

## TECHNICAL BULLETIN

## **Proper Use of SaberDrive Platinum® Truss Screw Installation Angle Guide**

SaberDrive Platinum® Truss Screws, when used to fasten a truss or rafter located directly over a stud, are installed at an upward angle from the vertical of 20° to 30° (22.5° is optimal)¹. A molded plastic angle guide is provided to assist the user in achieving the optimal installation angle. This bulletin details proper use of the angle guide



Figure 1. Angle guide placement relative to stud, top plate, and truss/rafter



Figure 2. Placement of 6" truss screw in angle guide to ensure proper installation angle

## **Installation Notes**

- 1. If desired, the angle guide may be fastened to the top plate through the provided hole to ensure it does not move during truss screw installation.
- 2. For best results, remove the angle guide after the truss screw has been driven approximately 2 in., and before the truss screw is fully driven.

