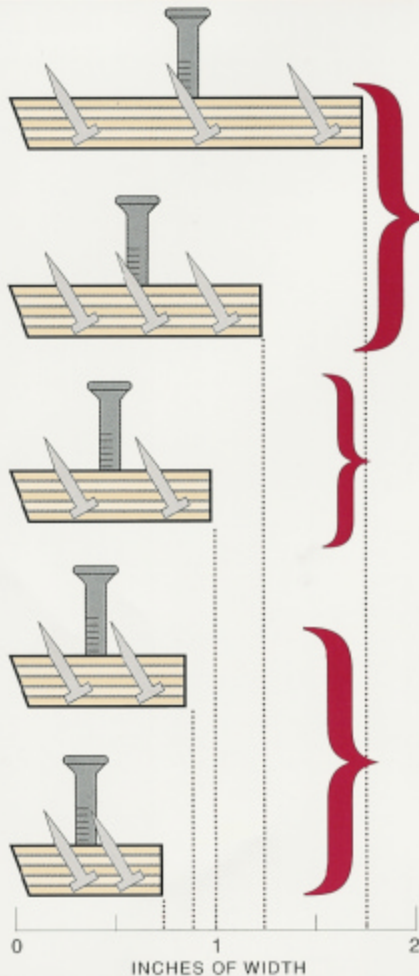


# HALEX

## CARPET STRIP TECHNICAL BULLETIN

### CARPET STRIP IS SUPPLIED IN SEVERAL WIDTHS



COMMERCIAL,  
ARCHITECTURAL,  
OR TRI-TACK

CRI-104 and CRI-105 recommend the use of commercial strip for areas over 30 ft long.

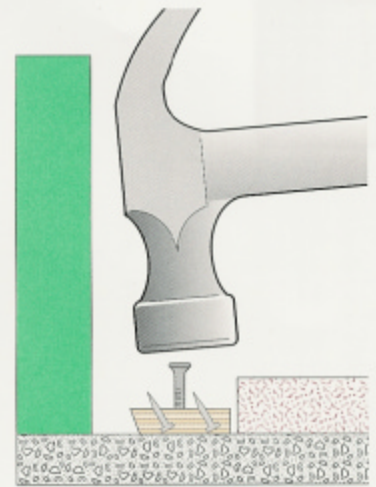
ONE INCH  
OR  
EXTRA WIDE  
WIDTH

CRI recommends the use of one inch wide strip for all materials less than 30 ft long.

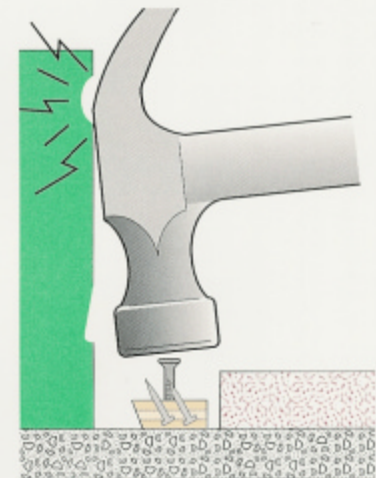
REGULAR  
WIDTHS

Regular widths of strip are less than one inch wide and are satisfactorily used in most installations. Regular strip widths do vary and the narrower widths cause additional problems for the installer.

### PROBLEM #1



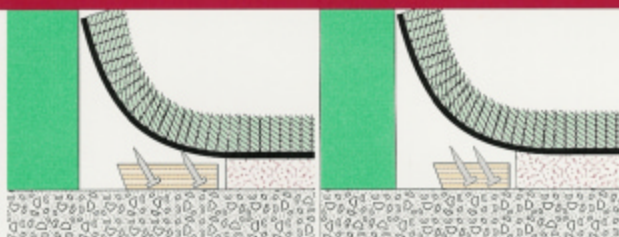
EXTRA WIDE (ONE INCH)



REGULAR WIDTH

The anchoring nails are closer to the wall in narrower strip and can cause more missed hits and increased baseboard damage.

### PROBLEM #2



EXTRA WIDE (ONE INCH)

REGULAR WIDTH

The pins are closer to the wall in narrower strip, making hooking more difficult, especially with stiff backed carpet or over a thick cushion.

### PROBLEM #3



TRI-TACK

DOUBLE STRIPPING WITH REGULAR WIDTH

Narrower widths of strip are not as strong as wider ones, causing a greater risk of broken strips and an increased need for double stripping.