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# **PRODUCT GUIDE**

The thermal lightweight replacement roof tile

# LIGHT WEIGHT ROOF TILE

The faster to fit large coverage slate effect thermal roof tile

Just 5 sheets per m<sup>2</sup> @ 14-25 degrees pitch - 4 sheets per m<sup>2</sup> @ 25+ degrees pitch (30% less than leading brand)

8.5kg per  $m^2$  (32% less than leading brand)

#### 20 year guarantee

0.17 Thermal U Value

Uv, Deluge Wind and Rain, BS 476 Part 3 Fire Tests all passed

Manufactured to ISO 9001

Available in Grey, Brown & Terracotta plus any other colour is available upon request

No need for a starter row due to innovative patented drain channel saving approx. 20 leading brand tiles on 6m run



# PRODUCT INFORMATION

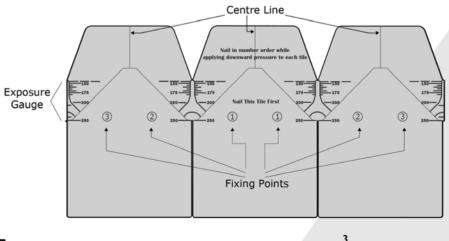
#### **Tools Required:**

No special tools required for the installation of the tiles. Tiles should be applied to the roof using two galvanised stainless - Fastened with either screws or nails, using power drill, steel or copper fasteners (nail or screw) with a minimum of a 10mm diameter head and ranging between 20mm and 30mm in hammer or neumatic nail gun - Circular Saw or Hand Saw length. Screwing is recommended to a torque of 10 using a flat head self drilling screw.

- Tape Measure

#### **Product Description**

Speedy Tile is manufactured from a recyclable blend polypropylene and fire resistant and UV additives. The product designed to be an efficient and economical lightweight alternative to emulate the classic slate roof tile.





#### **Fastener Recommendations**

#### **Measurements**

Total Width	-	1000mm
Individual Tile Width	-	330mm
Height	-	500mm
Tile Depth	-	5mm
Weight	-	I.5kg

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Speedy Tile is 100% recyclable, although not

local recycler should be contacted to make

the necessary arrangements.

Recycling

#### Storage

Perform work when existing and forecasted weather permits. Store the tiles on the original pallets on a flat surface. Ensure proper storage of the product at marked with a recycling symbol therefore a the site of the job. Storing during cold weather, the tiles should be conditioned at a temperature no lower than  $7^{\circ}C$  for 24hours before installation.

#### **Product Ratings and Certifications**

Warranty: 20 Years Manufactured to ISO 9001 standards Weather and Fire tested by BRE



Fire Classification: Tested to BS 476 part 3 "external fire exposure to roofs" and achieved a rating of EXT.S.AC The tiles were weather tested at roof pitches of 25°, 22.5° and 15°. The tests were carried out using a monopitch roof test rig according to the procedures in CEN standard FprEN 15601.

Two sets of test conditons used:

Sub Test B - High rainfall with high wind speed Sub Test D - Deluge - Simulating maximum rainfall with no wind These test conditions represent typical worse case conditions expected in Northern Europe during a 50year return period The Speedy Tile's performance was compared with natural slate, fibre cement and flat tiles tested at the same pitch to which the test results were twice as good as the other materials.

Heat tested by Exova - Taken from  $-10^{\circ}$ C up to  $30^{\circ}$ C over a six hour period to simulate direct sunlight on a roof over a day, then reverse tested back down to -10°C. After temperature profile complete, the tiles were returned to 23°C for 15 hours. Over the course of testing, there was no detrimental warping, bowing or distortion seen from ambient condition and no visual permenant derformation had occured to the tiles in comparison to their prior testing condition.

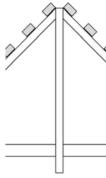
No Ultra Violet Exposure - Minimal fading with no evidence of cracking, chalking, flaking, blistering or other deteriation other than the slight colour and gloss change

# INSTALLATION

The starter course does not require double tiling with Speedy Tiles all the way along the base. Instead drain channels will need to be attached to cover fill the space in between the tiles and allow water to run into the gutter. Only double tile the very end of the course if the drain channel is unable to properly connect to the the internal V of the tiles. Tile Clips are a recommended addition to the roof to remove any chance of lift in strong winds. See the next page for fitting instructions.

#### Felt and Batten Roof

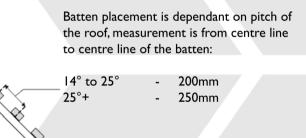
There is not much difference in the Speedy Tile to standard slate tiles apart from the weight of our product and it is more ergonomical.



#### **Roof Pitch, Gauge and Coverage**

Roof Pitch (Fully Boarded or Felt & Battens) 14 to 25 degrees 25+ degrees

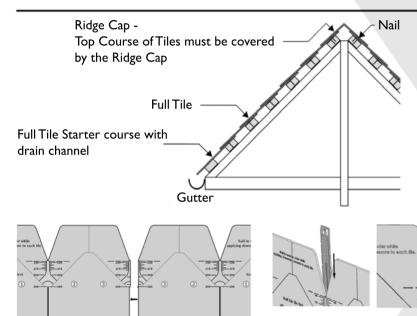




Tiles oversail the battens

Gauge	Slates per M <sup>2</sup>	
200mm	15	
250mm	12	

## INSTALLATION



The Speedy Tile sits flush, lined up with the exposure gauges on each product. The exposure gauges are measurement marks

to help with the alignment of the tiles.

SPEEDY TILE

The first batten is positioned at the base of the roof for supporting the tiles. No tiles will be attached to this batten. The distance between each course batten should be establisted by the roof pitch. The position of the top battens should then be established to ensure the top course of tiles will be covered by the ridge cap.

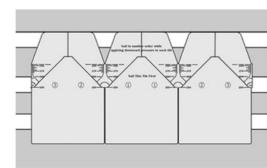
The starter course should oversail the fascia by atleast 40mm

> The Drain Channel is attached by sliding down the back of the of the Speedy Tile and clipping in the V that identifies the individual tiles within the product.

## **STARTER COURSE**



When laying the Speedy Tile, start in the middle of the roof and work outwards. Work from one side across if the roof facet has a verge at one end and a ridge at the other end. Working from the bottom on the starter course then build upwards



tiles, start by fastening points 1, then fixing in place with the recommended screws and screwdriver to a Torgue of 10

The Tile Clip is used for roofs in coastal

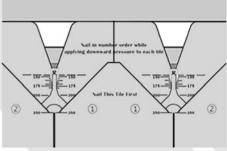
as an added secure feature. The bottom

adjacent tiles with the top half hooking

half of the clip slides in between two

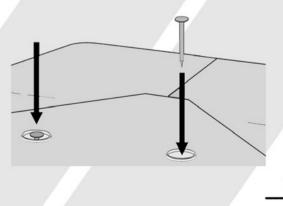
areas or places that recieve strong winds





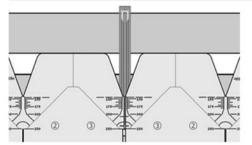
Attach the Drain Channels to the internal V's of all the Speedy Tiles that will be on the starter course before fixing the product to the roof structure

On the starter course of the Speedy Tile in fixing points 2. Secure the tile



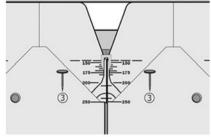
### **Starter Course**

# SPEEDY TILE

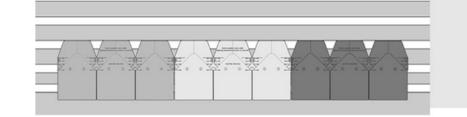


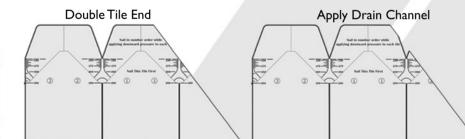
Attach the Drain Channel to the adjoining tiles, making sure it is clipped in and flush with both parts

Once the Drain Channel is connected to the Speedy Tiles, fasten down fixing points 3 to the roof



Next line up the Speedy Tiles adjacent to the already fixed tile and attach to the roof in fixing points 1, and then fixing points 2 on the Speedy Tile





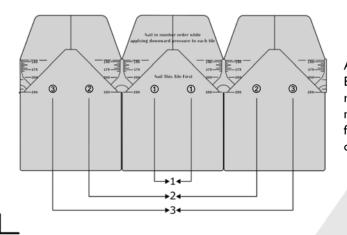
Double tile, the end slate of the starter course if a drain channel cannot be properly connected to the tiles between the V

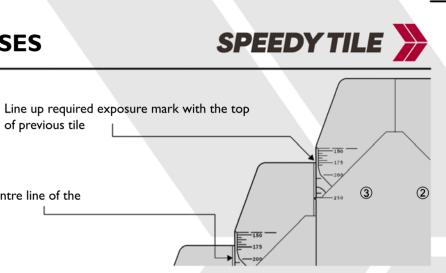
## **ADDITIONAL COURSES**

The exposure gauge determines how much of the previous tile can is visible

of previous tile

Edge of the tile aligns with centre line of the previous tile

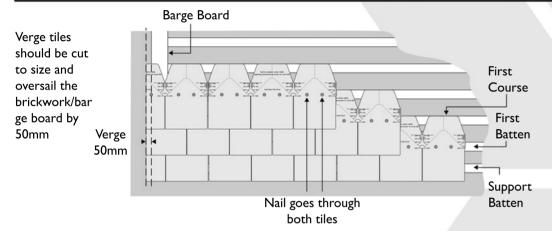




After the starter course has been laid and fixed down. Each of the Speedy Tiles should be attached to the roof one at a time, one course at a time, fastened in numerical order starting at fixing point 1, then 2 and finishing at fixing point 3. Apply pressure to the inside of each fixing point when securing to the roof.

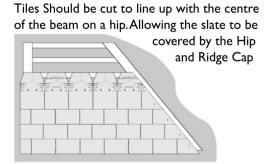
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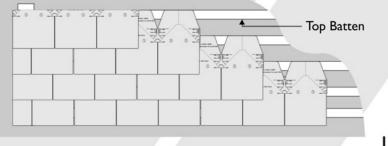




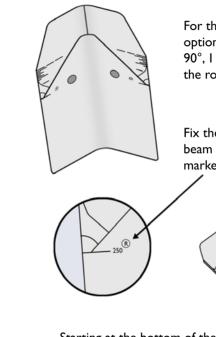
Edge tiles that require cutting should be lined up, measured and marked to the roof before hand (do not fix down though). Cut with a circular or hand saw then fix the Speedy Tile in numerical order. If a fixing point is not visibile on the indivdual tile, still fasten to roof in an appropriate point on the tile

#### Top Course should be cut to line flush with the top batten





## **Ridge Tile and End Cap**



For the ridge, there are 3 tile options available for purchase: 90°, 110°, 120° depending on the roof requirements

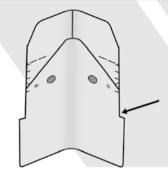
Fix the ridge tile to the support beam on the roof at the points 'R' marked on the tile

> If there is lift at the base of the ridge tiles, panel pins or a silicone adhesive are recommended to secure the ridge tiles

Starting at the bottom of the ridge fix the tiles working upwards and lay on top of each other as you go, ensuring all gaps underneath are covered by tiles

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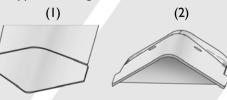


Cut the minimum amount required from the edge of the tile at the roofing gauge up to the top of the tile to give a cleaner finish of the ridge

For capping the ridge tiles, there are two options.

Option I, cutting the base tile to match the shape of the roof.

Option 2, purchase the Speedy Tile capped end ridge tile





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