

Harvey Thatch

Product Brochure





Love the charm. Not the maintenance.

Nothing matches the bush feel of thatch. It creates a warm atmosphere and is loved for giving a sense of character inside and outside the home, but ongoing maintenance, re-thatching, fire and lightning risk reduces the charm of natural thatch.

Harvey Thatch solves all these natural thatch roof problems by retaining the African look you love without the inherent drawbacks. Whether it's a new roof or re-roof, Harvey Thatch is installed over a layer of natural thatch so you still enjoy the charm and insulation properties within your home. As a durable, flexible light weight steel tile, Harvey Thatch provides excellent functional benefits.

Natural Thatch

Know your options and the implications before you begin. Natural thatch requires combing, maintenance and costly repairs. Damage and the decay of natural thatch caused by vermin and birds is unsightly and adds to maintenance costs. The use of Harvey Thatch Tiles also eliminates dust, a common occurrance with natural thatch.



Re-roofing A Thatch Roof

Everything that applies to new thatch roofs apply to re-roofing... and the hassle and disruption inside a home or building is invasive and disruptive for as long as the re-roofing process lasts. Re-roofing using Harvey Thatch is hassle-free as the existing thatch is left intact ensuring no disruption to the interior of the building, and retaining the natural warmth.





Five Reasons to Choose Harvey Thatch.

Low Maintenance

Where natural Thatch roofs require combing and repairing approximately every two years, Harvey Thatch requires very little maintenance and is made to withstand the harshest elements.

Lightning Safe

Harvey Thatch's non-combustible, fire resistant properties ensure that your roof is safe in the event of a lightning strike.

Vermin, Bird & Pest Proof

Damage from birds, monkeys and baboons quickly destroy the functionality and aesthetics of a natural thatch roof, while unsightly chicken wire covering only provides a temporary solution. In addition vermin like rats and mice gain access through the natural thatch covering. Harvey Thatch eliminates all these problems with a durable, water and airtight solution.

20 Year Warranty

Harvey Thatch is low on maintenance and has excellent functional benefits, offering a 20 year Product Warranty.



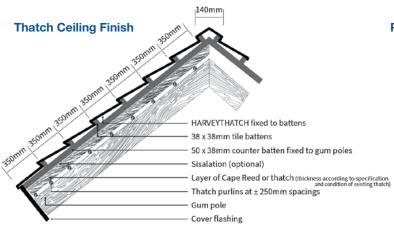
CSIR FireLab Test on Harvey Thatch 2019

Superior Fire Resistance

Natural thatch poses a significant fire risk to owners and occupants. Harvey Thatch gives you complete peace of mind as fire risk is reduced to a minimum. Harvey Thatch is certified with an 'A' Fire Rating, the highest roof material fire resistance as tested to the SANS 10177-12 standard*.

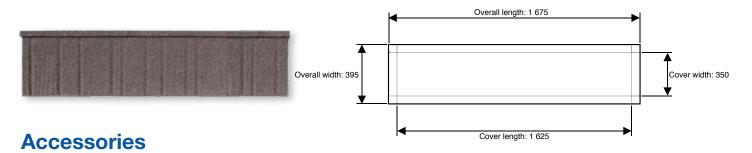
*When installed to specification

Installation Guide

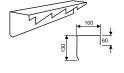


Panel Ceiling Finish HARVEYTHATCH fixed to battens 38 x 38mm tile battens 50 x 38mm counter batten fixed to gum poles Sisalation (optional) Ceiling Gum pole/beam Cover flashing

Technical Specifications (Dimensions in mm)



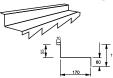
Bargeboard Cover



Left and right hand serrated. Fixed to barge boards at gable ends. Sketch shows right handed barge board cover.

Length: 1550mm Height: 130mm cover 4 tile courses Mass: 2.3kg

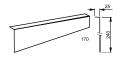
Sidewall flashing



Left and right handed serrated. Sketch shows right handed sidewall.

Length: 1550mm Height: 115mm cover 4 tile courses Mass: 2.4kg Width: 170mm Upper Lip: 10mm

Cover flashing



For use at headwall and sidewall flashing as well as for short courses at ridge.

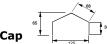
Length: 1720mm Upper Lip: 25mm Cover: 1600mm Mass: 2.5kg

Width: 240mm

Angle Ridge

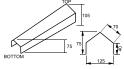
Fixed to double batten at apex Length: 1720mm (cover 1600mm) Width: 125mm tapered lengthwise

Height: 95mm Mass: 2.5kg



Angle Ridge End Cap

Fixed to batten end Length: 15mm Width: 125mm Height: 85mm



Angle Hip Cap

Fixed to double batten at hip battens Length: 580mm (cover 1 per tile course) Width: 125mm tapered down to 123mm Height: 75mm tapered up to 105mm

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