



What product or system can protect the value and longevity of your deck better than ROT-NOT?

DECK PROTECTION SYSTEM.

AS A HOMEOWNER OR DECK BUILDER, YOU MUST CONSIDER THE LONGEVITY OF YOUR DECK TO PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT, AS WELL AS YOUR REPUTATION AS A BUILDER.

For the longest time, decks were constructed using matured lumber (B), and treated with CCA (Chromate Copper Arsenate). Due to environmental issues with CCA, and the introduction of ACQ (Alkaline Copper Quat) lumber (A), new concerns have surfaced.

Market demands have also created genetically modified lumber, which promotes faster, larger growth. This quick-growth forest product loses fibre strength and density. The growth rings are spread further apart allowing more pulp-like material between the growth rings.

The replacement of CCA with ACQ has raised concerns regarding the accelerated rate of deterioration of the deck fasteners. With the chemical treatment changes and lumber supply throughout the wood industry, the overall performance of your deck has become vulnerable and unproven.

No other single product or system can protect the integrity and overall performance of your deck better than ROT-NOT® Joist Cap.

In most cases, ROT-NOT® DECK PROTECTION SYSTEM® will double the life expectancy of your deck. Chemical sealers designed to stop moisture penetration, do little to address the issues in critical wood-to-wood locations.

Using 100% reground rigid PVC plastic, the manufacturing process of ROT-NOT® DECK PROTECTION SYSTEM® is environmentally friendly.

Without a doubt, choosing ROT-NOT® DECK PROTECTION SYSTEM® will provide reassurance that your deck will remain protected year after year -- hence why we say...

Some things in life are simply...NO BRAINERS



LEDGER CAP

The largest formation of water, ice and snow can be found against the house

- Protects the entire joist hanger system and its fasteners, while eliminating excessive moisture due to debris collecting between the house and the ledger board

"Wood lasts almost forever if it's kept dry, and that's the premise behind a patented system of deck building accessories by ROT-NOT® Deck Protection System®. It's as simple as it is effective."

Steve Maxwell, Technical Editor
Canadian Home Workshop Magazine.

- The extended arm provides a shoulder, that once caulked, stops the water from reaching and settling against the house and gathering at the main deck anchors
- Increased volume of moisture at this location results in additional oxygen that has been proven to accelerate the deterioration of the fasteners and contribute to wood rot



"Changes in the preservative-treated wood industry since the beginning of 2004 have created concerns."

SOLPLAN REVIEW, the independent journal of energy conservation, building science & construction practice July 2005

"We now recommend ROT-NOT® Joist Cap to every customer. It's a small price to pay for rot protection."

Tom Jacques, President, Hickory Dickory Decks, Flamborough, ON

SINGLE JOIST CAP

Protects the most vulnerable locations of your new deck or re-decking construction

- The patented design ensures that the main joist system remains protected against moisture and foliage, which collects at the deck spacing causing rot

- Protects against water wicking where wood-to-wood contact is made
- While shedding water that may form on the joist caused by rain or snow, its patented design provides a channel allowing wood to breathe

- As fasteners (nails or screws) go through the planking, they penetrate through the joist cap. The memory of the PVC and the friction of the fastener's heat seals the plastic

- The entire DECK PROTECTION SYSTEM® is designed to eliminate water penetration therefore increasing the life expectancy and overall performance of your new deck project

