



## ENERGY SAVINGS START WITH THE FRAMING™

You need solutions that help you meet codes easily while reducing costs and increasing profits.

Homeowners want lower energy costs, better indoor air quality and improved resale value.

Like all of Norbord's products, Durastrand pointSIX will help you meet all those objectives. With so many benefits for you and the homebuyer, the decision to make the change is an easy one.



THE APP THAT MAKES OSB AS EASY AS 1-2-3

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## A WELL-FRAMED APPROACH TO PROFITABLE ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Changing codes, growth in the economy and housing starts – how's a builder to profit from it all? Well, a bottom-up switch to Norbord is a sound first move.



Norbord understands how overwhelming the residential construction landscape is in the 21st century. That's why we've distilled all of that complexity down to one, simple idea, that can start saving you time and energy today:

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## A PREMIUM PRODUCT WITH REAL VALUE.



# DURASTRAND

*pointSIX* SUB-FLOORING

## PREMIUM PERFORMANCE THAT MEETS & EXCEEDS BUILDERS NEEDS.



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## WHAT IS DURASTRAND POINTSIX TECHNOLOGY?

Durastrand pointSIX is a patented tapered-edge technology that reduces edge swell. The name comes from research indicating a .6mm taper depth to be most effective in reducing edge swell. In lab tests and actual use in day to day construction environments Durastrand pointSIX reduced edge swell to 0.01 inches— about the thickness of a sheet of paper. This engineered sub-floor solution is designed to accommodate whatever wet stuff the weather serves up thanks to a patented tapered-edge technology that offsets the effects of moisture. The result: floors go down flat and stay that way. Small Taper – Huge Difference!

LOOK FOR THE PURPLE  
EDGE FOR PROJECTS  
THAT DEMAND THE  
“BEST OF THE BEST”.

## SMALL TAPER. HUGE DIFFERENCE.

Norbord's new Durastrand pointSIX Sub-Flooring features a patented tapered-edge technology designed to offset the effects of moisture. It takes its name from research indicating a .6mm taper depth to be most effective in reducing edge swell.



## THE PROOF: 14-DAY FLOOD TEST

Durastrand pointSIX has been extensively researched and tested in Norbord facilities. One rigorous test involved flooding Durastrand pointSIX floor panels with water for 14 days, simulating severe wet jobsite conditions. The result: After two weeks of flooding, Durastrand pointSIX Sub-Flooring dried out firm and flat, successfully containing edge swell to just 0.01 inches—not much more than a sheet of paper.

## THE DURASTRAND DIFFERENCE

Durastrand pointSIX Sub-Flooring, in addition to its tapered-edge technology, goes one step better when it comes to weathering any storm. That's thanks to its enhanced OSB recipe featuring a proprietary blend of resins and waxes that blocks moisture. For added dimensional strength, these resin-coated strands are layered along the panel length on both faces and cross-wise at the core, then bonded tightly together through an application of heat and pressure. Finally, Durastrand pointSIX Sub-Flooring panels are cut and profiled, and a specially formulated sealant is applied to each edge. Durastrand pointSIX Sub-Flooring is backed by a solid Limited Warranty, and 1 Year No-Sand Guarantee.

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