### **Composite Decking**

A range of innovative, high-performance composite decking solutions.

- Quick and easy to install.
- Rot-resistant, weatherproof and easy to clean.
- Range of colours and finishes.
- ☑ Durable, split and splinter-free surface.
- Environmentally friendly.

Ticks all the boxes







### Composite Decking System

The high-performance, durable, fade and slip resistant alternative to traditional timber decking.

- ☑ Better does not rot, unlike timber decking, weather resistant and easy to clean
- ☑ Faster quick and easy to install
- Safer durable, slip resistant, split and splinter-free surface
- Choice of flat 'sanded', grooved or woodgrain effect finishes in five colours
- $\ensuremath{\boxdot}$  Low maintenance
- ☑ Hidden fixing system
- ☑ Environmentally friendly

Have more time to do what you love on TruDeck Composite Decking. A high-performance, eco-friendly wood alternative, that offers the warmth and appeal of natural hardwood without all the time and expense of regular maintenance.

Choose from a range of colours and finishes to suit your style and budget. Finishes can be 'mix and matched' or reversed after a period of time.

Deck boards are quick and easy to fix using the supplied grab clips - a simple 2-step operation.

Composite Decking is slip resistant, splinter-freeand very low maintenance with no requirement for annual treatment or oiling to keep that just installed look.

Natural Look

& Feel





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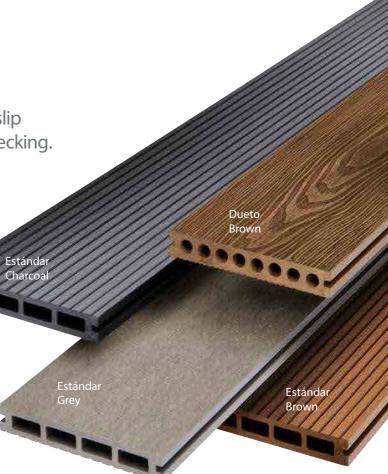
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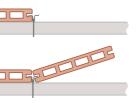
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Estándar Brown Sanded









Due to two-tone double-sided hollow deck boards, wood grain and narrow ribbed, available in grey and brown: 150mm x 23mm x 3.6m.

Estándar hollow deck boards, sanded and ribbed, available in charcoal, grey and brown: 146mm x 22mm x 3.6m.

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Easy to Clean and Maintain



Eco-friendly Solution



# **Composite Decking** Installation

Supplied complete with stainless steel fixings for quick and easy installation, and with a colour coded edging and fascia trim available for that finishing touch

### Before you start

- Allow Composite Decking to acclimatise for a minimum of 3 days, raised 100mm off the ground ensuring that it is kept flat and dry
- Composite Decking recommends that installation conditions are stable and flat to avoid the possibility of the decking surface deforming.

#### Preparing the area

- Joists must be laid on a solid flat surface such as concrete Grass, uneven paving slabs or sand will cause movement and damage the installation.
- We recommend that you do not fix joists directly to foundations and that joist centres are no greater than 300mm, except when fitting Composite Decking boards on the diagonal where we recommend that joist centres are 250mm and you work from the centre out. If used above ground level we recommend 250mm centres.
- When installing above ground level, consult with an engineer.
- We recommend that a drainage channel be included in the foundations to allow for the free flow of excess water. Drainage channels should be every 600-800mm.

### Installation

- A drainage slope along the length of the board of 0.5% or 5mm per meter should be allowed to ensure sufficient water run-off.
- Composite Decking boards must have a 6mm gap between each board, and must be fitted using Composite Decking electrophoretic coated grab deck clips and stainless steel screws. A minimum of 12 clips at 300mm centres per 3.6m length is recommended.
- Composite Decking stainless steel starter clips are recommended for securing the first line and the last line of decking boards with a minimum of 12 clips at 300mm centres per 3.6m length.

- TruSeal recommends the use of double joists under butt joints, with one clip each side of the butt joint and an 8mm end to end gap for drainage and expansion.
- When butt jointed to walls, or other fixed objects, ٠ a 10mm gap is required.
- Composite Decking boards should be 50mm off the around.
- TruSeal recommends the use of pedes atsl at low the free circulation of air around the installation.
- Composite Decking boards must be supported along ٠ their length. The ends of boards must be supported and not have an overhang of more than 10mm.
- ٠ When using pressure treated timber joists, TruSeal recommends that they are a minimum of 30mm off the ground to allow air ventilation and water flow.
- Composite Decking Keel must be raised a minimum of ٠ 25mm above a solid base.
- ٠ TruSeal does not recommend the use of Composite Decking where the space is walled in on all four sides.
- To ensure correct ventilation, TruDeck recommends deck boards are raised above the base with a minimum space of 100mm to allow airflow under the deck to prevent build up of moisture.
- Recommended pedestal spacing is every 400mm ٠ (or 10 per 3.6m length) along 61x41mm composite joists and every 450mm (8 per 3.6m length) when using 60x40mm treated timber joists. Pedestals adjust from 30mm to 60mm.
- Post and deck rails should be fixed directly through the ٠ deck to the substructure, allowing for an expansion of 10mm for seasonal movement.





Provide a minimum 10mm gap between edge of decking and any adjacent wall. Allow 8mm gap if deck boards run parallel to a wall.

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Estándar square hole

• Composite Decking Keel

Composite Decking Keel

is non-structural and

therefore must only be

used on solid surfaces.

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Stainless steel Fixing Clips

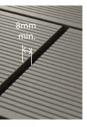


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Minimum 8mm end to end gap between butt iointed boards. This gap is important for drainage and to avoid expansion caused by long term immersion



board end overhang



TruDeck stainless steel fixing clips provide a secure fit and with the recommended 6mm spacing of boards.



TruDeck stainless steel starter clip fixed using 3mm x 25mm stainless steel screws



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Alternative to joists TruDeck Keel fixed to height adjustable pedestals using 3mm x 25mm stainless steel screws.

### **Accessories**

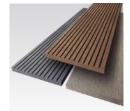
Colour matched Edging Trims for Estándar and Dueto - 40mm x 40mm



Pack of 30 stainless steel Starter / End Clips



2m<sup>2</sup> pack of 34 stainless 16 Grab Deck Clips, 50 40mm Torx head wood screws and T15 bit



Colour matched Fascia Trims for Estándar and Dueto 130x10mm x 3.6m



Stainless steel deck screws



2.5m <sup>2</sup> pack 50 Electrophoretic Coated Grab Deck Clips with 40mm Torx Head wood screws and T15 bit



Composite Keels -40x30mm x 3.6m and 61x41mm x 3.6m



Height adjustable pedestals - 30mm to 60mm

# **Additional Products**

- 🗹 Soffits & Fascia
- Guttering
- **Materials** Roofing Materials
- ✓ Underground Drainage
- Soil Systems
- External Cladding
- ☑ Internal Cladding
- PVC Windows
- Composite Doors
- Bi-Fold Doors
- Roof Lanterns
- Conservatories
- ✓ Ancillaries

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