

Hardwood Warranty

**EACH SHAW HOME FOUNDATIONS
HARDWOOD FLOORING LIMITED
WARRANTY IS SUBJECT TO THE
FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:**

This limited warranty is valid only in North America. The warranty is not transferable. It extends only to the original retail consumer. This limited warranty applies only where the affected area of the Shaw Home Foundations Hardwood Flooring is visible and covers an area greater than 10% of the room. The flooring must be installed in accordance with Shaw Home Foundations Flooring recommended Versa-Lock™ Hardwood installation instructions using Shaw Installation materials. This limited warranty shall not apply to damage arising from any of the following:

- Indentation, scratches or damage caused by negligence, water moisture, insects, animals, and high heeled or spiked shoes.
- Failure to follow manufacturers written installation instructions including protecting the floor from subfloor moisture and radiant floor heating usage.
- Excessive or inadequate humidity in the area. Relative humidity in the area of use must be within a normal range of 35%-65%. Improper or insufficient protection, care and maintenance, accidents, abuse or misuse.
- Warranty will be made void if unusual man-made or natural disasters including leaking or broken plumbing, fire, flood, earthquake, or standing water occur during or after installation.
- Improper alteration of original manufactured product.
- Alterations or repairs to the manufacturers original product will void any and all warranties.
- Changes in color due to full or partial exposure to sunlight and weather Merbau, Pine, Cherry and Brazilian Cherry may darken due to light exposure. This is a natural occurrence and is not covered by this warranty.
- Failure due to structural changes in the subfloor, settling of the building or uneven subfloor that has not been adequately leveled.
- This warranty does not cover removal or replacement of cabinets, appliances, furniture or other fixtures.
- **Gloss reduction is not considered wear.**

- Freight

Please Note:

Shaw industries, Inc. does not grant to any person or entity the authority to create for it any obligation or liability in connection with Shaw Home Foundations Versa-Lock Hardwood Flooring. Shaw Industries, Inc. shall not be liable to the consumer or any other person for any incidental, special or consequential damages arising out of breach of this limited warranty or any implied limited warranty (excluding merchantability). Some states do not allow the excluding of limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to the purchaser. This warranty gives the customer specific legal rights, such rights may vary from state to state.