

Robertson Timber

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Specification

Selected Scots Pine Timber/Scandinavian Redwood.
3.6m x 100mm x 38mm (finished to 98mm x 35mm).
Top corners slightly rounded and grooved (8 grooves) over entire length of rail.
Alternatively 4.2m x 150mm x 32mm (finished 145mm x 28mm) 11 grooves & 4 corners rounded.

Treatment

All decking pressure treated for long life - finished brown or green colours.

Support Frame

Timber sizes vary depending on post centres and whether "on or off" ground installation.

Support frame centres should not exceed 600mm.

Fix deck boards to frame leaving 6-8mm space.

Fixings

Proper decking screws should be used (65 x 4mm) for fixing decking boards.

Locate screws at the extreme edge of grooves - pre-drill to avoid splitting - also take care not to drill too far into support frame resulting in screws working loose as this may result in your deck boards cupping.

Coverage

1 - 3.6m x 98mm x 35mm Deck Board with 6/8mm gap = 0.36m²

1 - 4.2m x 145mm x 28mm Deck Board with 6/8mm gap = 0.63m²

Posts, battens, handrail etc. available ex stock

Care and Maintenance

Wood is a natural material whose appearance will change when left out of doors. The appearance of your decking will depend on how you look after it.

Left on its own, the wood in your decking will naturally change colour to a silver greyish tone, the exact colour dependent on the environmental conditions. For example, dark spots may occur if the decking is placed in a shady spot under a tree.

During long, dry spells, small cracks may appear in the timber, especially on the end grain. These cracks are perfectly normal characteristics and should not affect the strength or durability of the decking. The same cracks should disappear once the conditions become damp again.

It is usual for small amounts of sap resin to appear on the surface of the wood in certain climatic conditions. This can be removed using white spirit or a similar product or left alone they will weather away.

If however, you would like to preserve the original colour of your decking a water based paint can be used ie. Cuprinol. Regular upkeep of your decking will slow down the weathering process however all our decking is pressure treated for long life and finished in either green or brown.

Cuprinol (water based) - Woodland Green and Rich Oak Brown

Wood Protector (water based) - Various colours

Safe & Natural (water based) - Various colours

