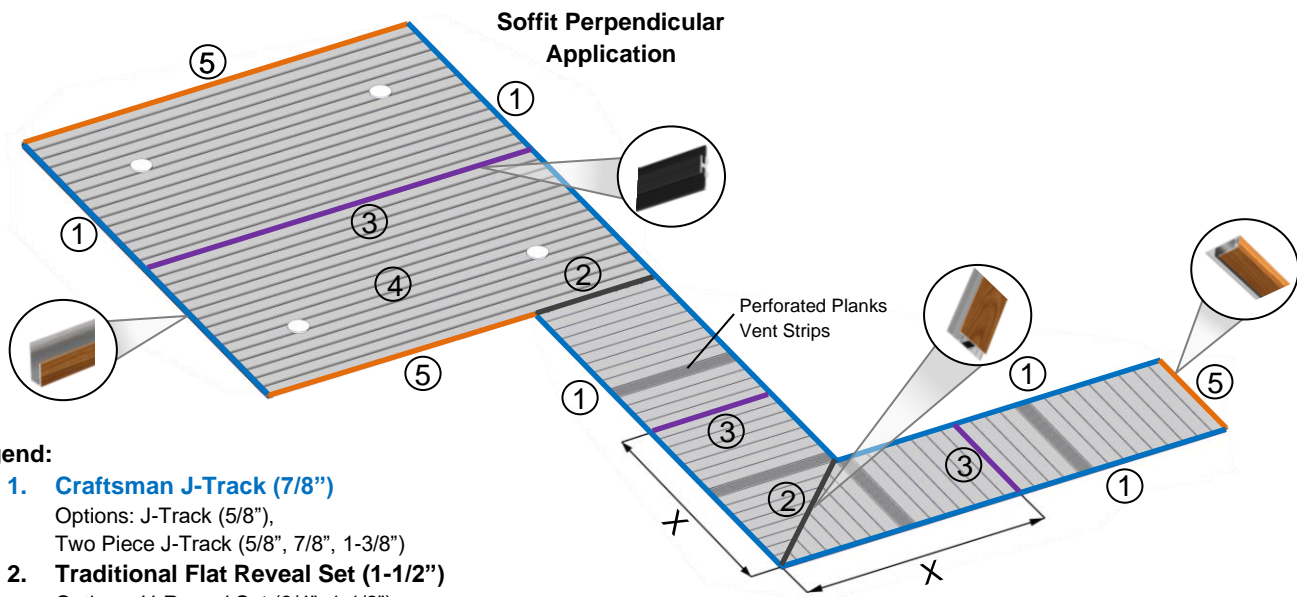


### Component layout



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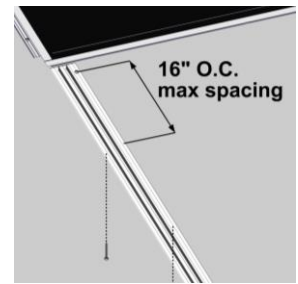
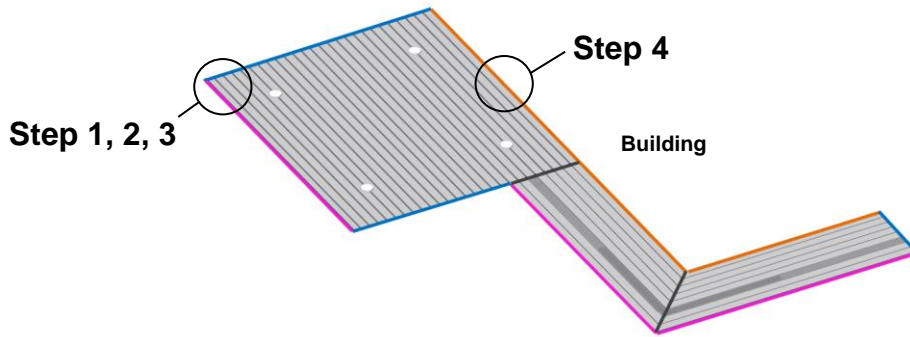
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- 2. Traditional Flat Reveal Set (1-1/2")**  
Options: U-Reveal Set (3/4", 1-1/2")
- 3. Traditional Starter Strip (1-7/8")**  
Options: Starter J-Track (5/8")
- 4. Planks (2-1/2", 4", 6")**  
Options: Perforated Planks (2-1/2", 6")
- 5. Craftsman Termination Set (7/8")**  
Options: Termination Set (5/8", 1-3/8")



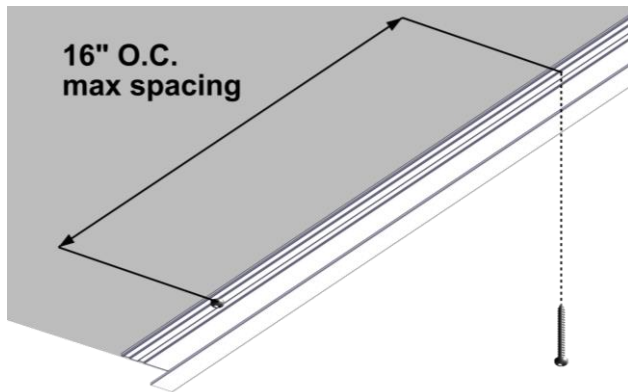
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Options: U-Reveal Set (3/4", 1-1/2")
- 3. Traditional Back-to-Back Starter Strip (1-1/4")**  
Options: Starter Strip at soffit edge
- 4. Planks (2-1/2", 4", 6")**  
Options: Perforated Planks (2-1/2", 6")
- 5. Craftsman Termination Set (7/8")**  
Options: Termination Set (5/8", 1-3/8")

Install Steps – Parallel to the building

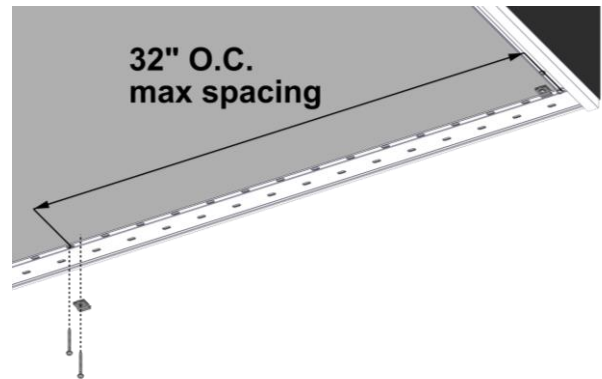


**Flat Reveal**  
(Only if required for long runs)  
Install the Flat Reveal Set base  
at the desired plank lengths.



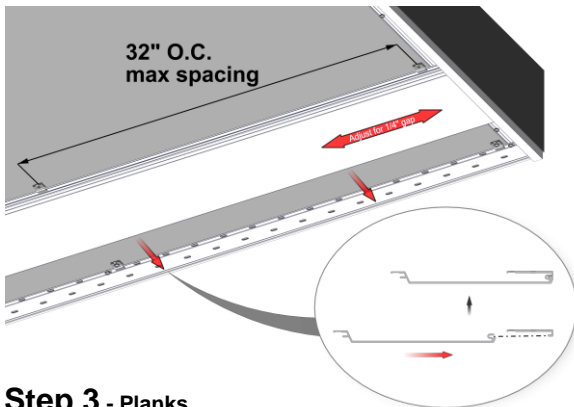
**Step 1 - J-Track**

Install J-Track or Two-Piece J-Track perpendicular to Planks (e.g.: sides of soffit areas), or around penetrations or cutouts. Fasten every 16" O.C. with #8 Pan Head Screws. Trims can be mitered for a clean corner look.



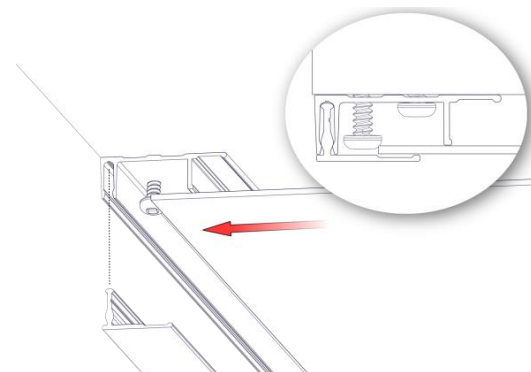
**Step 2 - Starter Strip**

Install the Starter Strip along the edge of the soffit(s), fastening every 32" O.C. max with Quick Screen Clips & #8 Pan Head Screws (See Table 5 & 6 for wind loading). Notch the Starter J-Track to suit the trim component if required.



**Step 3 - Planks**

Place the planks onto the tongue of the Starter Strip, fully engaging tongue. Fasten with Quick Screen Clips & #8 Pan Head Screws @32" O.C. max spacing (See Tables 3 & 4 for wind loading). Hard fasten only one point preferably near the center of each plank. It is good practice to check your installation every 2-3 rows for level/plumb and flat or straight, for best results. Ensure there is sufficient room for expansion & contraction, also confirming component caps will cover.

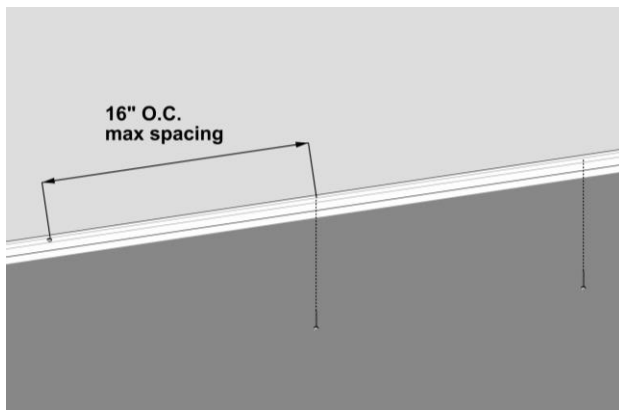
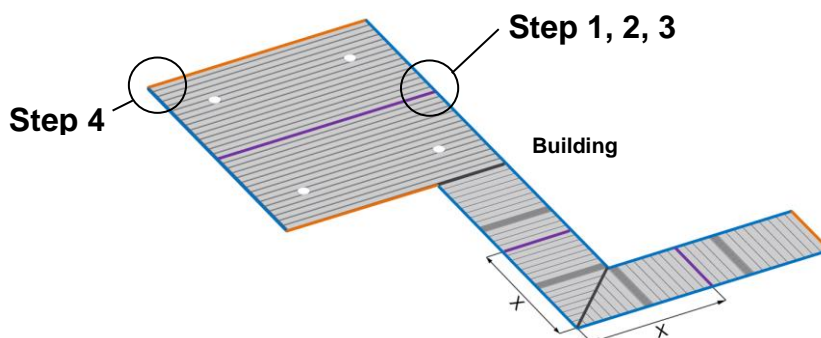


**Step 4 - Termination**

Before the last Plank, install Termination Set base fastening 16" O.C. typ.

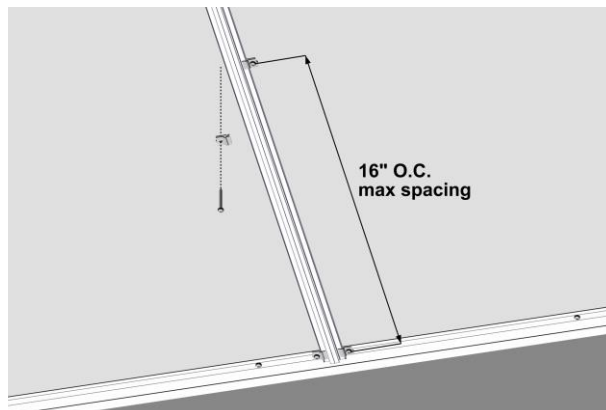
Confirm the trim component caps will cover the last Plank and adjust accordingly. Where terminating cut planks, provide a positive stop approximately every 16" (406mm). Finish off the trims with caps from two-piece sets.

**Install Steps – Perpendicular to the building**



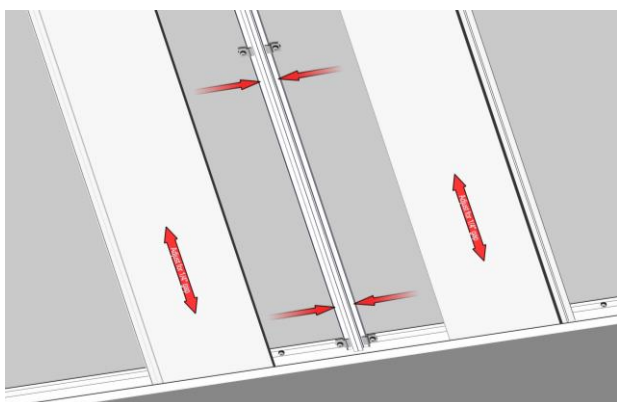
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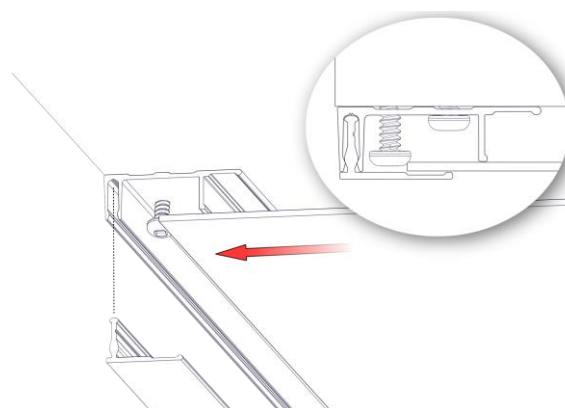
**Step 2 - Back-to-Back Starter**

Install the Back-to-Back Starter at the center of areas to achieve equal width ends. Fasten both sides every 16" O.C. max with Quick Screen Clips & #8 Pan Head Screws. Alternatively, use Starter Strip at the edge of soffit(s).



**Step 3 - Planks**

Place the planks onto the tongue of the Back-to-Back Starter, fully engaging tongue. Fasten with Quick Screen Clips & #8 Pan Head Screws @32" O.C. max spacing (See Tables 3 & 4 for wind loading). Hard fasten only one point preferably near the center of each plank. It is good practice to check your installation every 2-3 rows for level/plumb and flat or straight, for best results. Ensure there is sufficient room for expansion & contraction, also confirming component caps will cover.



**Step 4 - Termination**

Before the last Plank, install Termination Set base fastening 16" O.C. typ. Confirm the trim component caps will cover the last Plank and adjust accordingly to the suit the profile. Where terminating cut planks, provide a positive stop approximately every 16" (406mm). When all Planks are installed finish off the trims with caps from two-piece sets.

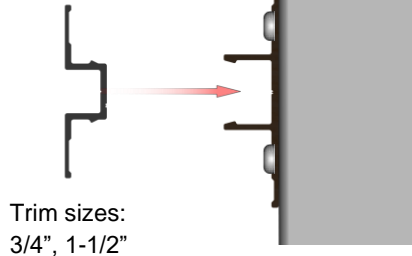
**Finishing Steps** - Once planks are installed, finish off the perimeter trims with caps from two-piece sets.

**Component Caps**

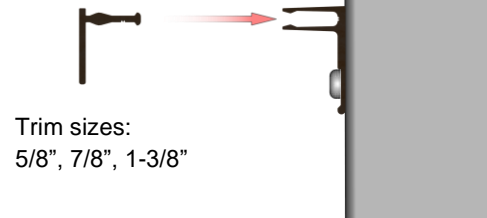
Location: Installed onto the base of the two-piece sets.

Details: If required, use a rubber mallet or hammer and block to protect the finish during this process.

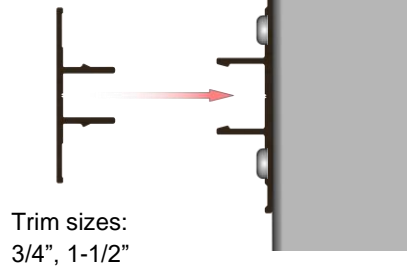
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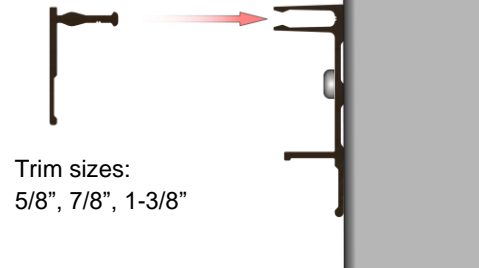
**Two-Piece J-Track Cap**



**Flat-Reveal Set Cap**



**Termination Set Cap**



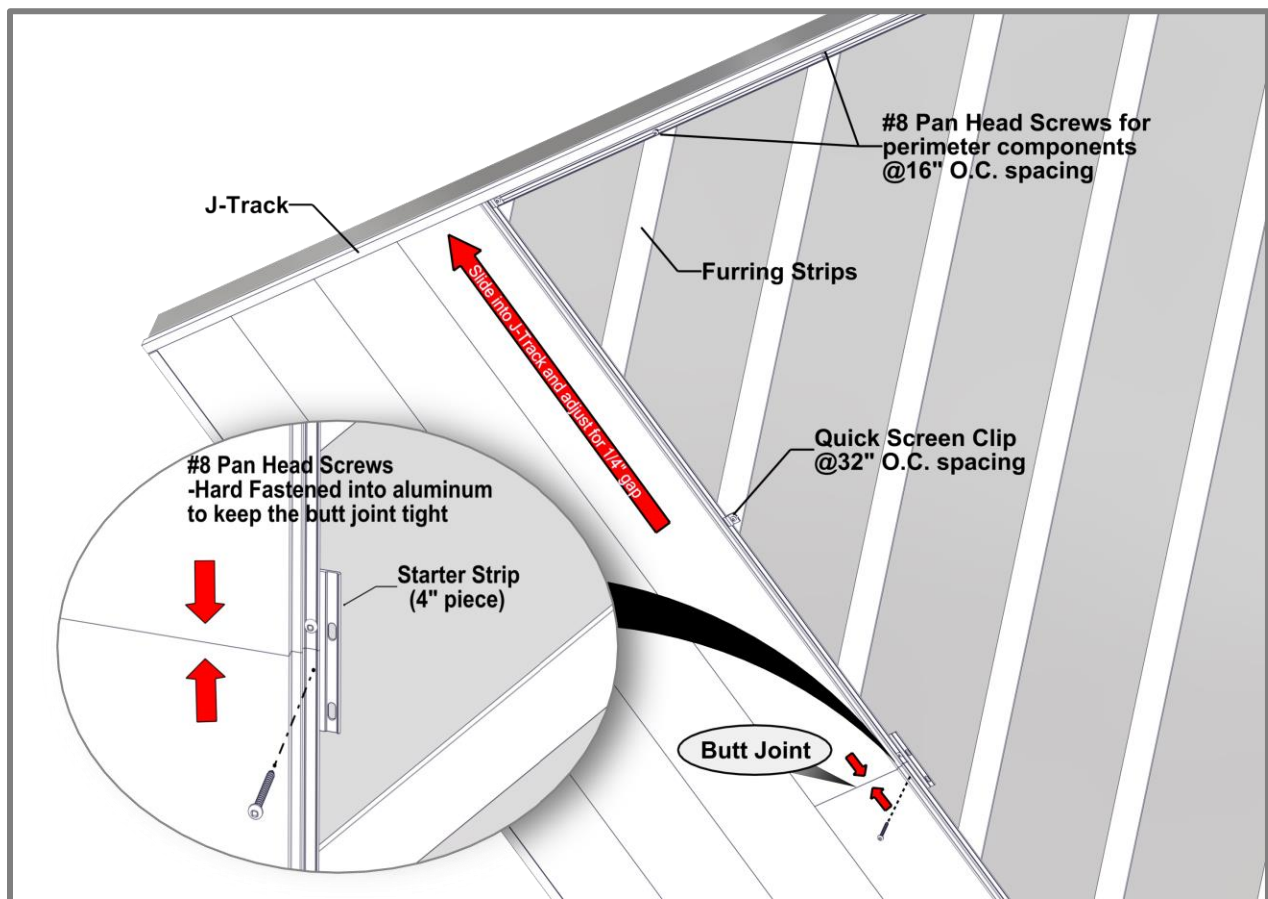


## Details

### Butt-Joints

- When installing staggered butt-joints, hard-fasten the two planks at the butt-joint to ensure joints do not open up (**See Detail A**). Fasteners should be placed at the uppermost location of the plank flange, to not interfere with the next plank engaging the tongue and groove properly. At the butt-joint fasteners should be anchored into 4" length of Starter Strip.
- On exposed cuts such as butt-joints, trim ends or similar, use touch-up paint pens (purchased separately) to finish the ends of the two (2) planks at the butt-joint.
- DO NOT install more than one (1) butt-joint between two components
- DO NOT hard-fasten a plank to a component trim, as this will restrict its ability to expand & contract into the component.
- If no butt joints along the length, it is good practice to hard-fasten each plank directly through the flange near the center, to keep the planks from migrating.
- DO NOT hard-fasten more than one (1) location per plank.
- Fasten only:

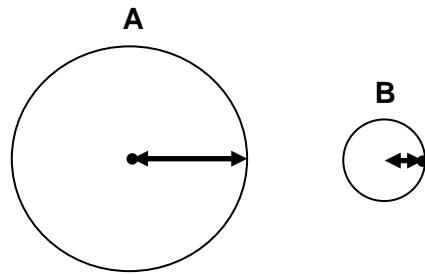
Situation	Location
No butt-joints:	-Center of planks
Butt-joints:	-At the joints



**Detail A**

### Radius Guide for Trims & Planks

Trim Description	Min. Bending Radius	Ref.
Precision J-Track (5/8")	15' (4.57m)	A
<b>Non-Tempered Precision J-Track (5/8")</b>	1.5' (0.46m)	<b>B</b>
Two-Piece J-Track (5/8")	15' (4.57m)	A



Plank Description	Min. Bending Radius		
	C (Concave/Convex)	D (Convex)	E (Concave)
4" V-Groove	12' (4.57m)	3' (0.91m)	6' (1.83m)
6" V-Groove	12' (4.57m)	3' (0.91m)	6' (1.83m)
6" Channel	12' (4.57m)	3' (0.91m)	6' (1.83m)



**When bending & securing components, bend against solid secure object and take care not to over bend.**

# Appendix

## Expansion and Contraction Tables

TABLE 1 - IMPERIAL

		AVERAGE TEMPERATURE AT TIME OF CUTTING & INSTALLATION											
		°C	-50	-40	-30	-20	-10	0	10	20	30	40	50
		°F	-58	-40	-22	-4	14	32	50	68	86	104	122
MIN/MAX POST CONSTRUCTION TEMP.	°C	°F	EXPANSION OR CONTRACTION (INCH/FOOT)										
	-50	-58	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014	-0.016	-0.019	-0.022	-0.024	-0.027
	-40	-40	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014	-0.016	-0.019	-0.022	-0.024
	-30	-22	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014	-0.016	-0.019	-0.022
	-20	-4	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014	-0.016	-0.019
	-10	14	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014	-0.016
	0	32	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011	-0.014
	10	50	0.016	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008	-0.011
	20	68	0.019	0.016	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005	-0.008
	30	86	0.022	0.019	0.016	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003	-0.005
	40	104	0.024	0.022	0.019	0.016	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000	-0.003
	50	122	0.027	0.024	0.022	0.019	0.016	0.014	0.011	0.008	0.005	0.003	0.000

TABLE 2 - METRIC

		AVERAGE TEMPERATURE AT TIME OF CUTTING & INSTALLATION											
		°C	-50	-40	-30	-20	-10	0	10	20	30	40	50
		°F	-58	-40	-22	-4	14	32	50	68	86	104	122
MIN/MAX POST CONSTRUCTION TEMP.	°C	°F	EXPANSION OR CONTRACTION (MM/METER)										
	-50	-58	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150	-1.380	-1.610	-1.840	-2.070	-2.300
	-40	-40	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150	-1.380	-1.610	-1.840	-2.070
	-30	-22	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150	-1.380	-1.610	-1.840
	-20	-4	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150	-1.380	-1.610
	-10	14	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150	-1.380
	0	32	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920	-1.150
	10	50	1.380	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690	-0.920
	20	68	1.610	1.380	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460	-0.690
	30	86	1.840	1.610	1.380	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230	-0.460
	40	104	2.070	1.840	1.610	1.380	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000	-0.230
	50	122	2.300	2.070	1.840	1.610	1.380	1.150	0.920	0.690	0.460	0.230	0.000



**TABLE 3**

4" PLANKS		PSF (Factored / Ultimate)											
		20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	121	
QUICK-SCREEN CLIP SPACING (IN) <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	16"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	24"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	32"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

All testing has been performed using L/180 deflection limits

Substrate Types: Sheathed Wood-Frame Wall w/2.0 in. lg. #8 Pan-head wood screws  
 Sheathed 16ga, 50ksi Steel Stud Wall w/#8 Pan-Head Self-Drilling Screws  
 Sheathed 18ga, 33ksi Steel Stud Wall w/#8 Pan-Head Self-Drilling Screws  
 Sheathed 20ga, 33ksi Steel Stud Wall w/#8 Pan-Head Self-Drilling Screws

1\_Spacing is from clip center to center  
 2\_An unfactored dead load of 1.5 psf was assumed for the cladding  
 3\_If fastening to every second stud, the attachment stud shall be staggered between adjacent runs of cladding

**TABLE 4**

6" PLANKS		PSF (Factored / Ultimate)											
		20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	121	
QUICK-SCREEN CLIP SPACING (IN) <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	16"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	24"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	32"	Wood	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		16ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		18ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		20ga	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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**TABLE 5**

STARTER STRIP w. 4" PLANK		PSF (Factored / Ultimate)												
		20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	121		
QUICK-SCREEN CLIP SPACING (IN) <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	16"	Wood	End	End	End	End	End	End	End	End	End	End	End	
		16ga	End	End	End	End	End	End	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid		
		18ga	End	End	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid				
		20ga	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid					
32"	Wood	End	End	End										
	16ga	End	End											

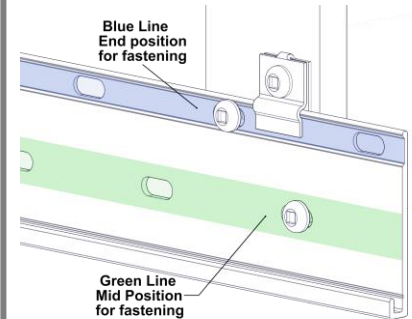
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 Sheathed 18ga, 33ksi Steel Stud Wall w/#8 Pan-Head Self-Drilling Screws  
 Sheathed 20ga, 33ksi Steel Stud Wall w/#8 Pan-Head Self-Drilling Screws

Position of screw: End - Screw is positioned at end of the Starter Strip  
 Mid - Screw is positioned in the middle of the Starter Strip

1\_Spacing is from clip center to center  
 2\_An unfactored dead load of 1.5 psf was assumed for the cladding  
 3\_If fastening to every second stud, the attachment stud shall be staggered between adjacent runs of cladding

**Position of Fastener  
for Table 5 & 6**



**TABLE 6**

STARTER STRIP w. 6" PLANK		PSF (Factored / Ultimate)												
		20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	121		
QUICK-SCREEN CLIP SPACING (IN) <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	16"	Wood	End	End	End	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	
		16ga	End	End	End	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid				
		18ga	End	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid						
		20ga	Mid	Mid	Mid	Mid								
32"	Wood	End												
	16ga	End												

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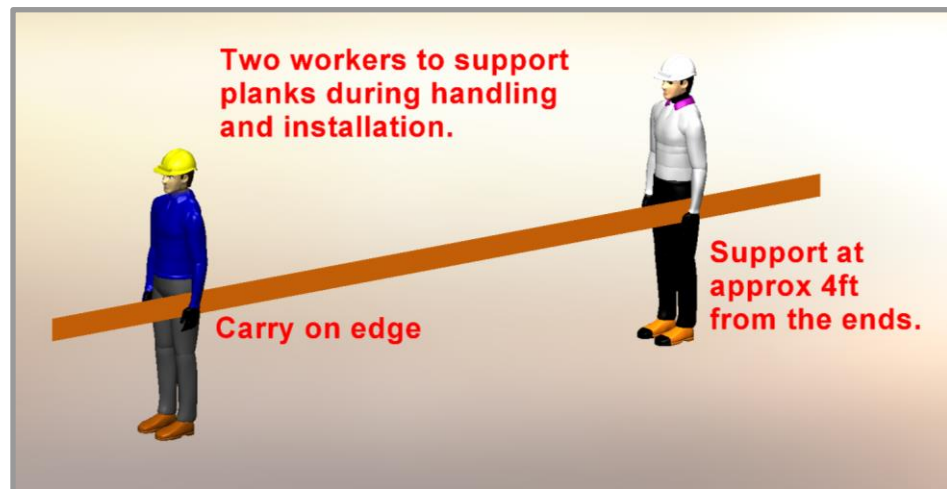
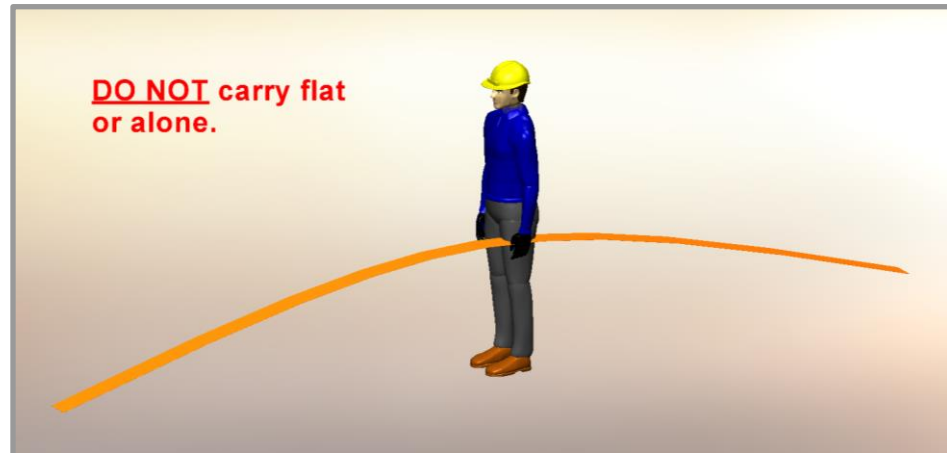
Position of screw: End - Screw is positioned at end of the Starter Strip  
 Mid - Screw is positioned in the middle of the Starter Strip

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