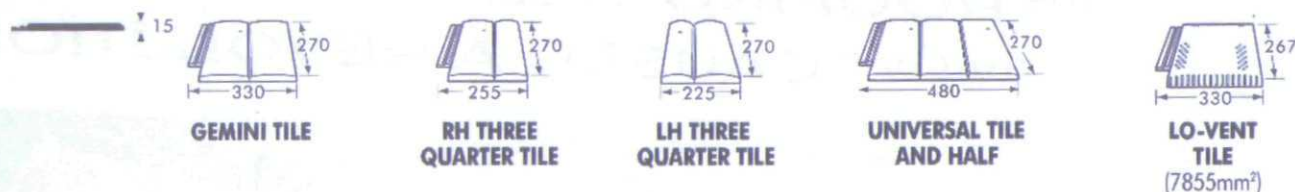


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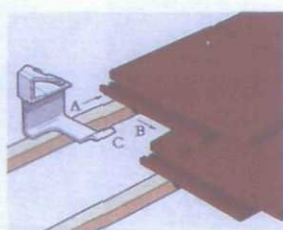


NB: Bonded double tiles are available on request

FIXING

Pitch	Headlap	Batten Spacing	Batten Required	Tiles Required	Mass (approx)
22.5° - 70°	95mm max 80mm min	175mm min 190mm max	5.70 lin m/m² 5.26 lin m/m²	19.0/m² 17.5/m²	48kg/m² 44kg/m²

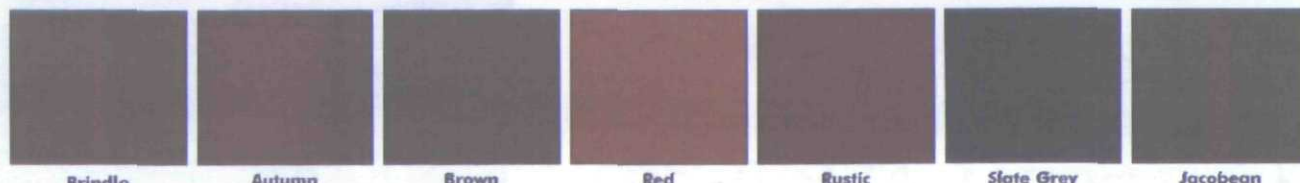
NB: To achieve the best possible aesthetic effect, it is recommended that Gemini Tiles are fixed with a batten spacing as close to 175mm as possible.



FIXING: Nail once. (Aluminium Nail 40mm x 3.35mm). In all circumstances, verges should be clipped. A plastic clip is available to enable secure fixing in exposed locations. It is a fixing requirement that the second course of slates is nailed and clipped in all cases, to secure the eaves course. In sheltered locations variations on the fixing specifications may be used, but should not be attempted without consultation with the Forticrete Technical Advisory Service. Forticrete will be pleased to provide written fixing specifications for specific projects as they cannot be held responsible for fixings on projects where their own guidelines are not followed correctly.

FIXING OF GEMINI TILE CLIP: The Gemini Tile Clip is not mechanically fixed to the batten, but clips on to the tile interlock (at point A). The clip is then slid down (to point B) and the curved underlock (C) locates under the back of the tile below (D).

COLOUR RANGE



Reproduction of colour is as accurate as permitted by the printing process; sample tiles should be viewed before final selection

GUARANTEE: The colour of Gemini will change with natural weathering over the years but the integrity of the tiles carries a 60 year guarantee, from date of supply, subject to the company's normal terms.

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Working Procedures, Safety & General Precautions

Forticrete recommend that fixers of all slates and tiles regard the products as fragile as stated in BS8000:Pt6:1990 Section 5. During installation of the products, the correct setting out and working procedures should be employed to avoid walking directly on to products which have been fixed or are on any completed area of a roof. Should it be necessary to gain access via the roof where battens of adequate strength cannot be used as footholds, this should not be attempted without the use of adequate protection to the tiles or slates including the required number of crawling boards, ladders and cat ladders.

Please note that where there is a change of pitch, packing may be required between crawling boards, cat ladders and the surface of the tiles or slates to avoid damage to the product.

Fixers should note that Forticrete do not recommend the practice of cutting tiles or slates in-situ.

Other information can be obtained from the Health and Safety in Roofwork publication HSG33 and document IND G284. Reference should also be made to the Forticrete Technical Literature and Fixing Instructions.

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