TANGENT HIGH **DENSITY SHEET** vs. DIMENSIONAL LUMBER



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Base Material Composition	HDPE with colorants and UV inhibitors	HDPE with colorants and UV inhibitors
Outdoor Performance	Color fastness 10+ years	Color fastness 10+ years
Durability when exposed to extreme climates, salt water or high moisture.	Excellent	Excellent
Surface Texture	Orange peel finish	Ranging from light texture to wood-like embossing available
Cut Edge, Texture of Edge	Glossy smooth & consistent	Smooth with matte finish
Material Technical Aspects	Non-foamed and annealed for high density and greater span capability	Dense with superior core structure
Material Offerings	Available in 4 colors Sheet is available up to 48" wide, 96" length, and 3/4" & 1" thickness	Available in limitless color options with over 150 profile sizes and unlimited lengths
Fabrication & Assembly in Shop	Easy to use, cut, drill and fabricate. Screw hold is excellent. Due to high density, may require more force to route and drill than dimensional lumber	Fabricates like traditional materials, with traditional methods - easy to cut, drill and fabricate
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