



INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

Cortex for Fascia can be installed using a 18V or greater cordless drill for all parts of this installation. An impact driver is not recommended. For 1x8 fascia, install a vertical row of 2 fasteners every 18". Use 3 fasteners for 1x12 fascia. Install the first and last row 1" from board ends, tack the fascia board into place using a few Cortex Fascia screws and leave the heads slightly raised. With fascia in place, drill the recommended fastening pattern using the Cortex Counterbore Tool. Install screws into each prepared hole using the Cortex Fascia Setting Tool. Drive in one continuous motion until fastener is seated, keeping the fastener perpendicular to fascia for best finished look. Install Cortex Fascia Plugs over each screw head. First, align the grain to match fascia and set into position by hand. Using a clean, smooth faced hammer, gently tap plug to flush. Remove the tacking screws, counterbore the resulting hole, fasten and install plugs to finish the job. Our Ask the FastenMaster Complete Hidden Fastening for Fascia video on our website.



Cortex for Fascia SKU Selection Guide			
BOARD	SKU	BOARD	SKU
Fire Pit	FMCTXF-TX50TSFB	Spiced Rum	FMCTXF-TX50TSSR
Gravel Path	FMCTXF-TX50TSGP	Tiki Torch	TFMCTXF-TX50TST
Island Mist	FMCTXF-TX50TSLM	Tree House	FMCTXF-TX50TSTH
Lava Rock	FMCTXF-TX50TSLR	Vintage Lantern	FMCTXF-TX50TSLV
Rope Swing	FMCTXF-TX50TSRS	Havana Gold	FMCTXF-TX50TSHG
Universal White	FMCTXF-TX50TSUW		

New board colors are always being added to the Cortex product line. If the board color you are looking for is not listed, consult our website for recent updates or call FastenMaster customer service.

Colors Available



Cortex® FASCIA HIDDEN FASTENING SYSTEM

FEATURES

- Engineered for fascia expansion/contraction
- Plugs made from Trex fascia board
- Strip-out resistant #20 TORX® ttap® drive system
- Perfect color match

PACKAGING QUANTITIES

50 lin ft (100 screws, 105 plugs, 1 counterbore tool and 1 setting tool)

LENGTH: 1 3/4"

Approved by:



DESCRIPTION

The Cortex for Fascia Hidden Fastening System is the fastest, easiest way to hide the heads of your deck screws when installing fascia or stair risers.

Cortex® Driller

HIDDEN FASTENING SYSTEM FOR TREX ELEVATIONS FRAMING

DESCRIPTION

The Cortex Driller Hidden Fastening System is the easiest way to hide screw heads on deck boards used on steel deck framing.

FEATURES

- Fastened in same way as traditional deck boards
- Featuring the TORX® ttap® Drive System
- Perfect color match
- No predrilling needed
- Guaranteed corrosion resistance. ACQ approved

PACKAGING QUANTITIES

100 lin ft (224 screws, 300 plugs, 2 setting tools)

LENGTH: 1 5/8" stainless steel



Cortex Driller SKU Selection Guide		
BOARD	COLOR	SKU
Trex Elevations®	Fire Pit	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSFP
	Gravel Path	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSGP
	Lava Rock	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSLR
	Rope Swing	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSRS
	Spiced Rum	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSSR
	Tree House	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSTH
	Vintage Lantern	FMCTXD-TX1LFTSVL
N/A	(No Plugs)	FMCTXD-1LFNP

Additional colors available, call for more information

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