



PLYFAST® #15 FASTENER

Description: PLYFAST® #15 Fasteners are formed from heavy corrosion resistant steel and are designed to secure insulation and base membranes to standard steel (16 ga.–22 ga.), wood and structural concrete decks. It is available in lengths from 1-1/4-in. to 18-in. The PlyFast #15 Fastener is also Factory Mutual approved. Head Style: Available - #3 Phillips Truss Head.

Features & Benefits:

- Available with #3 Phillips truss head.
- Heavier shank and thread diameters for maximum strength and pullout resistance.
- For insulation/membrane attachment to steel, wood and structural concrete.
- FM approved.

Corrosion Coating: Corrosion resistant coating exhibits less than 15% red rust which meets or exceeds FM 4470 corrosion standards and withstands 30 cycles of the Kesternich DIN 50018 SFW 2.0 test.

Application: PlyFast #15 Fasteners must penetrate steel decks a minimum of 3/4-in., wood plank decks a minimum of 1-in. and 1/2-in. through the underside for plywood decks. The fastener must penetrate structural concrete decks a minimum of 1-in. Pre-drill a 3/16-in pilot hole at least 1/2-in deeper than fastener embedment using a carbide tip SDS or straight bit shank. Using a screw gun, drive the fastener until a slight depression is seen around the plate, or with very rigid insulation boards, watch for the plate to dimple. **Note: Care must be taken not to overdrive the fastener and fracture the insulation facer.** Fastener must be tight enough so that the plate does not turn. For steel decks, Factory Mutual requires that the fastener penetrate the deck at the top flute.

Plate: Uses PlyFast® 3” Metal Stress Plate (sold separately).

Tools: For best installation result, use a variable speed 0–2500 RPM screw gun. Always use appropriate drive bit for fastener head. To speed installation, appropriate fastener parts are available pre-assembled or can be used with matching insulation plates, belted systems, or auto-feed installation tools. See PlyFast® Fastener Information Guide for specific details.

Approvals: PlyFast® #15 Fastener is listed or approved with Factory Mutual (FM). Contact U.S. Ply, Inc. for specific/applicable codes.

Fastening Pattern: Consult U.S. Ply Technical

Department and/or Factory Mutual requirements for recommended patterns in normal, exposed, and high wind velocity areas.

Product Data: PLYFAST® #15 Fastener Phillips (typical)

Property	#15 Fastener D	#15 Fastener T
Head Type	#3 Phillips	#3 Phillips
Head Height	.130"	.110"
Head Dia. Max	.448"	.438"
Thread Major Dia.	.263"	.280"
Shank Dia.	.204"	.207"
Tensile Strength (lbs ult)	4350	4200
Shear Strength	3700	2400
Corrosion Resistance	< 15% Red Rust after 30 cycles	< 15% Red Rust after 30 cycles

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Average Ultimate Pullout Values in Corrugated Steel Deck Substrates

Fastener	Thickness	22 ga.			20 ga.			18 ga.			16 ga.		
		Yield Strength	33.0 ksi	80.0 ksi	102.0 ksi	33.0 ksi	80.0 ksi	102.0 ksi	33.0 ksi	80.0 ksi	102.0 ksi	33.0 ksi	80.0 ksi
#15 Fastener D	Pullout (lbf)	530	682	785	625	898	960	940	1140	1200	1182	1380	1448
#15 Fastener T	Pullout (lbf)	465	695	805	605	855	970	925	1125	1215	1175	1370	1460

Average Ultimate Pullout Values in Concrete & Wood Deck Substrates

Fastener	Thickness	Plywood			OSB			Concrete
		Yield Strength	15/32"	19/32"	23/32"	15/32"	19/32"	
#15 Fastener D	Pullout (lbf)	350	608	669	226	377	309	663
#15 Fastener T	Pullout (lbf)	400	525	685	300	310	515	650

Product Data: PLYFAST® Ordering Information (typical):

Product	Screw Length*	Pieces/Box	Weight/Box # 15 - D	Pieces/Box	Weight/Box # 15 - T
#15 Fastener-D	1-1/4"	1000	13 lbs	100	12.6 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	2"	1000	24 lbs	1000	19.5 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	3"	1000	30 lbs	1000	28.2 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	4"	1000	42 lbs	1000	37.8 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	5"	1000	51 lbs	1000	48.1 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	6"	500	30 lbs	500	27.9 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	7"	500	35 lbs	500	33.6 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	8"	500	40 lbs	500	37.3 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	9"	500	45 lbs	250	20.7 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	10"	500	49 lbs	250	23.7 lbs
#15 Fastener-T	11"	xx	xx	250	25.3 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	12"	250	29 lbs	250	28.9 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	14"	250	34 lbs	250	33.1 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	16"	250	38 lbs	250	36.9 lbs
#15 Fastener-D	18"	250	42 lbs	250	41.7 lbs

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