



Artisan® Lap Product Fact Sheet

Product:

Artisan® Lap

Manufacturer:

James Hardie Building Products, Inc.

Product Introduction:

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Product Description:

Artisan® Lap is a new category of architectural grade exterior design cladding by prominent building products company James Hardie. Artisan Lap features the patented DuraTech™ technology, which provides the product with superior structural integrity. Scientifically engineered to meet high architectural standards, Artisan creates a distinctive design effect by blending aesthetics with strength and durability. Boards are beveled on the back to lie flat against the wall ensuring stability and unique tongue-and-groove ends provide tighter tolerances and precise fit and finish.

Backed by 15 years of research and development, Artisan Lap resists rotting, cracking and damage from inclement weather and insects, and is non-combustible.

Product Specifications:

- Artisan Lap has distinctively deep shadow lines for premium aesthetics
- Revolutionary 5/8” thickness.
- Artisan Lap boards are beveled on the back to lie flat against the wall ensuring stability
- Unique tongue and groove allows end joints to fit tightly together for precise fit and finish
- Manufactured in industry standard 12-foot lengths, Artisan Lap comes ready to paint
- Artisan Lap can be easily nailed with a 2 ¼” siding nail
- Low maintenance for lasting beauty
- 30 year Limited Warranty – provides for full product replacement up to 30 years.

Availability:

Currently, Artisan Lap is available only in the Georgia region, with further regional introductions to follow.

About James Hardie:

James Hardie Building Products is committed to helping builders by providing innovative solutions that ultimately increase home value. As the world's leading manufacturer of fiber-cement building materials, James Hardie has been manufacturing cement-based building products for more than 100 years. It introduced fiber-cement products to the U.S. in the early 90s as a durable, low-maintenance alternative to wood and vinyl. Due to their resistance to wind, fire, impact and flood, James Hardie products also have been specified for homes in hurricane- and wildfire-prone areas throughout the U.S. Currently installed on over four million homes, James Hardie products have earned a favorable reputation within the industry and have been specified in some of the country's most prestigious projects.

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