

### **Product Data Sheet**

# **TL FASTENER**

### **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

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The TL Fastener is designed to mechanically attach rigid insulation boards and single-ply membrane to cementitious wood fiber (Tectum®), gypsum and lightweight insulating concrete roof decks. It features a high thread profile with a tapered root diameter and sharp point. Its unique design allows it to penetrate the roof deck and progressively compact the base material, creating a stronger hold in weak material. The TL Fastener is used in conjunction with the 2" TL Membrane Plate and 3" TL Insulation Plate

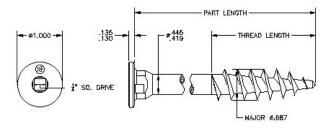
### **APPROPRIATE ACCESSSORIES**

3" TL Insulation Plates and 2" TL Membrane Plates are designed to be used with the TL Fastener.

### **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

Fastener Length	Thread Length	Pkg.	Pkg. Wt.
2"	1.447"	500/Carton	12 lbs.
2-1/2"	1.947"	500/Carton	13 lbs.
3"	2.300"	500/Carton	15 lbs.
3-1/2"	2.300"	500/Carton	16 lbs.
4"	2.300"	500/Carton	19 lbs.
4-1/2"	2.300"	500/Carton	21 lbs.
5"	2.300"	500/Carton	23 lbs.
5-1/2"	2.300"	500/Carton	25 lbs.
6"	2.300"	500/Carton	26 lbs.
6-1/2"	2.300"	500/Carton	28 lbs.
7"	2.300"	250/Carton	15 lbs.
7-1/2"	2.300"	250/Carton	16 lbs.
8"	2.300"	250/Carton	17 lbs.
8-1/2"	2.300"	250/Carton	19 lbs.
9"	2.300"	250/Carton	20 lbs.
9-1/2"	2.300"	250/Carton	21 lbs.
10"	2.300"	250/Carton	22 lbs.
11"	2.300"	250/Carton	24 lbs.
12"	2.300"	250/Carton	26 lbs.
13"	2.300"	250/Carton	28 lbs.
14"	2.300"	250/Carton	30 lbs.

### Fastener Body: Reinforced Nylon





### **Average Ultimate Pullout Values**

Substrate	Pre-Drill Dia.*	Min. Embedment	Pullout (lbf.)
Tectum™	N/A	1-1/2"	280
		2"	440
		2-1/2"	595
3" Insulrock	5/16"	2-1/2"	365
Poured Gypsum	3/8"	2"	540

<sup>\*</sup> A pre-drilled 5/8" clearance hole is only necessary when plywood or other rigid materials are fastened to roof deck. A plate is not required in this application

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### **INSTALLATION GUIDELINES**

Using the  $\frac{1}{4}$ " drive bit provided and an electric impact tool that provides a high torque and relatively low rpm, install the fastener into the deck. A heavy-duty variable speed screw gun operated at a low speed is also acceptable. Predrilling is normally not required for installation into cementitious wood fiber decks such as Tectum<sup>®</sup>. Decks such as Insulrock may require a 5/16" pre-drilled hole. Gypsum and lightweight insulating concreted decks should be predrilled using a 3/8" or 7/16" carbide tipped bit. Larger carbide tipped bits up to  $\frac{1}{2}$ " dia. can be used in denser materials. The drill bit size to be used should be determined during the job site test.



If pre-drilling is required, drill a hole into the base material to a depth ½" greater than the embedment required.



Place the Mule-Hide TL Plate on the insulation (TL 3" Plate) or seam (TL 2" Plate)



Drive the TL Fastener through the plate into the base material until the head of the fastener is properly seated in the plate. The plate should be seated securely against the insulation or membrane. - Do not overdrive.

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