

DesignBoard Brushed & Grooved

*Buying **DesignBoard Brushed & Grooved Composite Decking** is a little different to buying traditional timber decking products and London Stone would recommend all customers read the following guidance before purchasing.*

DesignBoard Brushed & Grooved Composite Decking is manufactured from a blend of PVC and natural bamboo husk fibres to create a durable, low-maintenance decking solution suitable for modern outdoor spaces. The boards are reversible, featuring two different lightly grooved surface finishes, allowing flexibility in the final appearance of your project.

The boards are designed with a hollow-core construction and a concealed clip fixing system, creating a cleaner finished appearance with no visible face fixings in standard installations. Due to the hollow-core design, additional care should be taken during handling, transportation and installation to avoid damage to board ends and edges.

As with all composite decking products, slight variation in colour and finish may occur between production batches. To minimise visible variation, London Stone strongly recommends ordering all decking boards, trims and accessories for your project at the same time.

Composite decking boards may display subtle tonal differences and naturally weather slightly after installation. This is a normal characteristic of composite materials and helps the boards settle into a more consistent appearance over time.

DesignBoard Brushed & Grooved Decking is designed to expand and contract with temperature changes. Correct expansion gaps must always be allowed during installation and all installation guidance should be followed carefully. Due to manufacturing tolerances associated with composite decking products, slight variation in board dimensions may occur and should be accommodated during installation.

The lightly textured grooved surface provides good slip resistance in both wet and dry conditions, making the product suitable for external floor applications including patios, terraces and garden entertaining spaces.

Although composite decking is designed to be low maintenance, regular cleaning is still required to maintain appearance and minimise the build-up of dirt, algae and organic matter, particularly in shaded or damp environments.

Composite decking can become slippery in wet or icy conditions, particularly if debris, algae or leaf matter are allowed to accumulate on the surface. Regular cleaning and maintenance is therefore recommended.

Dark coloured decking boards may become noticeably warmer in direct sunlight than lighter colours. This should be considered when selecting products for south-facing areas or spaces exposed to prolonged sunlight.

Due to the hollow-core construction, this product may produce slightly more resonance or sound transfer underfoot compared to solid composite decking boards.

DesignBoard Brushed & Grooved Composite Decking is frost resistant and highly water resistant, making it suitable for year-round external use in the UK climate.

Small samples may not fully represent the appearance of a completed deck area. We strongly recommend viewing larger displays or visiting one of our showrooms wherever possible.

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Always order an additional 5–10% to allow for cuts, wastage and installation requirements.

London Stone will not offer refunds or exchanges based on slight variation in colour, texture or natural weathering associated with composite decking products.

Before applying any cleaning agents, paints or chemicals to composite decking, **ALWAYS** seek professional guidance and test products on a small inconspicuous area first.

If your project has any special requirements such as high traffic, commercial use, hot tubs, heavy outdoor kitchens or areas of prolonged shade and moisture retention, please speak to a member of our team to ensure the selected product is suitable for the intended application.