

# StediTred® stair tread panels

## —the builders' choice

More and more builders and manufacturers are choosing *AinsworthEngineered®* StediTred stair tread panels to construct high-quality stair systems for residential and commercial buildings.



Compared to particle board or solid-sawn lumber, StediTred offers...

- Greater spanning capability than particle board
  - suitable for spans up to 45" in closed-riser stair-system assemblies
- Lighter and stronger
- More dimensional stability than solid-sawn lumber
  - consistently flat and straight
  - fewer call-backs due to squeaks

And that's not all...

- No requirement for temporary stairs
  - APA exposure 1
  - will withstand temporary weather delays
- Multiple lengths & widths available to maximize yield
- Bull-nosed or square-edged
- Meets or exceeds building code requirements, APA Series N-121 stair tread requirements, and PS 2-92 product standards

Whether you site build and cut your own treads, or order systems pre-assembled, make sure you specify *AinsworthEngineered* StediTred.



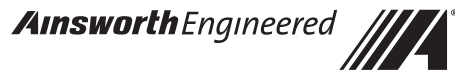
StediTred won't crack and splinter like other stair tread panels



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## ADVANTAGES – “AINSWORTH” OSB TREADS

- Lengths – 16’, 12’, and 8’ (or 4’ multiples)
- Holtec Cut to Length available – Custom Lengths Available
- Wide Range of Stock Widths – 10 1/8” through 12 1/4” – Standard Stock Dimensions
- Uniform Thickness and Widths
- 100% Usable Material – no Waste
- Engineered to provide greater span capabilities
- Dimensionally Stable. SteadiTred is stranded, coated with resin, and pressed under high heat and pressure to produce the product. Because there are no large pieces of wood in it (i.e. solid lumber), any tendency for individual strands to affect product performance and dimensions, once acclimated, is reduced to near zero.
- Some of the most important factors when determining an ideal solution for a stair system center on a combination of call-backs and system yield. Many non-engineered wood products have a tendency toward “movement in service”; meaning it will accept or release moisture to equalize with ambient conditions in a home, resulting in a greater tendency for the product to warp, twist, or pop nails. The net effect of this can be squeaky stairs and call-backs. Engineered Treads, Risers, and Stringers eliminate these issues.
- “One Company” Benefits for PT Stair Components – Stringers, Treads, Risers
- Backed by one manufacturer
- Clear accountability
- Product Availability