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DCSM Recommendations for Standing Seam

DCSM recommends using striated panels on either double or the multi striated panel when using 26 gauge to minimize oil canning, Although oil canning is a cosmetic issue and not a cause for rejection, it has no effect on the integrity of the roof system. However, it is our recommendation to use the striation style panel with 26 gauge Standing Seam.

Also, as we all know when doing a re-roof replacement, mostly the older homes were built using ½” plywood decking. We also recommend using a heavier 24 gauge over ½” plywood decking although not mandatory but a recommendation to minimize oil canning.

The NL-1500 is a nail leg panel that requires no clips, it is made with a nail flange on the male side of the panel and is fastened directly to the structure, not allowing expansion and or movement where as the VS-150 which is a clip system is fastened with the clip fastened to the structure and the panel interlocked to the clip allowing thermal movement and expansion at the seam. It is DCSM’s recommendation on longer panel runs approx 16 ft or greater use the clip system for the expansion is necessary.

Did you know or have you seen our new ridge vent designed for metal roof systems? It is available in 5-V Crimp and Standing Seam. If not please contact our office for more detail and/or product literature. Ask about our tile ridge vent coming soon, with and without a zinc strip on both sides, designed for venting the attic space and cleaning the tile roof.

If you have any question regarding any of our products please don’t hesitate to call our office and speak to any of our representatives. All of us at DCSM appreciate your business and are happy to serve your metal products needs.