

Class 1

SuperPine® Structural Flooring

Building Products Information Requirements | Info. Sheet

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Product name	SuperPine® By Laminex® New Zealand
Product line	N/A
	SuperPine® Square Edge SuperPine® Tongue & Groove

Place of manufacture

Aotearoa New Zealand	✓
Overseas	

Product description

SuperPine® is a high-density board manufactured by Laminex® New Zealand, under the trademark SuperPine®.

SuperPine® is manufactured using predominantly New Zealand Pinus Radiata particles formed with a urea formaldehyde resin under heat and pressure.

SuperPine® panels are suitable for timber framed buildings within the scope of NZS 3604 and primarily for use as a structural flooring panel fixed to solid timber, engineered timber, and steel framing joists in the following applications:

- Suspended ground floors
- Mid-floor
- Other applications:
- Flooring overlay to existing wooden and concrete floors.

SuperPine® is available in two types:

- Tongue and Groove (simple system which interlocks panels together)
- Square Edge



Key technical specifications:

Panel dimensions (mm)	Panel weight	Panel density
3600 x 1200 x 20	60 kg (13.8 kg/m2)	690 kg/m3
2400 x 1220 x 20	40 kg (13.8 kg/m2)	690 kg/m3

Note: All dimensions and measurements are nominal.

All panels are ink marked on the underside with the product identification and a manufacturing traceability number. All panels have a label on the upper face. SuperPine® Tongue & Groove has a white polypropylene tongue.

Physical Properties

Property	Units	AS/NZS min/max performance criteria
Bending Strength (MoR)	МРа	17 min
Modulus of Elasticity (MoE)	МРа	2650 min
Internal Bond Strength (IB)	MPa	0.50 min
24-hour Thickness Swell	%	14 max
Thickness Stability	%	25 max
Glue Bond Quality	МРа	2.9 min
Surface Water Absorption	g/m²	210 max

Note: All dimensions and measurements are nominal.



Relevant building code clauses

Clause B1 STRUCTURE: Performance B1.3.1, B1.3.2, and B1.3.4 for loads arising from self-weight, imposed gravity loads arising from use, earthquake, wind and impact [i.e., B1.3.3 (a), (b), (f), (h), and (j)].

Clause B2 DURABILITY: Performance B2.3.1 (a) not less than 50 years, and B2.3.1 (b) 15 years.

Clause F2 HAZARDOUS BUILDING MATERIALS: Performance F2.3.1.

C3 Fire Affecting Areas Beyond the Fire Source.

- C3.4 (a) C3.4 (b)
- C/AS2 4.17.3
- C/AS2 Appendix C Table C2.1
- C/VM2 Appendix B Table B1

Contributions to compliance

SuperPine® is manufactured in accordance with AS/NZS 1860.1:2017 and tested in accordance with AS/NZS 4266.1:2017.

When stored, handled, installed, and maintained in accordance with the SuperPine® Technical Installation Manual and BRANZ Appraisal No. 1217, SuperPine® will meet the provisions of the New Zealand Building Code (NZBC) B2/AS1 - 1.2.1 (a), has a serviceable life of at least 50 years as a structural diaphragm or installed under structural walls, and (b) performance requirements of at least 15 years in other situations.

Scope of use

The information in the SuperPine® Technical Manual has been specifically designed in accordance with AS/NZS 1170 to comply with the appropriate design loadings for domestic and commercial buildings.

SuperPine® Structural Flooring will support loads of up to 2 kPa in buildings built within the scope of NZS 3604 with maximum floor joist spacing of 600mm centres. Point loads may reduce allowable floor joist spacing, please refer to the Floor Design section of the SuperPine® Technical Manual - download at laminex.co.nz

SuperPine® panels are suitable for timber framed buildings within the scope of NZS 3604, clause 1.1.2 and those uses specifically designed within the SuperPine® Technical Manual.

SuperPine® has also been appraised for use in steel-framed intermediate floors that have been designed and constructed in accordance with NASH Standard Part2, Section 8.



SuperPine® Structural Flooring has been appraised for use as a sheet material for diaphragms to resist lateral loads in NZS 3604 and NASH Part 2 buildings. Such diaphragms must be detailed as required by Clause 7.3 of NZS 3604 or Section 5.5.3 of NASH Standard Part 2 and the Technical Literature.

SuperPine® is approved for use in the Laminex® New Zealand Fire and Acoustic Floor System (Intertenancy mid-floor).

Conditions of use

SuperPine® has an exposure time of eight (8) weeks.

SuperPine® maximum joist spacing supporting the sheets must be no greater than 600mm centres. The sheets must be laid with the long edges perpendicular to the joists and the short edges coincident with the joists.

SuperPine® Structural Flooring is not recommended for use in bathrooms or showers.

Before occupancy, SuperPine® Structural Flooring must be finished by sealing the surface, or finishing, with a polyurethane coating system or other floor covering, as detailed in the Technical Literature.

SuperPine® Structural Flooring must not be subjected to temperatures exceeding 50°C for prolonged periods.

All design and building work must be carried out in accordance with the Laminex SuperPine® Structural Flooring Technical Literature and BRANZ Appraisal No. 1217 by competent and experienced tradespersons conversant with SuperPine® Structural Flooring. Where the work involves Restricted Building Work (RBW), this must be completed by, or under the supervision of, a Licensed Building Practitioner (LBP) with the relevant License Class.

Supporting documentation

The following additional documentation supports the above statements:

Title (type)	Version	URL
SuperPine® Technical Manual	Edition May 2024	Click here
SuperPine® BRANZ Appraisal No. 1217	04 May 2022	Click here
SuperPine® Warranty	09 Dec 2022	<u>Click here</u>
SuperPine® Design Guide	12 Dec 2022	Click here



SuperPine® Safety Data Sheet (SDS)	13 April 2022	Click here
SuperPine® Formaldehyde Emissions	30 May 2022	Click here
SuperPine® Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) Certificate	09 Dec 2022	Click here
SuperPine® Care and Maintenance Guide	October 2022	Click here

Contact details

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Manufacturer phone number	0800 303 606
Manufacturer NZBN	9429037626969

Warnings and bans

Is the building product/building product line subject to warning or ban under section 26 of the Building Act 2004?

No