

# Limited Warranty to Truss Manufacturer

## 1. WARRANTY COVERAGE

**Products.** This warranty is provided to the truss manufacturer utilizing Louisiana-Pacific Corporation (LP) SolidStart Laminated Veneer Lumber (LVL) and Laminated Strand Lumber (LSL) Truss Chords (the "Products") in the manufacture of trusses. LP warrants that the Products will, at the time of shipment from LP's mills, meet or exceed LP manufacturing standards, including LP's Product specifications and design values, and will exhibit no delamination.

Delamination is a visible separation between the primary wood elements of the Product which results in the reduction of structural strength and is limited to separations (i) within the matrix of strands of LSL or (ii) in the glue bonds between the layers of veneer in LVL. Minor characteristics such as loose or folded surface strands and small interior voids and separations in LSL do not qualify as Delamination. Surface checking, swelling or cupping of the Products are not covered by this warranty.

Use of the Products other than as a truss chord, where permitted by LP's then current published product instructions, is warranted pursuant to the LP SolidStart Lifetime Limited Warranty. (To obtain a copy of this warranty, visit our website at [www.lpcorp.com](http://www.lpcorp.com) or contact LP Customer Service at the number provided below.)

## 2. EXCLUSIONS FROM WARRANTY COVERAGE

THIS EXPRESS WARRANTY PROVIDES A REMEDY ONLY FOR NON-CONFORMITIES REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 6(a) BELOW. IN ADDITION, THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT PROVIDE A REMEDY FOR:

- a. NON-CONFORMITIES CAUSED BY:
  - (i) MISUSE OR IMPROPER HANDLING BY TRUSS MANUFACTURER;
  - (ii) ACTS OF GOD, SUCH AS LIGHTNING, WIND STORM, HURRICANE, TORNADO, HAIL, EARTHQUAKE, FLOOD OR OTHER SIMILAR SEVERE WEATHER OR SIMILAR NATURAL PHENOMENA;
  - (iii) TRUSS DESIGN, FABRICATION, ASSEMBLY, QUALITY TESTING, PACKAGING, LOADING, SHIPPING, INSTALLATION, AND BRACING BY TRUSS MANUFACTURER OR A THIRD PARTY;
  - (iv) USE OF THE PRODUCT IN AN EXTERIOR EXPOSURE OR IN AN INTERIOR SPACE THAT CREATES AN EXTERIOR ENVIRONMENT;
  - (v) DIRECT CONTACT OF THE PRODUCT WITH THE GROUND; OR
  - (vi) USE OF THE PRODUCT IN ANY APPLICATION WHICH ALLOWS FOR THE ACCUMULATION OF CONDENSATION OR OTHER FREE WATER OR WHICH SUBJECTS THE PRODUCT TO A REPETITIVE WETTING

CONDITION OTHER THAN NORMAL RAIN CONDITIONS EXPERIENCED DURING TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION OR INSTALLATION OF THE FINISHED TRUSS.

- b. DAMAGE TO THE PRODUCTS OR LIABILITY FOR HARM OR INJURY (INCLUDING DEATH) TO PERSONS CAUSED BY THE INFILTRATION OF OR EXPOSURE TO WATER FROM ANY SOURCE, WHETHER BY ROT, GROWTH OF MOLD OR MILDEW, INFESTATION OR OTHERWISE.

## 3. EXCLUSION OF IMPLIED WARRANTIES; NO OTHER EXPRESS WARRANTIES

THIS WARRANTY IS THE ONLY WARRANTY APPLICABLE TO THESE PRODUCTS AND EXCLUDES ALL OTHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ANY WARRANTIES OTHERWISE ARISING FROM A COURSE OF DEALING OR A USAGE OF TRADE OR ADVERTISING, EXCEPT WHERE SUCH WARRANTIES ARISE UNDER APPLICABLE CONSUMER PRODUCT WARRANTY LAWS AND CANNOT LAWFULLY BE DISCLAIMED, IN WHICH EVENT SUCH WARRANTIES ARE LIMITED TO THE SHORTEST PERIOD PERMITTED OR REQUIRED UNDER APPLICABLE LAW.

Some states or provinces may not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations may not apply to you.

NO OTHER WARRANTY HAS BEEN MADE OR WILL BE MADE ON BEHALF OF LP WITH RESPECT TO THESE PRODUCTS.

## 4. REMEDIES

THIS SECTION DESCRIBES THE SOLE REMEDY AVAILABLE TO THE TRUSS MANUFACTURER FROM LP FOR ANY NONCONFORMITY IN THE PRODUCTS. In the event of any nonconformity covered by this, or any implied warranty, LP will provide conforming replacement Products.

## 5. EXCLUSION OF OTHER REMEDIES

IN NO EVENT WILL LP BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE, INDIRECT OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM ANY NONCONFORMITY IN THE PRODUCTS SUPPLIED INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OR LOST PROFITS.

Some states or provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

## 6. RESPONSIBILITY OF TRUSS MANUFACTURER

- a. The Truss Manufacturer must:
  - (i) Keep the Products from direct contact with the ground.
  - (ii) Keep the Products from exposure which allows for the accumulation of condensation or other free water or which subjects the Products to a repetitive wetting condition other than normal rain conditions experienced during typical construction or installation of the finished truss.
- b. THE TRUSS MANUFACTURER IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR PROPER TRUSS DESIGN, FABRICATION, ASSEMBLY, QUALITY TESTING, PACKAGING, LOADING AND SHIPPING AND FOR PROVIDING INSTALLATION AND BRACING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FINISHED TRUSS.
- c. A truss manufacturer seeking remedies under this warranty must notify LP in writing within 30 days after discovering a possible non-conformity of the Products. This written notice should include the date the Products were purchased.
- d. Upon reasonable notice, the truss manufacturer must allow LP agents to enter the property and building where the Products are maintained to inspect such Products.

## 7. ASSIGNABILITY BY TRUSS MANUFACTURER

This warranty is not assignable or transferable by truss manufacturer. Any attempt to assign or transfer the warranty shall be void.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary in each state or province.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Customer Service: 800-648-6893 or  
Customer.Support@lpcorp.com

Visit our website at [www.lpcorp.com](http://www.lpcorp.com)

**⚠ WARNING:** Drilling, sawing, sanding or machining wood products can expose you to wood dust, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. Avoid inhaling wood dust or use a dust mask or other safeguards for personal protection. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov/wood](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov/wood).