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SINTEF confirms that

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium

has been found to be fit for use in Norway and to meet the provisions regarding product documentation given in the regulation relating to the marketing of products for construction works (DOK) and regulations on technical requirements for building works (TEK), with the properties, fields of application and conditions for use as stated in this document

1. Holder of the approval

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2. Product description

Material

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium are flat pieces of reinforced bitumen material installed with overlap for roof waterproofing. Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium have a reinforcement of non-woven glass felt coated with special bitumen on both sides. The lower part of the underside is covered with fine sand, while the upper part is coated with a plastic film. This film assures easy removal from the packaging without damaging the shingles and prevents the shingles from sticking to the wooden sheathing. Measures and tolerances are stated in table 1.

Table 1
Measures and tolerances for
Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium

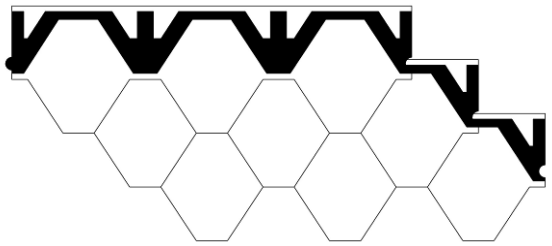
Property	Measure	Unit	Tolerance
Thickness [1]	3.0 [4] / 3.2 [5]	mm	-
Area weight [1]	4.1 [4] / 4.5 [5]	kg/m²	± 0.3
Height [2] [3]	317 / 333 / 341 /275	mm	± 3.0
Width [2]|	1000	mm	± 3.0
Weight of reinforcement	110-135	g/m²	-

[1] according to EN 1849-1
[2] according to EN 544
[3] height for the different types of shingles given in the following order: Skrå / Kuttet, Rett, Swing / Tyri / Karat
[4] Isola Roofing Shingle
[5] Isola Roofing Shingle Premium

Isola Roofing Shingle

The upper side is covered with slate granules and has areas with bitumen adhesive for bonding and sealing of overlapping tabs, see fig. 2. Isola Roofing Shingles are available in six different types as shown in fig. 1a and 1b, with slate granules of various colours.

Skrå



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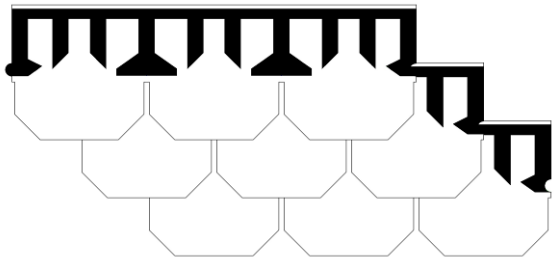

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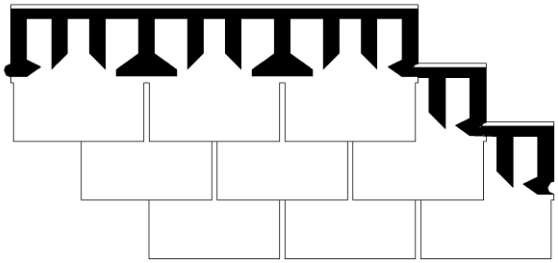


Fig. 1a
Types of Isola Roofing Shingles. Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is delivered in type "Skrå" and "Karat".

Isola Roofing Shingle Premium

The upper side is covered with mineral granules in colour crystal black. The roofing shingle has a slightly stronger fiberglass reinforcement than the traditional Isola Roofing Shingle. Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is delivered in type "Skrå" and "Karat".

Accessories

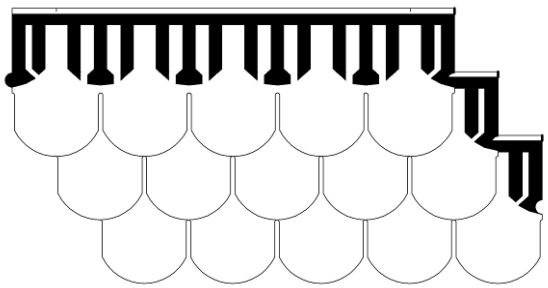
Eaves and ridge plates are available in the same material as the shingle.

Table 2
Product characteristics for fresh material of Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium according to test methods described in EN 544

Property	Test method EN	Roofing Shingle		Roofing Shingle Premium		SINTEFs recommended minimum performance [3]	Unit
		DoP [1]	Control limit [2]	DoP [1]	Control limit [2]		
Mass of bitumen	544	≥ 1300	≥ 1300	≥ 1300	≥ 1300	1300	g/m²
Flow resistance, at +90 °C	1110 / 544	≤ 2	≤ 2	≤ 2	≤ 2	≤ 2	mm
Adhesion of granules	12039 / 544	≤ 1.2	≤ 1.2	≤ 1.5	≤ 1.5	≤ 2.5	g
Resistance to tearing (nail shank) - Transversal direction [9]	12310-1 / 544	120 ± 20	≥ 100	130 ± 20	≥ 110	100	N
Tensile strength - Longitudinal direction [10] - Transversal direction [9]	12311-1 / 544	890 ± 200 690 ± 200	≥ 690 ≥ 490	1000 ± 200 690 ± 200	≥ 800 ≥ 490	600 400	N/50 mm
Water absorption	544	≤ 1	≤ 1	≤ 1	≤ 1 [8]	≤ 2	%
Resistance to UV radiation	1297 /544	Passed	No cracks [8]	Passed	No cracks [8]	No cracks	-
Tightness against driving rain	NT Build 421 [4]	-	350 [6] [8]	-	250 [7] [8]	150 [5]	Pa

[1] The manufacturers Declaration of performance, DoP.
[2] Control limits show values that the product has to satisfy during internal factory production control and audit testing.
[3] SINTEF's recommended minimum performance in SINTEF Technical Approval for roofing shingle
[4] Nordtest Method NT Build 421 Roofs; Watertightness Under Pulsating Air Pressure
[5] Tight against driving rain at wind pressure differences up to 150 Pa
[6] Tested at roof pitch 15 °
[7] Tested at roof pitch 17,5 °
[8] Result from typetesting
[9] Transversal direction = Direction of the shingle's height
[10] Longituinal direction = Direction of the shingle's width

Swing



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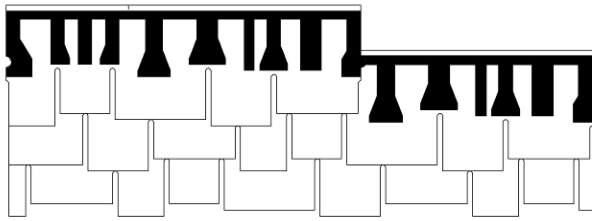

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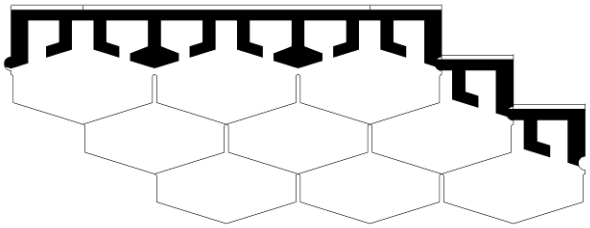

Fig. 1b
Types of Isola Roofing Shingles. Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is delivered in type "Skrå" and "Karat".

3. Fields of application

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is used as roof covering on pitched roofs with a minimum slope of 15°, see clause 6 for special conditions for use and installation. Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium can be installed on load bearing roof sheathing of timber boards, OSB or plywood boards. The roof sheathing must always be ventilated underneath.

4. Properties

Product properties

Product characteristics for fresh material are shown in table 2.

Properties related to fire

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium fulfil the requirements of class B_{ROOF} (t2) according to EN 13501-5 regarding external fire performance on wood particle board and on old roofing shingle on wood particle board.

Additionally, for use in other countries than Norway, Isola Roofing Shingle also satisfies fire classification B_{ROOF} (t1) and (t3) according to EN 13501-5 on all continuous wood-based substrates and on non-combustible underlays with gaps not exceeding 5 mm.

The tests have been performed according to CEN/TS 1187, test1, 2 and 3.

Isola Roofing Shingle also satisfies fire classification E according to EN 13501-1. The test has been performed according to EN ISO 11925-2:2002.

Rain tightness
Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium, without bituminous roofing underlay, has been tested for tightness against driving rain according to the method NT Build 421 *Watertightness under pulsating air pressure*.

Results from the testing of Isola Roofing Shingle, at roof pitch 15 °, show that the roofing is rainproof at wind pressure differences up to 350 Pa, when installed according to the manufacturer's installation manual.

Results from the testing of Isola Roofing Shingle Premium, at roof pitch 17.5 °, show that the roofing is rainproof at wind pressure differences up to 250 Pa, when installed according to the manufacturer's installation manual.

5. Environmental aspects

Substances hazardous to health and environment
Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium contain no hazardous substances with priority in quantities that pose any increased risk for human health and environment. Chemicals with priority include CMR, PBT or vPvB substances.

Effect on soil, surface water and ground water
The leaching properties of Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium are evaluated to have no negative effects on soil or water.

Waste treatment/recycling
The products shall be sorted as residual waste. The products shall be delivered to an authorized waste treatment plant for energy recycling.

Environmental declaration
No environmental declaration (EPD) has been worked out for Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium.

6. Special conditions for use and installation

Roof structure
The roofing shingles must only be installed on ventilated, cold roofs, with a minimum pitch of 15°. The ventilation of the roof surface and the thermal insulation of the roof construction must be sufficient to prevent snow melting and water pounding. Pitched roofs with thermal insulation along the plane of the roof must have ventilation openings at the ridge. Large roofs and roofs with valleys, dormers etc. must have cross ventilation.

The load bearing roof sheathing shall be in accordance with SINTEF Building Research Design Guide no. 525.861 *Taktro av tre*.

The roof structure shall generally be in accordance with the principles shown in SINTEF Building Research Design Guide no. 525.101 *Skrå, luftede tretak med isolerte takflater*, 525.106 *Skrå tretak med kaldt loft* and 525.107 *Skrå tretak med oppholdsrom på deler av loftet*.

Installation
Before installation the surface must be clean, levelled and smooth.

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium shall be mechanically fastened to the roof sheathing with hot galvanized roofing nails with sufficient length to break through the wooden sheathing and as shown in Isola's installation instructions. The nail shall be driven with the head flush with the shingle surface, and not cutting into the shingle material. For positioning of nails, see fig. 2.

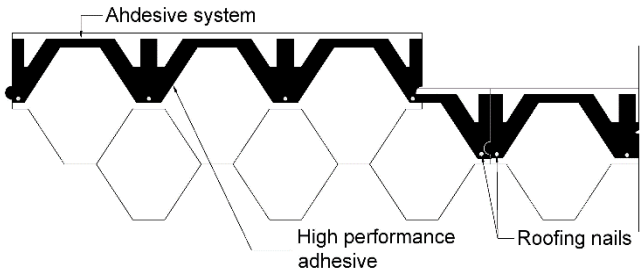

Fig. 2
Adhesive system and principle of installation for Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium shall not be fastened with cramps.

To achieve good adhesion between the shingle plates it is important that the adhesive areas are dry, and that the tabs are pressed down properly. At temperatures below +5°C the adhesive areas should be preheated before sticking the shingles together. When installing Isola Takfot (eave) and Møneplate (ridge plate), the foil on these must be torn off.

The roofing shingles shall in general be installed in accordance with Isola's installation instructions and the principles shown in SINTEF Building Research Design Guide no. 544.204 *Tekking med asfalttakbelegg eller takfolie. Detaljløsninger* and 544.105 *Tekking med asfalttakshingel*.

Installation on top of old roofing shingle
For installation of new shingle on top of old shingle longer roofing nails must be used. Installation of new shingle on top of old shingle can give reduced protection against leakages. To avoid pockets in the roofing this should only be done with a new shingle that matches the old shingle perfectly. Minimum roof pitch for installing new shingle on top of old shingle is 19 °.

Substrate
When a fire classification is required, the substrate must be in accordance with the provisions stated in clause 4 regarding *Properties related to fire*.

Use of vapour tight roofing underlay
Vapour tight, bituminous roofing underlay, with a reinforcement of glass felt or polyester and with antifriction layer and overlap edge (preferably self-adhesive; for instance, Isola Isokraft Xtreme), shall always be used beneath the shingle

- for roof pitches 15 ° to 18 °
- for shingle type Karat
- in places exposed to harsh climate, regardless of roof pitch
- in areas with large amounts of snow and an obvious risk for ice formation at eaves and valley gutters

Roofing underlay should also be used on heated homes in areas with large annual snowfall.

Roofing shingles installed without a roofing underlay has a higher risk of water leakages. Therefore, SINTEF generally recommends the use of roofing underlay beneath roofing shingles. However, experience has shown that roofs with a pitch greater than 18° in areas less exposed to wind, rain and snow can function satisfactorily without the use of a roofing underlay. However, roofing underlays should always be used on the lower part of the roof surface (0.5 - 2 m) where the risk of snow melt is at the greatest.

Traffic on the roof
Special precautionary measures should be taken to protect the roofing membrane if the roof is expected to have more traffic than necessary for inspection and maintenance purposes only.

Storage
The packages of shingle must be stored flat on a pallet, in a cool place, and not exposed to direct sunshine.

7. Factory production control

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is produced by Isola as, 3945 Porsgrunn, Norway.

The holder of the approval is responsible for the factory production control in order to ensure that Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is produced in accordance with the preconditions applying to this approval.

The manufacturing of Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is subject to continuous surveillance of the factory production control in accordance with the contract regarding SINTEF Technical Approval.

Isola as has a quality management system certified according to EN ISO 9001.

8. Basis for the approval

The evaluation of Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is based on reports owned by the holder of the approval.

The evaluation of design and technical solutions are based on recommendations given in SINTEF Building Research Design Guides.

9. Marking

All packages are marked with the manufacturer's name, product description and time of production.

Isola Roofing Shingle and Isola Roofing Shingle Premium is CE-marked in accordance with EN 544.

The approval mark for SINTEF Technical Approval; TG 2253, may also be used.

10. Liability

The holder/manufacturer has sole product responsibility according to existing law. Claims resulting from the use of the product cannot be brought against SINTEF beyond the provisions of Norwegian Standard NS 8402

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