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FEATURES AND BENEFITS

Tricoya® is characterized by its durability and dimensional stability properties. The new design and application possibilities offered by the development of Accoya performance in an MDF panel format has been demonstrated in tough exterior applications since 2012 to provide product manufacturers, designers, contractors, and architects with a new material class. A truly durable, stable and versatile panel requiring no supplemental protection to maintain decay resistance or dimensional stability.



DURABLE

Longer lasting, perfect for outdoor use or wet (interior and exterior) environments



DIMENSIONALLY STABLE

Swelling and shrinking dramatically reduced



50 YEAR WARRANTY

Peace of mind with a 50 year Tricoya® warranty above ground and 25 years in ground



DESIGN FREEDOM

All the design, machining and assembly flexibility of medium density fiberboard



IDEAL FOR COATING

Improved stability and durability enhances the service life of the coating. Damaged coating will not affect the panel warranty



LOWER MAINTENANCE COSTS

Extended periods between exterior coatings maintenance



FUNGAL RESISTANCE

Effective barrier to fungal decay



NO ADDED FORMALDEHYDE

Tricoya® complies with CARB 93120 for Phase 2 and NAF requirements



SUSTAINABLY SOURCED

Sustainably sourced FSC® certified

SUPPLY

Tricoya is produced in the following standard panel size*

- 6mm 0.236" x 4' x 8' & 10' & 12'
- 9mm 0.354" x 4' x 8' & 10' & 12'
- 12mm 0.472" x 4' x 8' & 10' & 12'
- 15mm 0.591" x 4' x 8' & 10' & 12'
- 18mm 0.709" x 4' x 8' & 10' & 12'

*Dimensions are close approximations based on conversion from metric.

Other sizes may be produced upon request and typically associated with a minimum order quantity. Potential panel size is governed by the 8' press width and longitudinal options of 5' to 18' depending on container loading options.

Custom thicknesses between 5mm, 0.197" and 18mm, 0.709" can be produced for quantities of at least one container.

EQUILIBRIUM MOISTURE CONTENT

It is important to note that there is little water bound with wood in TRICOYA. Panels will have a moisture content of 3% to 5% in indoor conditions which will vary slightly with ambient humidity. Tricoya facade panels should be installed with a ventilated cavity to aid drying in service.

MACHINING & FINISHING

Tricoya may be cut, machined and used in exactly the same way as other wood fibreboards with no change in machinability. Tricoya is delivered with a 120 grit sanded finish. It may be sanded with finer papers to achieve smoother surfaces. Water based paint systems may be used to decorate Tricoya. Tricoya may be laminated with melamine papers, high pressure laminates, wood veneers, foils and other materials. Exterior adhesives such as epoxy, polyurethane, phenol-resorcinol resin and EPI may be used as long as they meet exterior use requirements via ASTM D5751 Wet Use, or other equivalent test methods. Please seek support from ancillary product suppliers for support on application.

All mechanical fasteners that may come into contact with water, including screws, hinges, fixtures and fittings, should be manufactured from Stainless Steel ANSI type 304 or 316. Internal handles and other furniture that are normally used in dry conditions may be made from any usually acceptable material. Components used for furniture and other interior applications that are normally installed in dry conditions may utilize galvanized, coated and other metals with low corrosion resistance.

Corrosion testing on naval brass and higher quality aluminum products show that these metals are highly corrosion resistant in direct contact with Tricoya and may also be considered.

There are many aluminum alloy types. By way of example the following aluminium grades performed well in internal testing: 3003, 6005, 6063, 6061, 5154, 5052, 3052 and 1100.

FIRE RATING

Tricoya is classified as Class C by the ASTM E84 method. Tests, according to ASTM E84 (surface burning characteristics), have shown that Tricoya® performs in line with other solid wood species and MDF.

INSECT RESISTANT

Tricoya has termite resistance equal to or better than ground contact rated CCA treated pine. Assessed in Accordance with ASTM E9 ground contact trials.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Property	Test Method	TRICOYA®	Requirements for CPA's Engineered Wood Siding
Density	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	44 to 47 pcf	NA
Water absorption	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	<7.0%	12% Max
Thickness swell	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	<2.0%	8% Max
Weatherability	ANSI A135.6	<0.7%	17% Max
Linear expansion	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	<0.13%	0.35% Max
Nail head pull through	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	>350 lbf	150 lbf Min
Lateral Nail Resistance	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	>325 lbf	150 lbf Min
MOR	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	>3,250 psi	1,800 psi Min
MOE	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	>425,000 psi	NA
Hardness	ASTM D1037- ANSI A135.6	>1,000 lbf	450 lbf Min
Moisture Content	ASTM D4442- ANSI A135.6	3 to 5%	4 - 9%
Thermal Conductivity	ASTM C177	0.103 W/m-K	NA

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