

**NEW!**

# Deck Spacers™



## **A SIMPLE SOLUTION FOR PRECISION DECK BOARD SPACING**

### **– Installs fast, protects your warranty**

Millions of new and replacement decks are built every year, representing a considerable market opportunity for the introduction of value-added deck products. Simpson Strong-Tie® Deck Spacers are an innovative new product that enables precise deck board spacing and delivers multiple benefits to consumers and deck builders. Deck Spacers meet and protect warranty requirements for composite decking as well as helping to protect deck joists.

Deck Spacers are small plastic spacers that easily clip onto deck joists during installation to ensure evenly spaced deck boards, enabling quicker installation and reducing labor costs.

**The unique, patented design also helps prevent rotting beneath planks by continually diverting debris and moisture away from the joist, to help keep it clean and dry.**



**Deck Spacers provide precision deck board spacing at installation and stay in place to help extend the life of deck framing.**

- The only permanent deck spacing product
- Quickly and easily clip into place
- Meet composite decking warranty requirements for spacing
- Easier wet or dry cleaning between deck boards
- 3 colors to match decking: Gray, Brown and Tan
- UV resistant material lasts the life of the deck

### **Ideal for Composite Decking**

Composite decking is a fast growing emerging market, popular with consumers, making Deck Spacers an ideal premium add-on sale for users to protect their investment and warranty. Leading manufacturers of composite decking have specific spacing requirements to ensure product warranties—Deck Spacers meet those requirements.



**Deck Spacers are the only permanent spacing product on the market that safeguards composite decking warranties.**

## Installation is as easy as 1-2-3



Deck Spacers slide on top of the joist for easy installation and require no extra tools.

### Product Information

Model No.	Spacing Thickness (in)	Color	Package Quantities
DSGRAY-R100	¼	Gray	100
DSGRAY-R500	¼		500
DSBRN-R100	¼	Brown	100
DSBRN-R500	¼		500
DSTAN-R100	¼	Tan	100
DSTAN-R500	¼		500



### Packaging and Merchandising to Drive Sales

The new merchandising for Deck Spacers™ capitalizes on in-store cross promotional opportunities and fits well into existing Simpson showroom displays. Impactful gondola and wingstack displays allow maximum product visibility adjacent to lumber and composite decking —creating a substantial marketing and sales opportunity.



A premium product positioning is reinforced by new Deck Spacers packaging, with labels that emphasize the product's key benefits.

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