



Minimise Timber Movement by Air Seasoning of treated wet outdoor timber product.

The Taranakipine Premium Decking range is produced from New Zealand Radiata Pine and is treated to NZS 3640 H3.2 standard. The resulting finished product is protected from rot and decay, however as it's delivered as Treated Wet, it's recommended that you follow these steps prior to installation.

- Plan to have your Taranakipine Premium Decking delivered to site well in advance of installation. The product should then be filleted (refer image below) and in a stack, placed on bearers at least 100mm from the ground. The timber should be retained in this state for a minimum of 3 weeks prior to installation.



- Cover the stack on the top to shield from rain and direct sunlight, whilst still allowing for sufficient air movement to draw moisture from the timber. Keep the sides & ends open to ensure wind is able to freely move between the layers.
- Taranakipine recommends that freshly exposed timber be treated with a liquid timber preservative. Cutting of ends, drilling of holes and any checking out should prompt this action. Your Timber Merchant will be able to guide you to the best suited preservative product.

If the above recommendations are followed, timber shrinkage and checking (if any) after installation will be minimised. Please consult with your Timber Merchant regarding installation and the ongoing care and maintenance of your Radiata Pine deck. Taranakipine is not responsible for the quality of work, installation methods, design and construction of any structure that incorporates Taranakipine timber products.