Expansion Joint Systems

**Strip-Sealer™ Tool**

**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

The D.S. Brown Strip-Sealer™ is a hand-held pneumatic strip seal installation tool designed to aid users in installing D.S. Brown strip seal with L2 and A2R lugs. The Strip-Sealer™ tool must be cleaned and oiled daily. It is best to clean excess lubricant adhesive from the installation tip and tool body immediately after every use. Read the entire owner’s manual and all manufacturer’s instructions before beginning installation.

**INSTALLATION**

It is important to closely follow these instructions when installing strip seal:

1. Lay the strip seal alongside the joint with the side marked “TOP” facing up.

2. Liberally apply lubricant-adhesive to the side and lower recess of both rails.

3. Place the strip seal in the joint so the bottom of each lug is in contact with the lower recess of each rail. Determine from which side installation will be started. Always work in one direction. Always install miters first and work out from the miter towards upturns, decks, and sidewalk areas.

4. Liberally apply lubricant-adhesive to the top lug of seal in the upturn on the starting side. Start at the end of the joint and work down onto the deck.

5. Begin seal installation by hand for the first few inches, then use the Strip-Sealer™ tool to install the seal down into the deck.

6. Position the Strip-Sealer™ tool against the seal in the joint as shown here. Press the installation tip against the seal, actuate the tool, and run the tool along the length of the seal.

7. The second side of the strip seal must be installed in the same direction as the first to avoid creating a skew in the seal. Use the Strip-Sealer™ tool to perform installation. Repeat steps 5 - 7 for the remaining side.