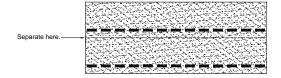


Technical Data Sheet

SwiftStart® Starter Shingles

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

SwiftStart[®] combines durability, flexibility and sealant adhesive for better resistance to potential blow-off and uplift. Its overall size of 15-1/4" x 38-3/4" yields two 7-5/8" x 38-3/4" starter pieces per shingle. Availability depends on sales region.



Limitations: Use as a starter course on shingle roofs with slopes greater than 2" per foot and having an exposure of ≤ 5-5/8". Apply SwiftStart in accordance with local building code requirements and following good roofing practice. Low slope application (2" - 4" per foot) requires additional underlayment. In areas where icing along eaves can cause a backup of water, apply CertainTeed WinterGuard® Waterproofing Shingle Underlayment, or its equivalent, to the deck according to application instructions provided with the product and on shingle package.

Composition and Materials: SwiftStart shingles are composed of a fiber glass mat base. Ceramic coated mineral granules are tightly embedded in specially refined, water-resistant asphalt. It is a two-piece shingle that must be separated into individual pieces, each 7-5/8" x 38-3/4", by folding along the perforated lines.

Applicable Standards:

ASTM D3462 ASTM D3018 Type I ICC-ES ESR-1389 and ESR-3537 Miami-Dade County Product Control Approved Meets TDI Windstorm Requirements ASTM D3161 Class F Wind Resistance ASTM E108 Class A Fire Resistance UL 790 Class A Fire Resistance Florida Product Approval #FL5444

TECHNICAL DATA

Weight/Bundle (approx.): 62 lb

Dimensions (overall): 15-1/4" x 38-3/4"
Separates into individual pieces: 7-5/8" x 38-3/4"
Coverage/bundle: 116-1/4 lin. ft

INSTALLATION

Each bundle of SwiftStart shingles has detailed installation instructions including diagrams and must be followed.

MAINTENANCE

These shingles do not require maintenance when installed according to manufacturer's application instructions. However, to protect the investment, any roof should be routinely inspected at least once a year. Older roofs should be looked at more frequently.

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WARRANTY

SwiftStart starter shingles have a limited warranty against manufacturing defects concurrent with the warranty of the field shingle with which it is installed. See CertainTeed's Asphalt Shingle Products Limited Warranty for specific details.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

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