

VERSI TRADITIONAL ROOF TILES

When you receive your Versi Tiles you will see that they have a different finish on either side, a dirty red finish on one side and a weathered finish with lichen on the other. Lay them out before you begin and decide which side you wish to use. The tiles are cut from card and coated using layered real brick dust to give a realistic finish. Looking at a real roof before you start can help you to see exactly what you are aiming at.

To start you will need to glue a thin 5mm x 1mm strip of card right across the lower edge of your roof. This will allow your first row of tiles to lay at the correct angle for the following rows. It may be useful to draw pencil lines across the roof, above the first row, approximately every 10mm, giving you a guideline to help you keep your rows straight. When laying your tiles you will need to allow each row of tiles to overlap by just over half the length. For example if your tile measures 21mm long you will need to allow about 10mm between each row.

Glue your Versi Tiles into position one row at a time, with the longest length going vertically up the roof. We recommend you use our PVA Adhesive for this, making sure that the glue is in the right position for the tile to stick to the roof and also to the previous row of tiles. Start the first row with a full tile, the second row with a tile & a half or if you haven't bought these cut one of your tiles in half along the longest length using scissors or craft knife.

Start the third row with a full tile again & so on. When you have glued on all your tiles up to the top of the roof you can finish with ridge tiles, these need to be lightly scored with a craft knife across the centre of the ridge on the underside before folding in half. Then glued into position with our PVA Adhesive.

Real lead is available for hips, valleys, flashing, decorative edging, ridging & flat roofs.

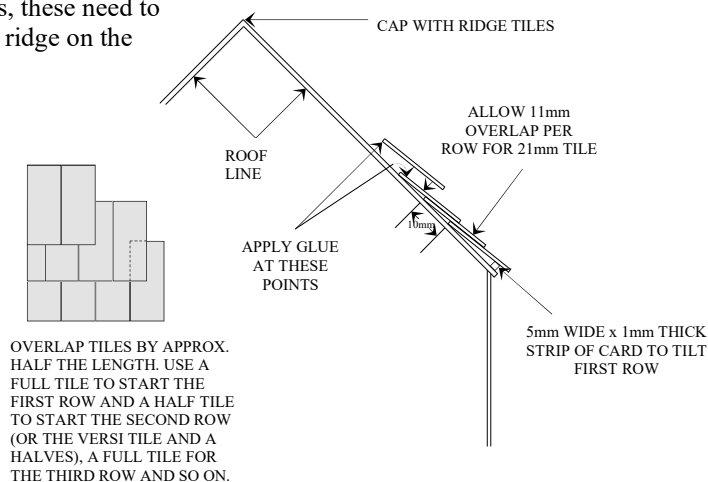
Brand new to our Versi Range we also now have Versi Lead Flashing Kits, ideal for Flat Roofs.

I hope these few tips will assist you. However, if you have any problems please do not hesitate to contact us.

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VERSI SLATES

When you receive your Versi Slates you will see that they have a different finish on either side, One side is a darker Slate & the other side a lighter Slate. Lay them out before you begin and decide which side you wish to use. The tiles are cut from bonded card and coated to give a realistic finish. Looking at a real roof before you start can help you to see exactly what you are aiming at.

To start you will need to glue a thin 5mm x 1mm strip of card across the lower edge of your roof. This will allow your first row of tiles to lay at the correct angle for the following rows. It may be useful to draw pencil lines across the roof above the first row, approx every 20mm, giving you a guideline to help you keep your rows straight. When laying your tiles you will need to allow each row of tiles to overlap by half the length. For example if your tile measures 40mm long you will need to allow about 20mm between each row.

Glue your Versi Slates into position one row at a time, with the longest length going vertically up the roof. We recommend you use Uhu for this, making sure that the glue is in the right position for the tile to stick to the roof and also to the previous row of tiles (if you decide to use a water-based glue such as Pva or Tacky glue instead of UHU you will find that they curl slightly before they dry, so you will need to lay a weight on top overnight once you have finished a section, to flatten them). Start the first row with a full tile, the second row with a Slate & a Half Tile, or if you haven't bought these cut one of your tiles in half along the longest length using scissors or a craft knife.

Start the third row with a full tile again & so on.

When you have glued on all your tiles up to the top of the roof you can finish with ridge tiles, these need to be lightly scored with a craft knife across the centre of the ridge on the underside before folding in half. Then glue into position with Uhu.

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