



TECHNICAL INFORMATION







Manufactured by MiiHome, Solaris $^{TM}$  is one of Australia's most innovative next generation building panels and building systems.

Since its inception in 1986 this leading brand has developed an unparalleled reputation within the building industry for high quality products that continually set new benchmarks in improving industry standards.

Based in southeast Queensland, MiiHome is the leading national manufacturer and supplier of structural insulated panels used as architectural cladding to walls and roofing for commercial, industrial, agricultural and residential applications.

The award-winning Solaris<sup>™</sup> range comprises a selection of sheet profiles available in varying thicknesses and customised lengths.

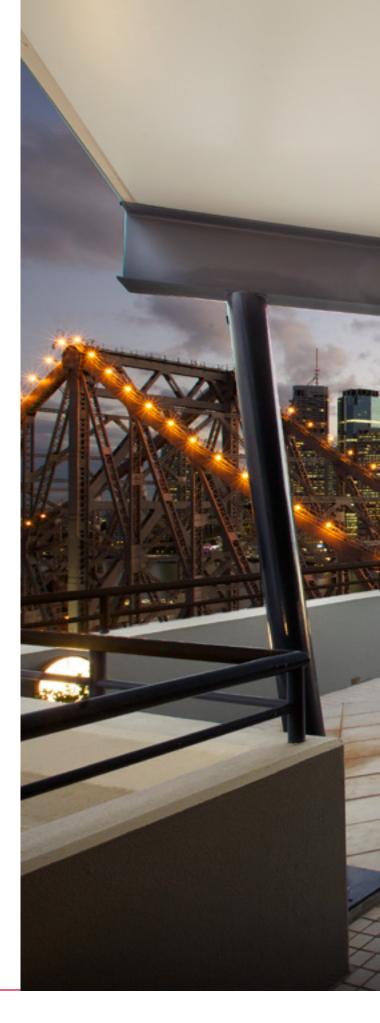
Each product line is renowned for its contemporary all-in-one design, continuous long span manufacture, commercial grade flatness and precise tolerances. The panels offer superior performance in structural capacity, insulation properties and cyclonic wind resistance as well as ease of installation.

Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels are manufactured exclusively with COLORBOND® steel, Australia's only locally produced steel sheeting, and one of the world's most advanced building materials.

Tried and tested over the past 45 years in some of the harshest climates across Australia, COLORBOND® steel's durable baked-on paint finish resists chipping, peeling and cracking, and delivers outstanding anticorrosion, long life, low maintenance performance.

Available in a wide range of contemporary colours, COLORBOND® utilises Thermatech® technology which optimises the solar reflectance properties of the painted steel finish, further improving the thermal performance characteristics of Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels.

Solaris<sup>r™</sup> structural integrity has resulted in the development of the patented Solaris<sup>TM</sup> Building System suited to commercial and residential applications up to two storeys high. It has the ability to create robust, high performance buildings with reduced need for skilled tradesmen during erection, equating to cheaper, simpler and quicker construction, and overall improved building performance.



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Maintenance of COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel

Solaris™ Roofing Panel Warranty

 $Solaris^{\text{\tiny{TM}}}\ Wall\ and\ Ceiling\ Panel\ Warranty$ 

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Solaris<sup>™</sup> Panel Acoustic Properties

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# **FAQs**

#### WHAT ARE SOLARIS™ PANELS MADE OF?

All Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels are made from the highest quality materials including BlueScope COLORBOND® steel skins and fire retardant expanded polystyrene cores.

#### WHAT SIZES ARE SOLARIS™ PANELS AVAILABLE IN?

SmoothPanel is 1200mm wide and can be up to 250mm thick and up to 16mt long; RidgePanel and CorroPanel are 1000mm wide (plus top skin overlap) and can be up to 200mm thick and up to 16 metres long; AgPanel is 1000mm wide (plus top skin overlap) and can be up to 100mm thick and up to 16 metres long.

#### WHAT COLORS ARE SOLARIS™ PANELS **AVAII ABI F IN?**

SmoothPanel, RidgePanel and CorroPanel are available in several options from the standard COLORBOND® range which are frequently updated. Please refer to your Solaris™ representative for details and samples of the current colour choices. AgPanel is only available in COLORBOND® Surfmist.

#### DOES SOLARIS™ OFFER AN INSTALLATION **SERVICE?**

No, however your Solaris™ representative will be able to recommend an experienced installer in your area.

#### CAN I WALK ON THE ROOF PANELS ONCE **INSTALLED?**

Yes, the roof panels are designed to withstand up to 140kg over the supported area of roof only (i.e. No loads are permitted on the unsupported overhang section of roofs).

#### **CAN I CUT THE PANELS ON SITE?**

Yes, the panels can be cut with either nibblers, a cold cut saw or any other cutting methods approved by BlueScope.

### CAN I FIT A CEILING FAN TO MY ROOF?

Yes, any domestic grade electrical appliance can be face-fixed to the ceiling side of a panel roof.

### ARE HIP AND VALLEY ROOF DESIGNS SUITABLE FOR PANEL ROOFING?

Skillion and gable roof designs are most economical for panel roofing. Generally, most houses can be (re) designed to satisfy this requirement and maintain their aesthetic appeal. However, it is possible to use panel roofing on hip and valley roof designs if necessary.

### **CAN I RUN ELECTRICAL SERVICES WITHIN A PANEL ROOF?**

Yes, a services void is provided at the panel join to facilitate running of electrical wires. Of course these should only be installed by a suitably qualified electrician.

# **HOW DO I MAINTAIN MY SOLARIS™ PANELS IN TOP CONDITION?**

Ensure your Solaris™ panels are installed as per the manufacturer's recommendations and any exterior metal surfaces that are not exposed to "washing down" by rain should be manually washed down once per year to avoid build-up of corrosive materials or pollutants.

### WHAT WARRANTIES ARE PROVIDED WITH MY **SOLARIS™ PRODUCTS?**

A comprehensive manufacturer's warranty is provided for all Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels for up to 15 years.

### IS IT POSSIBLE TO REPAIR DAMAGE TO THE **COLORBOND® PAINT SKINS?**

Yes, in a similar manner to an automotive repair regime. Dents are filled using a plastic resin body filler, sanded and then painted. Scratches are sanded and painted. COLORBOND® repair paints are available from your local COLORBOND® stockists and most large hardware stores.

### ARE SOLARIS™ PANELS RESISTANT TO VERMIN ATTACK?

EPS has absolutely no nutritional value as a food source so will not attract vermin. We do however recommend that you maintain a suitable pest control regime to prevent vermin from burrowing into or through the EPS core.

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# **FAQS**

# CAN I USE DIFFERENT COLOUR SKINS ON TOP AND BOTTOM PANEL SURFACES?

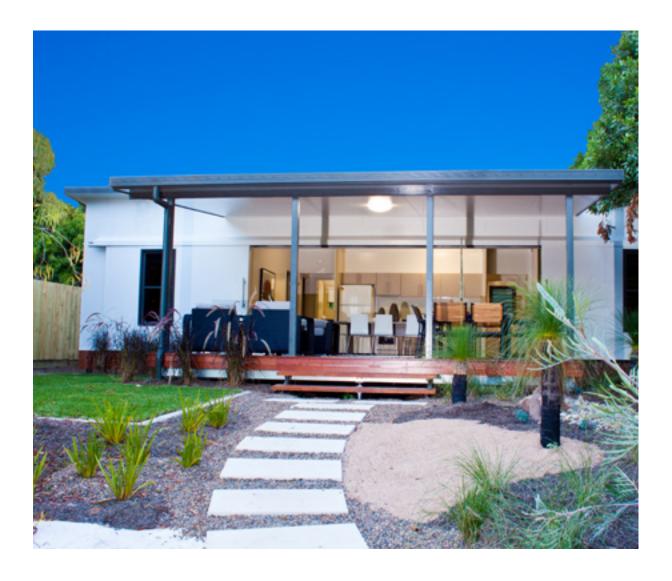
Yes, subject to minimum order quantities and colour selection. Darker colours may not be suitable for use in certain hot arid regions where the COLORBOND® skin temperature could exceed 80 degrees celcius. Refer to your Solaris™ representative for confirmation of the colours suited to your application.

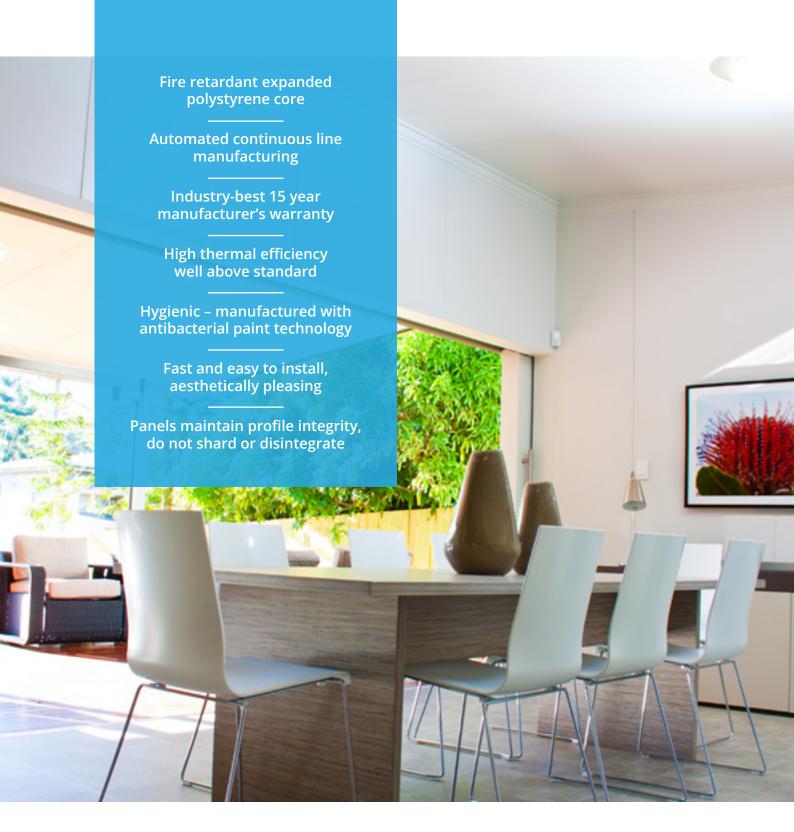
# WHAT ARE THE ACOUSTIC PROPERTIES OF SOLARIS™ PANELS?

Solaris<sup>TM</sup> panels provide a similar acoustic performance to lightweight stud walls commonly used in residential applications. Improved acoustic performance can be achieved by application of select linings. Refer to you Solaris<sup>TM</sup> representative for more detail.

# DOES CONDENSATION FORM ON THE INNER SKIN OF SOLARIS™ PANELS IN EXTREME HOT OR COLD CONDITIONS?

This will not occur if moist air is prevented from entering the inside of the building. The EPS insulated core prevents thermal bridging occurring between the outer and inner skins, so even if a considerable temperature difference exists between the inside and outside, condensation will not occur. A dry internal environment can be assured in humid climates by incorporating specific design features including entry air locks, ventilation, refrigerative rather than evaporative air conditioning.





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# **MULTI PURPOSE PANELS**

The SmoothPanel system comprises insulated building panels optimised for a range of applications including walls, ceilings, structural floors and partitioning.

SmoothPanel's high quality, commercial class flatness, range of thickness, customised lengths and ease of installation make it an ideal building panel for projects of any scale.

Each panel encompasses COLORBOND® pre-finished galvanised dual skins with an insulated core and a weather-tight tongue and groove jointing system. SmoothPanels can also be provided with rebated service ducts running the length of the panel within the EPS core to facilitate installation of services.

SmoothPanel skins are available with plain, ribbed, satinline or 'VJ' profiles.

Available in a standard colour range offering a wide variety of thermally efficient semi gloss COLORBOND® finishes, SmoothPanel eliminates the need for additional external cladding or internal linings. Alternative colours from the COLORBOND® range can also be selected, subject to availability, quantity and thermal suitability.

Utilising industry leading CNC routing equipment in conjunction with robotic automation, panels can be precut to profiles of any size and shape. This pretrimming service results in less onsite waste, reduced rubbish removal costs, and the ability to readily recycle offcuts.

SmoothPanel insulated wall and ceiling panels incorporate antibacterial coatings suitable for hygiene and temperature-controlled enclosures including cold rooms, food processing facilities and customised refrigerated truck bodies.

SmoothPanel sets a new benchmark for insulted building panels through high quality manufacture, an aesthetically appealing finish, versatility and 15 year manufacturer's warranty.

### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Thickness	50 to 250mm
Minimum Length	1800mm
Maximum Length	16000mm
Width/Coverage	1200mm
Thermal Performance/R value	up to 6.8m2K/W

#### **COLOUR RANGE**



- 1. Classic Cream
- 2. Surfmist (0.4 and 0.6 gauge steel)
- 3. Paperbark\*
- 4. Evening Haze\*
- \* Limited stock (extended lead time)

7. Pale Eucalypt\*

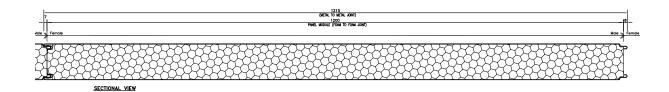
Shale Grey\*

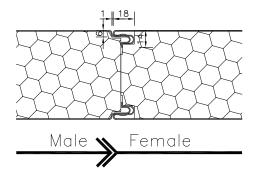
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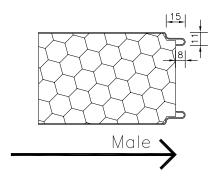
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# **SPECIFICATION**







#### **WIDTH OF MODULE**

1200mm

# **THICKNESS**

50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 150mm, 200mm, 250mm

## LENGTH

Minimum: 1800mm Maximum: 18,000mm

Subject to transport and handling consideration

#### **CORE**

SL grade Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) AS 1366.3

#### **OPTIONAL CORE GRADES**

S, M, H, VH

# **BCA MATERIALS GROUP CLASSIFICATION**

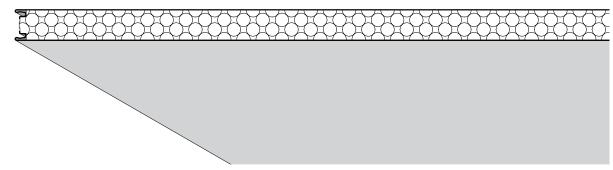
Group 1, 2, or 3 depending on fixings. Certificate available on request.

- Solaris™ SmoothPanel is manufactured in prepainted galvanised steel skins bonded both sides to a core of fire retardant treated polystyrene foam by a two part heat polymerising adhesive.
- SmoothPanel is the highest standard for use in food preparation and processing areas.
- Impervious smooth skins manufactured with a Microban® anti-bacterial paint technology proven to inhibit the growth of surface bacteria that cause odours, food poisoning, allergies and staining – this technology also helps to protect difficult-to-clean areas, reduces the risk of cross contamination between cleaning, and does not wash off.
- This product is HACCP endorsed.
- Microban® is tested effective against Staphylococcus aureus and Escherichia coli 0157.

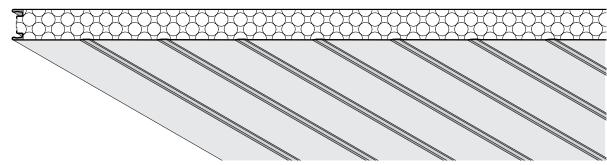


# **PROFILE OPTIONS**

# **'PLAIN'**

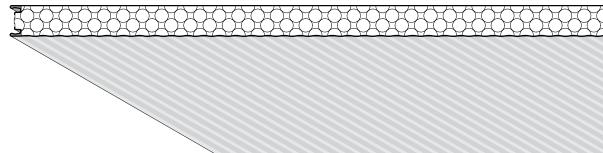


#### 'RIBBED'



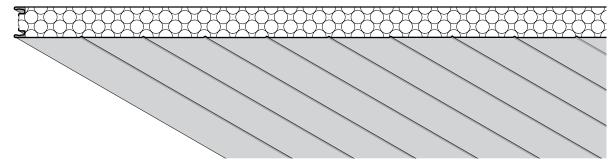
# **'SATINLINE'**

Special profile subject to order quantity and pricing



# **'V.J.'**

Special profile subject to order quantity and pricing



# **SPAN TABLES - 0.4mm**

## **ULTIMATE LOAD CAPACITY/DEFLECTION LOAD TABLE (KPA) 0.4MM EPS**

Span		Panel thickness (mm)										
(m)	50	75	100	150	200	250						
1.0												
1.5												
2.0	2.99 (1.69)											
2.5	1.91 (1.18)	2.87 (2.23)	3.82 (3.20)									
3.0	1.33 (0.84)	1.99 (1.66)	2.66 (2.43)	3.15 (3.15)								
3.5	0.98 (0.62)	1.46 (1.26)	1.95 (1.88)	2.31 (2.31)	3.08 (3.08)							
4.0	0.75 (0.47)	1.12 (0.97)	1.49 (1.48)	1.77 (1.77)	2.36 (2.36)	2.95 (2.95)						
4.5	0.59 (0.36)	0.89 (0.76)	1.18 (1.18)	1.40 (1.40)	1.86 (1.86)	2.33 (2.33)						
5.0	0.48 (0.28)	0.72 (0.61)	0.96 (0.96)	1.13 (1.13)	1.51 (1.51)	1.89 (1.89)						
5.5	0.40 (0.22)	0.59 (0.49)	0.79 (0.78)	0.94 (0.94)	1.25 (1.25)	1.56 (1.56)						
6.0	0.33 (0.18)	0.50 (0.40)	0.66 (0.65)	0.79 (0.79)	1.05 (1.05)	1.31 (1.31)						
6.5		0.42 (0.33)	0.57 (0.54)	0.67 (0.67)	0.89 (0.89)	1.12 (1.12)						
7.0		0.37 (0.28)	0.49 (0.45)	0.58 (0.58)	0.77 (0.77)	0.96 (0.96)						
7.5			0.42 (0.38)	0.50 (0.50)	0.67 (0.67)	0.84 (0.84)						
8.0			0.37 (0.33)	0.44 (0.44)	0.59 (0.59)	0.74 (0.74)						
8.5				0.39 (0.39)	0.52 (0.52)	0.65 (0.65)						
9.0					0.47 (0.47)	0.58 (0.58)						

The above table lists the ultimate wind load pressure for the strength design and the pressure corresponding to a Span/150 single span deflection ratio for panels with 0.4mm thick G300 steel skins boded to 'SL' grade expanded polystyrene core. The designer shall determine if the Span/150 deflections ratio is appropriate for the intended use. Loads for a more stringent deflections ratio can be determined by linearly proportioning the loads provided. Differential thermal effects are NOT incorporated in the loads provided.

- Capacity Reduction Factor:
- Results compiled by tests from:
- Date tested:
- Reference:

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# **SPAN TABLES - 0.6mm**

### **ULTIMATE LOAD CAPACITY/DEFLECTION LOAD TABLE (KPA) 0.6MM EPS**

Span	Panel thickness (mm)										
(m)	50	75	100	150	200	250					
1.0											
1.5											
2.0	4.35 (1.86)										
2.5	2.78 (1.34)	4.17 (2.46)	5.56 (3.45)								
3.0	1.93 (0.99)	2.90 (1.88)	3.86 (2.69)	5.63 (4.35)							
3.5	5 1.42 (0.76) 2.13 (1.4	2.13 (1.47)	2.84 (2.14)	4.14 (3.53)	5.52 (4.95)						
4.0	1.09 (0.58)	1.63 (1.17)	2.17 (1.73)	3.17 (2.91)	4.23 (4.13)	5.28 (5.28)					
4.5	0.86 (0.46)	1.29 (0.94)	1.72 (1.41)	2.50 (2.43)	3.34 (3.34)	4.17 (4.17)					
5.0	0.70 (0.37)	1.04 (0.76)	1.39 (1.16)	2.03 (2.03)	2.70 (2.70)	3.38 (3.38)					
5.5	0.57 (0.29)	0.86 (0.63)	1.15 (0.97)	1.68 (1.68)	2.24 (2.24)	2.79 (2.79)					
6.0	0.48 (0.24)	0.72 (0.52)	0.97 (0.82)	1.41 (1.41)	1.88 (1.88)	2.35 (2.35)					
6.5		0.62 (0.44)	0.82 (0.69)	1.20 (1.20)	1.60 (1.60)	2.00 (2.00)					
7.0		0.53 (0.37)	0.71 (0.59)	1.03 (1.03)	1.38 (1.38)	1.72 (1.72)					
7.5			0.62 (0.50)	0.90 (0.90)	1.20 (1.20)	1.50 (1.50)					
8.0			0.54 (0.43)	0.79 (0.79)	1.06 (1.06)	1.32 (1.32)					
8.5				0.70 (0.70)	0.94 (0.94)	1.17 (1.17)					
9.0				0.63 (0.63)	0.83 (0.83)	1.04 (1.04)					

The above table lists the ultimate wind load pressure for the strength design and the pressure corresponding to a Span/150 single span deflection ratio for panels with 0.6mm thick G300 steel skins boded to 'SL' grade expanded polystyrene core. The designer shall determine if the Span/150 deflections ratio is appropriate for the intended use. Loads for a more stringent deflections ratio can be determined by linearly proportioning the loads provided. Differential thermal effects are NOT incorporated in the loads provided.

#### Note

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# **PANEL PARTICULARS**

### **PANEL WEIGHTS**

Skin		Panel thickness (mm)										
thickness (mm)	50	75	100	150	200	250						
0.4	8.3	8.7	9.0	9.7	10.4	11.1						
0.6	11.6	12.0	12.3	13.0	13.7	14.4						
0.7	13.4	13.7	14.1	14.8	15.5	16.2						

All dimensions are in kg/m² unless otherwise stated.

#### **PANEL SPANS - INTERNAL APPLICATIONS**

	Panel thickness (mm)									
0.6mm skin thickness	50	75	100	150	200	250				
WALLS										
Supporting ceilings doors etc. (1 kPa UL)	4000	5000	5500	7000	8000	9000				
Non load bearing	5400	6500	7500	9500	10500	11000				
CEILINGS										
Light duty maintenance traffic	3600	4500	5000	6000	7000	7500				

This table is for "typical" use of panel walls and ceilings within a larger fully enclosed building. Applications exposed to wind loads, should be designed by an engineer. Solaris™ has additional engineering data available for this purpose. An engineering assessment may optimise the design further. All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated.

# **U-VALUE (OVERALL HEAT TRANSFER CO-EFFICIENT)**

Thermal conductivity

K-Value Class SL = 0.038 W/mK

Thickness (mm)	50	75	100	150	200	250
U-Value (W/m <sup>2</sup> K)	0.76	0.51	0.38	0.25	0.19	0.15

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# **BCA PART J ENERGY EFFICIENCY**

Total R-Values included air films

Thickness (mm)	50	75	100	150	200	250
R-Value (m2K/W)	1.5	2.22	2.8	4.2	5.5	6.8

For additional information refer to Solaris™ SmoothPanel data sheets.

# **BCA C1.10A MATERIALS GROUP TO TEST STANDARDS ISO 9705 (FIRE TEST)**

Panel thickness (mm)	Aluminium trims and fixings	Steel trims and fixings	Steel trims, fixing and ceiling stitch @ 1200c+s		
Up to 150	2	2	1		
175 to 200	3	2	1		

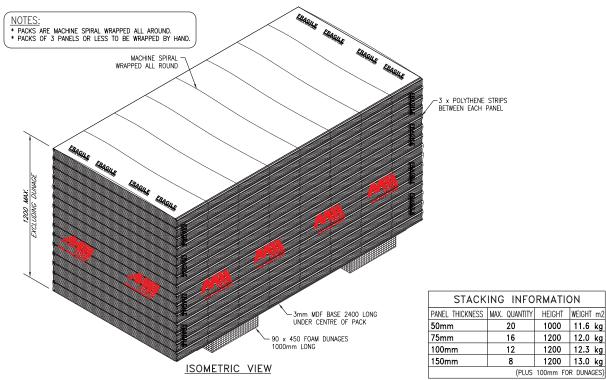
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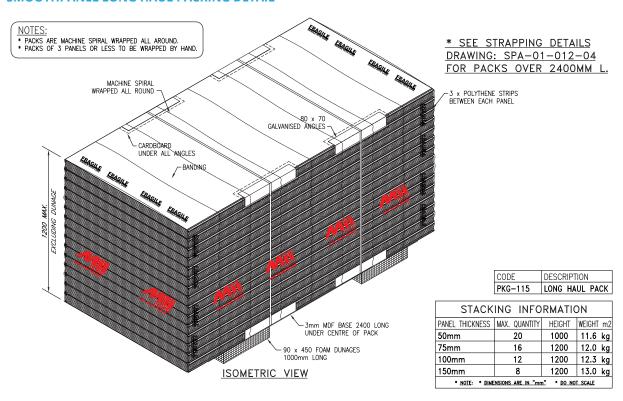
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# **PACKING AND DELIVERY**

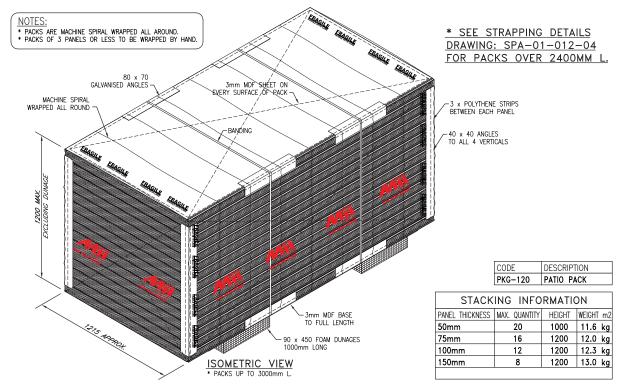
#### **SMOOTHPANEL STANDARD PACKING DETAIL**



### SMOOTHPANEL LONG HAUL PACKING DETAIL

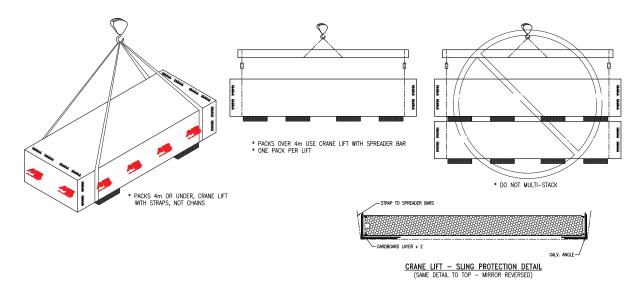


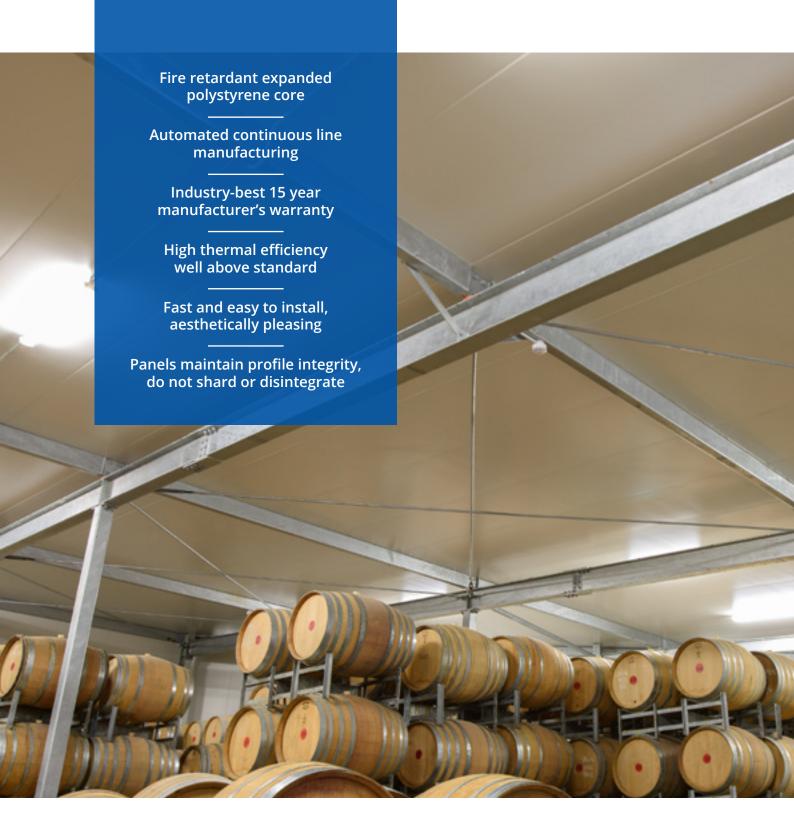
#### **SMOOTHPANEL PATIO PACK DETAIL**



#### **DELIVERY TO SITE/UNLOADING OF PANELS**

Please refer to the detail below for unloading guidelines. Unloading of panels remains the responsibility of the client. Panels should always remain dry where possible during storage, kept off the ground to allow for adequate ventilation of the panel stack. DO NOT cover the panel stack with additional plastic covering such as black plastic sheeting.





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# TRAPEZOID PROFILE PANELS

RidgePanel demonstrates manufacturing innovation through an economical, three-in-one roofing system underpinned by a 15 year manufacturer's warranty.

Cutting edge technology enables the delivery of an architecturally appealing all-weather roof panel with a ridged profile, high performance insulation properties and a commercial-class flatness prefinished ceiling for commercial, industrial and residential applications.

RidgePanel roofing incorporates a fire retardant treated core and is long spanning, reducing structural support requirements. The trapezoid profile provides additional strength and panels are energy efficient, durable, economical and quick and easy to install.

The ability to procure industry-leading large, unsupported spans reduces build and installation costs and the high-quality surface finish eliminates the need for ceiling linings and the associated battens, insulation, mesh, plasterboard, reflective foil and painting.

A range of ceiling skins are available with plain, satinline or 'VJ' profiles. Available in a range of standard COLORBOND® colours and industry best competitive pricing ensures RidgePanel is particularly suited to residential roofing, home additions and stand-alone structures including carports and pool pavilions.

Alternative colours from the COLORBOND® range can also be selected, subject to availability, quantity and thermal suitability.

RidgePanel can be provided with rebated service ducts running the length of the panel within the EPS core to facilitate installation of electrical services.

A pre-trimming service provided in the factory prior to delivery allows for efficient recycling of offcuts and consequently reduces onsite rubbish removal costs.

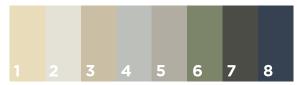
Applications also encompass architectural wall cladding, and RidgePanel sets a new benchmark for insulated paneling through high quality manufacture, an aesthetically appealing profile and versatility of use.

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Thickness	50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm, 150mm*
Minimum Length	2400mm
Maximum Length	16000mm
Width/Coverage	1000mm
Thermal Performance/R value	up to 4.3m <sup>2</sup> K/W

<sup>\*</sup>Other thicknesses available on request

#### **COLOUR RANGE**

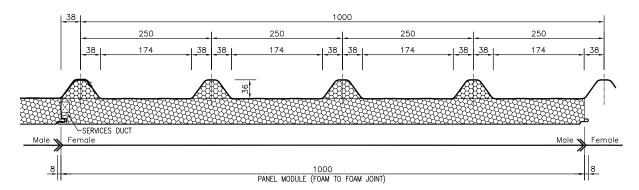


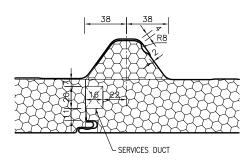
- 1. Classic Cream
- 2. Surfmist
- 3. Paperbark
- 4. Shale Grey
- 5. Dune
- 6. Pale Eucalypt
- Woodland Grey
- 8. Deep Ocean

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# **SPECIFICATION**





#### **WIDTH OF MODULE**

1000mm

#### **THICKNESS**

Standard: 50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm, 150mm

#### **LENGTH**

Minimum: 2400mm Maximum: 16.000mm

### **RIB PROFILE**

Trapezoidal 36mm profile height

# **PITCH (MINIMUM)**

Single span: 1.5°\* Multi span: 5° (see roof drainage chart)

#### **SKINS**

Roof: 0.42mm Hi-Tensile pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

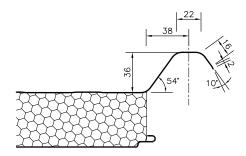
Ceiling: 0.5mm pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

#### **FLATNESS**

The core sheets are finger jointed and drum sanded to give the flattest surface possible.

#### STANDARD CEILING FINISH

Strippable film to 'smooth' underside with commercial flatness\*\*



#### **CORE**

SL grade expanded polystyrene (EPS) with void filled profile.

#### **GUTTER CUT BACK**

60mm, 80mm, 100mm

# **BCA MATERIALS GROUP CLASSIFICATION**

Group 1 is available with additional fixings)

### **SPANS**

Up to 9700mm (150mm at 0.5kpa ultimate design wind pressure.)

### **JOINTING SYSTEM**

Tongue and groove joints.

## **EXPANSION JOINTS**

Required every 16 metres max. Overhang 250mm at 5° minimum pitch.

#### **HEAT LOAD**

Maximum skin temperature 80°C.

#### Notes

- \* Actual pitch achieved after deflection.
- \*\* Flatness appearance 'Commercial': Surface deformations are faintly detectable to the eye when observed in artificial or direct light and are apparent to the eye when observed in low incident light.

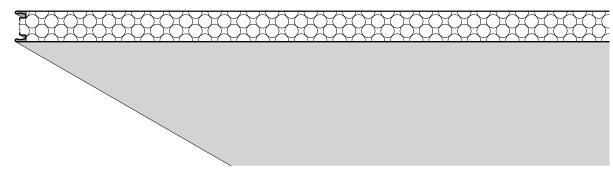
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# **CEILING PROFILE OPTIONS**

## **PANEL PROPERTIES**

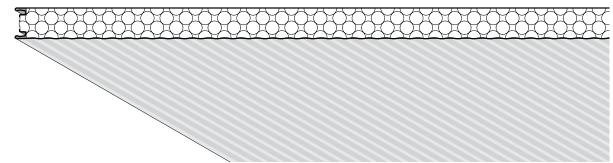
		Panel thickness (mm)							
	50	125	150						
Weight (Kg/gm2)	10	10.3	10.7	11	11.3				
R Value (m2K/W) Built up Systems: Roof	1.7	2.4	3.0	3.7	4.3				

#### **'PLAIN'**



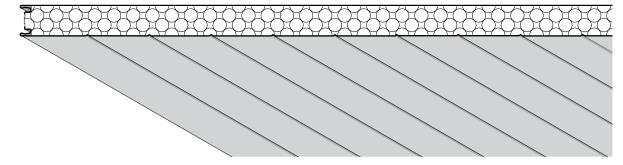
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# **ROOFING PANEL SPAN TABLES**

#### **GENERAL STRUCTURES**

							Panel Thi	ckness (mm)				
					75	imm	10	0mm	125mm		150mm	
	Roof Type	Wind Class	Max Span	Max Overhang								
	+	N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850
Fully enclosed – Single Span	ton.	N2	4700	1900	5100	2000	5600	2200	6200	2450	6600	2600
	Destroy	N3	3800	1500	4100	1w650	4500	1800	4900	1950	5400	2150
		N4	3100	1250	3400	1350	3700	1450	3900	1550	4200	1650
		N5	2500	1000	2800	1100	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350
	_	C1	2600	1050	3400	1350	3700	1450	4200	1650	4700	1850
		C2	2100	800	2800	1100	3000	1200	3300	1300	3700	1450
ш		C3	1700	650	2100	800	2400	950	2700	1050	2900	1150
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2100	800	2200	850
		N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850
		N2	4700	1850	5100	2000	5600	2200	6200	2450	6600	2600
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pai	- Section .	N4	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350	3800	1500	4100	1600
i S		N5	2400	950	2700	1050	2900	1150	3100	1200	3300	1300
Ē		C1	2500	1000	3100	1200	3700	1450	4200	1650	4700	1850
Fully enclosed Multi Span		C2	2000	800	2500	1000	3000	1200	3300	1300	3650	1450
ヹ		C3	1650	650	2000	800	2350	900	2650	1050	2900	1150
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2100	800	2200	850

#### DATIO POOFING

							Panel Thi	ckness (mm)				
			50	0mm	7.	5mm	10	0mm	125mm		150mm	
	Roof Type	Wind Class	Max Span	Max Overhang								
		N1	5600	2250	6200	2450	6700	2650	7000	2800	7300	2900
		N2	4800	1900	5200	2050	5700	2250	6300	2500	6700	2650
E -		N3	3700	1450	4000	1600	4400	1750	5000	2000	5500	2200
Side Open	7	N4	3100	1250	3300	1300	3500	1400	3900	1550	4200	1650
<u>e</u>		N5	2500	1000	2800	1100	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350
Sign	_	C1	2600	1050	3200	1250	3800	1500	4300	1700	4800	1900
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		C3	1750	700	2100	900	2450	950	2750	1100	3000	1200
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2200	850	2300	900
		N1	5800	2300	6400	2500	6900	2700	7200	2900	7500	3000
	-	N2	4900	1900	5400	2150	6200	2400	7000	2700	7300	2900
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		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3500	1400	4000	1000
		N1	7500	3000	8200	3200	8800	3400	9100	3500	9400	3700
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Fully Open		N4	4200	1600	4800	1900	5600	2200	6300	2500	6500	2600
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료		C2	4000	1600	4800	1900	5600	2200	6200	2400	6500	2600
		C3	3300	1300	4000	1600	4600	1800	5200	2000	5500	2200
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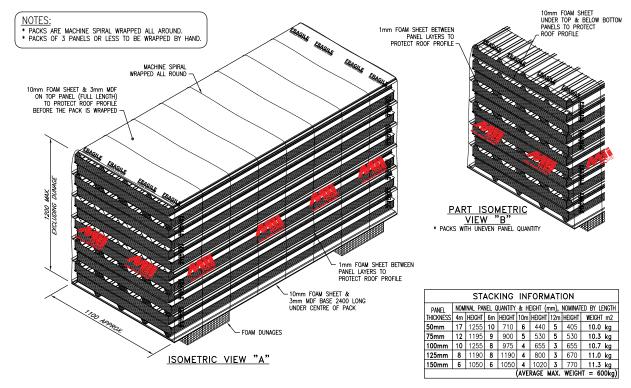
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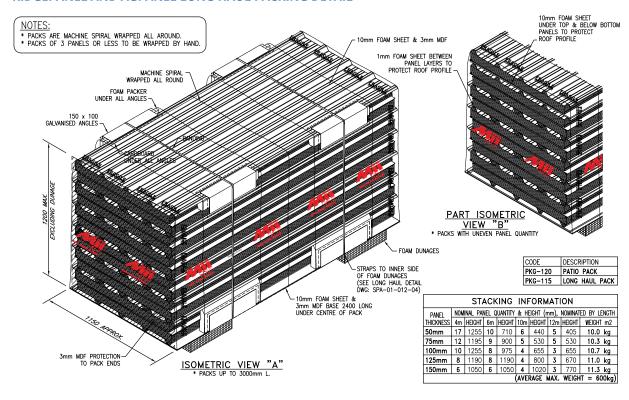


# **PACKING AND DELIVERY**

#### RIDGEPANEL AND AGPANEL STANDARD PACKING DETAIL



### RIDGEPANEL AND AGPANEL LONG HAUL PACKING DETAIL

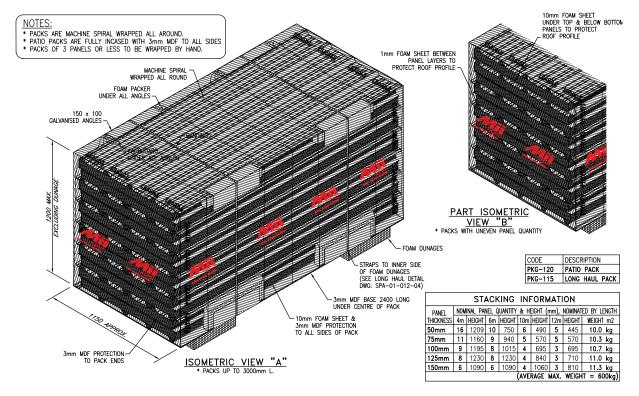


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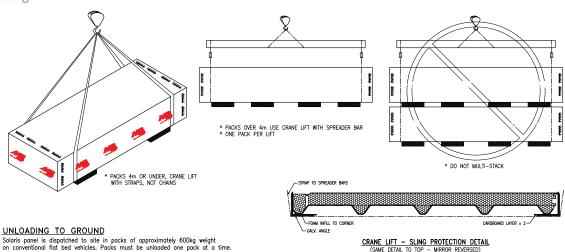


#### RIDGEPANEL AND AGPANEL PATIO PACK DETAIL



#### **DELIVERY TO SITE/UNLOADING OF PANELS**

Please refer to the detail below for unloading guidelines. Unloading of panels remains the responsibility of the client. Panels should always remain dry where possible during storage, kept off the ground to allow for adequate ventilation of the panel stack. DO NOT cover the panel stack with additional plastic covering such as black plastic sheeting.



Solaris panel is dispatched to site in packs of approximately 600kg weight on conventional flat bed vehicles. Packs must be unloaded one pack at a time.

Packs up to 6m long can be unloaded using a forklift. It is of upmost importance that the forks do not make contact with panel, suitable protection for the underside of the pack must be provided to avoid damage. Forks must not be less than one metre apart.

If a mobile crone is used to lift packs, care must be taken that the positions of the slings coincides with the pack bearers. Sling protection must be inserted at the top and bottom of each pack to protect the edges of the top & bottom panels.

(SFF: CRANE LIFT - SLING PROTECTION DETAIL)

Lifting beams must be used for unloading Solaris panel packs, in excess of 4000mm. Where panel lengths exceed 4000mm, lifting beams must be used for unloading.

# SITE STORAGE

Panels should always remain dry in storage where possible, kept off the ground to allow for adequate vertilation of the panel stack. Do NOT cover the panel stack with additional plastic covering such as black plastic sheeting.

#### RECEIPT OF GOODS

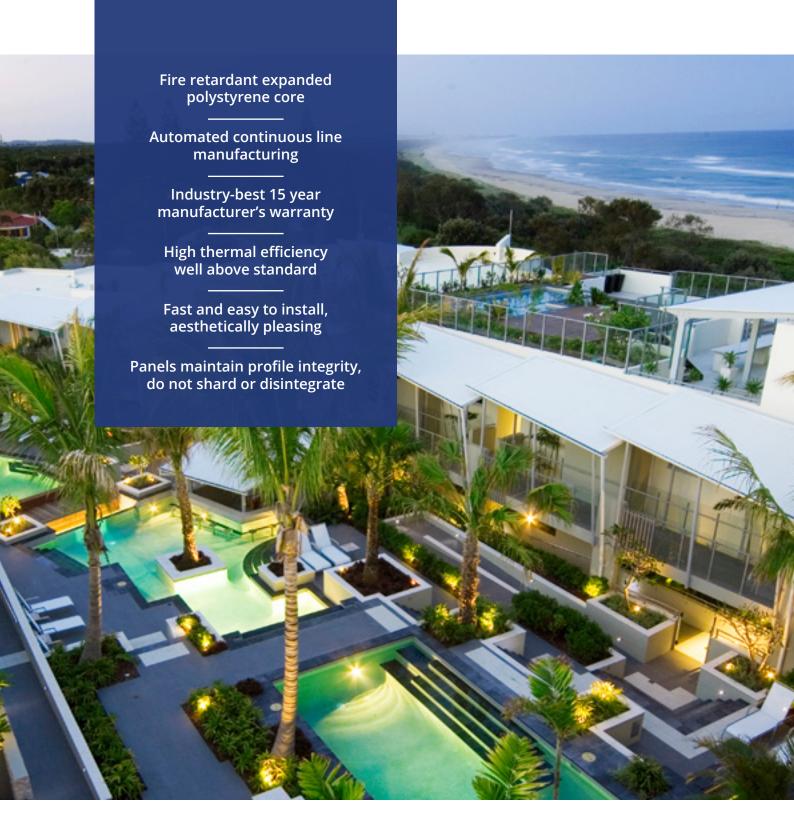
All materials arriving on site must be checked promptly against relevant advice or delivery notes to ascertain correct quantities, specifications and lock of damage. Any shortages or damage must be reported within 24 hours of receipt of goods on site.



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MAIN MENU





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# **CORRUGATED PROFILE PANELS**

RidgePanel demonstrates manufacturing innovation through an economical, threein-one roofing system underpinned by a 15 year manufacturer's warranty.

Cutting edge technology enables the delivery of an architecturally appealing all-weather roof panel with a ridged profile, high performance insulation properties and a commercial-class flatness prefinished ceiling for commercial, industrial and residential applications.

RidgePanel roofing incorporates a fire retardant treated core and is long spanning, reducing structural support requirements. The trapezoid profile provides additional strength and panels are energy efficient, durable, economical and quick and easy to install.

The ability to procure industry-leading large, unsupported spans reduces build and installation costs and the high-quality surface finish eliminates the need for ceiling linings and the associated battens, insulation, mesh, plasterboard, reflective foil and painting.

A range of ceiling skins are available with plain, satinline or 'VI' profiles. Available in a range of standard COLORBOND® colours and industry best competitive pricing ensures RidgePanel is particularly suited to residential roofing, home additions and stand-alone structures including carports and pool pavilions.

Alternative colours from the COLORBOND® range can also be selected, subject to availability, quantity and thermal suitability.

RidgePanel can be provided with rebated service ducts running the length of the panel within the EPS core to facilitate installation of electrical services.

A pre-trimming service provided in the factory prior to delivery allows for efficient recycling of offcuts and consequently reduces onsite rubbish removal costs.

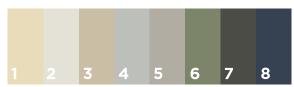
Applications also encompass architectural wall cladding, and RidgePanel sets a new benchmark for insulated paneling through high quality manufacture, an aesthetically appealing profile and versatility of

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Thickness	50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm, 150mm*
Minimum Length	2400mm
Maximum Length	16000mm
Width/Coverage	1000mm
Thermal Performance/R value	up to 4.3m <sup>2</sup> K/W

<sup>\*</sup>Other thicknesses available on request

#### **COLOUR RANGE**

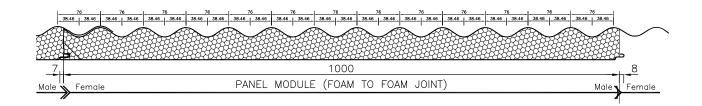


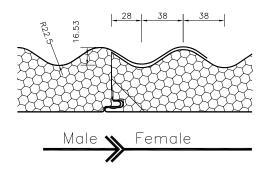
- 1. Classic Cream
- 2. Surfmist
- Paperbark
- Shale Grey
- 5. Dune
- Pale Eucalypt
- Woodland Grey
- Deep Ocean

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# **SPECIFICATION**





#### **WIDTH OF MODULE**

1000mm

#### **THICKNESS**

Standard: 50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm, 150mm

## LENGTH

Minimum: 2400mm Maximum: 16000mm

# **RIB PROFILE**

Trapezoidal 36mm profile height.

#### **PITCH (MINIMUM)**

Single span: 1.5°\* Multi span: 5° (See roof drainage chart)

#### **SKINS**

Roof: 0.42mm Hi-Tensile pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

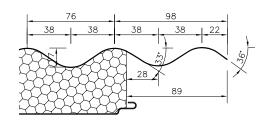
Ceiling: 0.5mm pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

# **FLATNESS**

The core sheets are finger jointed and drum sanded to give the flattest surface possible.

#### STANDARD CEILING FINISH

Strippable film to 'smooth' underside with commercial flatness\*\*



#### **CORE**

SL grade expanded polystyrene (EPS) with void filled profile

# **GUTTER CUT BACK**

60mm, 80mm, 100mm

### **BCA MATERIALS GROUP CLASSIFICATION**

Group 2 (Group 1 is available with additional fixings)

# **SPANS**

Up to 9700mm (150mm at 0.5kpa ultimate design wind pressure)

#### **JOINTING SYSTEM**

Tongue and groove joints

### **EXPANSION JOINTS**

Required every 16 metres max. Overhang 250mm at 5° minimum pitch

#### **HEAT LOAD**

Maximum skin temperature 80°C

#### Notes

- \* Actual pitch achieved after deflection.
- \*\* Flatness appearance 'Commercial': Surface deformations are faintly detectable to the eye when observed in artificial or direct light and are apparent to the eye when observed in low incident light.



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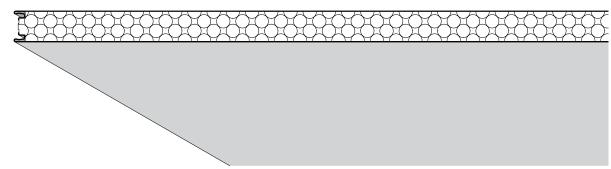


# **CEILING PROFILE OPTIONS**

# **PANEL PROPERTIES**

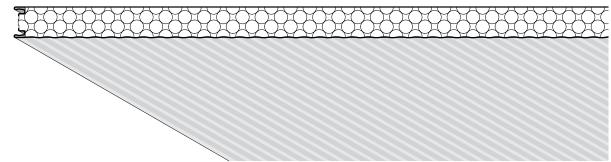
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Weight (kg/m²)	10	10.3	10.7	11	11.3					
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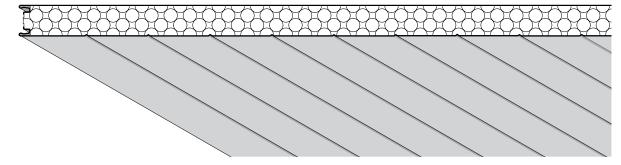
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#### **GENERAL STRUCTURES**

							Panel Thi	ckness (mm)					
			50	)mm	75	75mm		100mm		125mm		150mm	
	Roof Type		Max Span	Max Overhang									
		N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850	
	400	N2	4700	1900	5100	2000	5600	2200	6200	2450	6600	2600	
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ose		N4	3100	1250	3400	1350	3700	1450	3900	1550	4200	1650	
Fully enclosed - Single Span		N5	2500	1000	2800	1100	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350	
		C1	2600	1050	3400	1350	3700	1450	4200	1650	4700	1850	
		C2	2100	800	2800	1100	3000	1200	3300	1300	3700	1450	
ш		C3	1700	650	2100	800	2400	950	2700	1050	2900	1150	
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2100	800	2200	850	
		N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850	
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#### **PATIO ROOFING**

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		•	50	Omm	7:	5mm	10	00mm	12	5mm	15	i0mm
	Roof Type	Wind Class	Max Span	Max Overhang								
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		N3	3700	1450	4000	1600	4400	1750	5000	2000	5500	2200
Side Open	7	N4	3100	1250	3300	1300	3500	1400	3900	1550	4200	1650
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Sig		C1	2600	1050	3200	1250	3800	1500	4300	1700	4800	1900
-		C2	2100	850	2600	1050	3100	1250	3400	1350	3700	1450
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		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2200	850	2300	900
		N1	5800	2300	6400	2500	6900	2700	7200	2900	7500	3000
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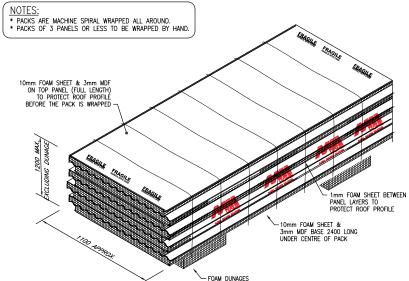
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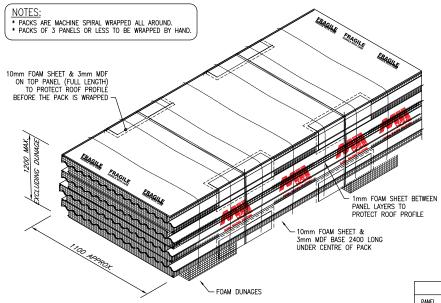
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CODE	DESCRIPTION
PKG-120	PATIO PACK
PKG-115	LONG HAUL PACK

	STACKING INFORMATION											
PANEL	NOMINAL PANEL QUANTITY & HEIGHT (mm), NOMINATED BY LENGTH											
THICKNESS	4m	HEIGHT	6m	HEIGHT	10m	HEIGHT	12m	HEIGHT	WEIGHT m2			
50mm	17	1255	10	710	6	440	5	405	10.0 kg			
75mm	12	1195	9	900	5	530	5	530	10.3 kg			
100mm	10	1255	8	975	4	655	3	655	10.7 kg			
125mm	8	1190	8	1190	4	800	3	670	11.0 kg			
150mm	6	1050	6	1050	4	1020	3	770	11.3 kg			
					(AVE	RAGE I	MAX.	WEIGH	IT = 600kg)			

### **CORROPANEL LONG HAUL PACKING DETAIL**



	STACKING INFORMATION											
PANEL	NOM	inal pai	EIGHT (n	nm),	NOMINAT	ED BY LENGTH						
THICKNESS	4m	HEIGHT	6m	HEIGHT	10m	HEIGHT	12m	HEIGHT	WEIGHT m2			
50mm	17	1255	10	710	6	440	5	405	10.0 kg			
75mm	12	1195	9	900	5	530	5	530	10.3 kg			
100mm	10	1255	8	975	4	655	3	655	10.7 kg			
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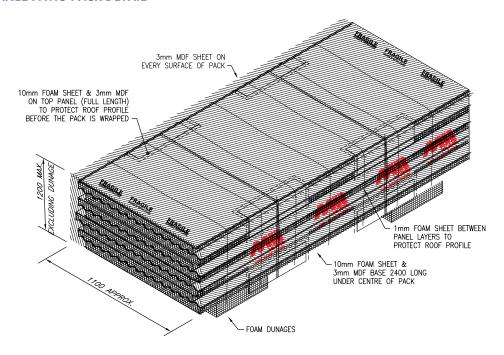
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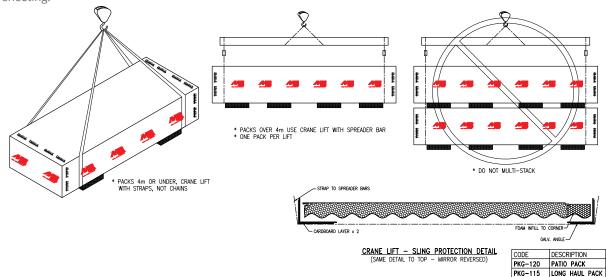


#### **CORROPANEL PATIO PACK DETAIL**



## **DELIVERY TO SITE/UNLOADING OF PANELS**

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- \* PACKS ARE MACHINE SPIRAL WRAPPED ALL AROUND.

  \* PATIO PACKS ARE FULLY INCASED WITH 3mm MDF TO ALL SIDES

  \* PACKS OF 3 PANELS OR LESS TO BE WRAPPED BY HAND.

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PANEL	NOM	inal pai	NEL C	(UANTITY	& H	EIGHT (n	nm),	NOMINAT	ED BY LENGTH
THICKNESS	4m	HEIGHT	6m	HEIGHT	10m	HEIGHT	12m	HEIGHT	WEIGHT m2
50mm	16	1209	10	750	6	490	5	445	10.0 kg
75mm	11	1160	9	940	5	570	5	570	10.3 kg
100mm	9	1195	8	1015	4	695	3	695	10.7 kg
125mm	8	1230	8	1230	4	840	3	710	11.0 kg
150mm	6	1090	6	1090	4	1060	3	810	11.3 kg
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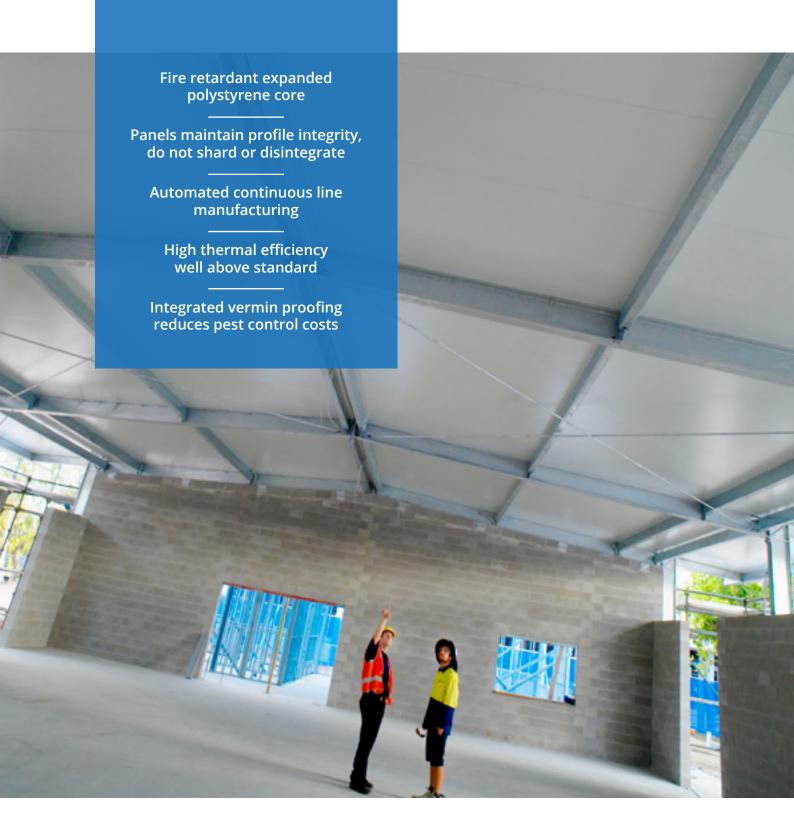


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# **AGRICULTURAL PANELS**

The AgPanel insulated agricultural panel is a long spanning, hygienic, durable, all-in-one, insulated roofing product.

The AgPanel system consists of a composite trapezoid profile steel roof sheet with a fire retardant expanded polystyrene core, and a robust and hygienic profiled steel ceiling.

AgPanels are manufactured exclusively with COLORBOND® steel, Australia's only locally produced steel sheeting, and one of the world's most advanced building materials.

Tried and tested over the past 45 years in some of the harshest climates across Australia, COLORBOND® steel's durable baked-on paint finish resists chipping, peeling and cracking, and delivers outstanding anticorrosion, long life, low maintenance performance.

Available in a wide range of contemporary colours, COLORBOND® utilises Thermatech® technology which optimises the solar reflectance properties of the painted steel finish, further improving the thermal performance characteristics of AgPanels.

The low-maintenance, strong and durable panels are designed to withstand harsh environmental conditions to outperform traditional roofing systems.

The ability to procure industry-leading large, unsupported spans reduces build and installation costs and the composite construction eliminates the need for additional layers of insulation, mesh, and reflective foil.

The low pitch design features an anti-capillary groove for waterproofing while integrated vermin proofing capabilities significantly reduce the costs of pest control.

A pre-trimming service provided in the factory prior to delivery allows for efficient recycling of offcuts and consequently reduces onsite rubbish removal costs.

AgPanel is an ideal roofing solution for chicken growing sheds, layer sheds, farrowing sheds, weaner sheds, sow sheds, finishing sheds, mushroom growing sheds and fruit and vegetable packing sheds.

The AgPanel insulated agricultural roofing system sets a new benchmark for insulted building panels through quality manufacture, an aesthetically appealing profile, versatility and industry-best 15 year manufacturer's warranty.

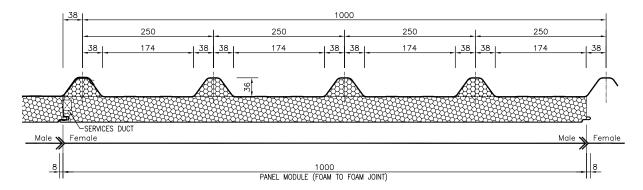
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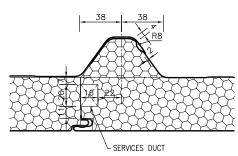
Thickness	50mm, 75mm, 100mm						
Minimum Length	2400mm						
Maximum Length	16000mm						
Width/Coverage	1000mm						
Colour	COLORBOND® Surfmist						

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# **SPECIFICATION**





#### **WIDTH OF MODULE**

1000mm

#### **THICKNESS**

Standard: 50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm, 150mm

## LENGTH

Minimum: 2400mm Maximum: 16000mm

# RIB PROFILE

Trapezoidal 36mm profile height

#### **PITCH (MINIMUM)**

Single span: 1.5°\* Multi span: 5° (see roof drainage chart)

#### **SKINS**

Roof: 0.42mm Hi-Tensile pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

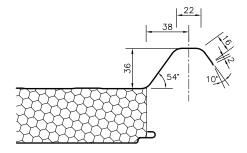
Ceiling: 0.5mm pre-painted COLORBOND® steel

#### **FLATNESS**

The core sheets are finger jointed and drum sanded to give the flattest surface possible.

## STANDARD CEILING FINISH

Strippable film to 'smooth' underside with commercial flatness\*\*



#### **CORE**

SL grade expanded polystyrene (EPS) with void filled profile

## **GUTTER CUT BACK**

60mm, 80mm, 100mm

### **BCA MATERIALS GROUP CLASSIFICATION**

Group 2 (Group 1 is available with additional fixings)

# **SPANS**

Up to 9700mm (150mm at 0.5kpa ultimate design wind pressure)

#### **JOINTING SYSTEM**

Tongue and groove joints

### **EXPANSION JOINTS**

Required every 16 metres max. Overhang 250mm at 5° minimum pitch

### **HEAT LOAD**

Maximum skin temperature 80°C

#### Notes

- \*\*Actual pitch achieved after deflection.
- \*\*Flatness appearance 'Commercial': Surface deformations are faintly detectable to the eye when observed in artificial or direct light and are apparent to the eye when observed in low incident light.

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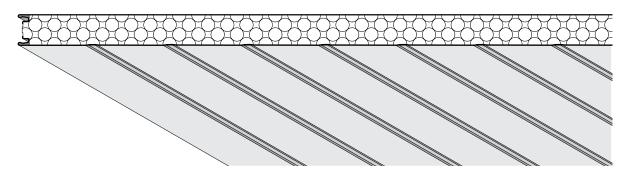


# **CEILING PROFILE OPTIONS**

#### **PANEL PROPERTIES**

		Panel thickness (mm)								
	50	75	100	125	150					
Weight (kg/m²)	10	10.3	10.7	11	11.3					
R Value (m²K/W) Built up Systems: Roof	1.7	2.4	3.0	3.7	4.3					

#### 'RIBBED'



#### **ROOFING PANEL SPAN TABLE**

							Panel Thi	ckness (mm)				
	GENERAL STRUCTURES	-	50	)mm	75mm		100mm		125mm		150mm	
	Roof Type	Wind Class	Max Span	Max Overhang								
	+	N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850
	-	N2	4700	1900	5100	2000	5600	2200	6200	2450	6600	2600
9 ⊑	Destroy	N3	3800	1500	4100	1w650	4500	1800	4900	1950	5400	2150
ose		N4	3100	1250	3400	1350	3700	1450	3900	1550	4200	1650
lo S		N5	2500	1000	2800	1100	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350
Fully enclosed - Single Span	_	C1	2600	1050	3400	1350	3700	1450	4200	1650	4700	1850
		C2	2100	800	2800	1100	3000	1200	3300	1300	3700	1450
ш		C3	1700	650	2100	800	2400	950	2700	1050	2900	1150
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2100	800	2200	850
		N1	5500	2200	6100	2400	6600	2600	6900	2750	7200	2850
		N2	4700	1850	5100	2000	5600	2200	6200	2450	6600	2600
р С	Special Special Company	N3	3600	1400	3900	1550	4300	1700	4900	1950	5400	2150
ose		N4	3000	1200	3200	1250	3400	1350	3800	1500	4100	1600
ri S		N5	2400	950	2700	1050	2900	1150	3100	1200	3300	1300
a F		C1	2500	1000	3100	1200	3700	1450	4200	1650	4700	1850
Fully enclosed - Multi Span		C2	2000	800	2500	1000	3000	1200	3300	1300	3650	1450
ш		C3	1650	650	2000	800	2350	900	2650	1050	2900	1150
		C4	-	-	-	-	-	-	2100	800	2200	850

#### NOTES

- 1. These span tables apply to enclosed buildings less than 20 metres high with sealed doors and windows and patio roofing as shown.

  2. Maximum overhang lengths cannot be exceeded. Customers are advised to use a thicker panel if greater overhang lengths are required.

  3. Minimum roof width is 1.5 x overhang.

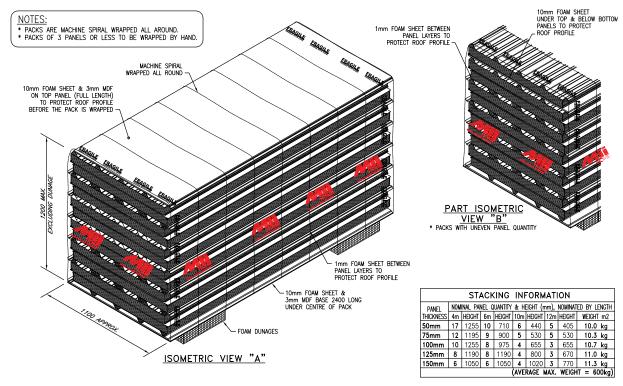
- 4. RidgePanel to be fixed every crest. Additional mid-crest fixing required for Wind Class C2, C3 and C4.
  5. CorroPanel to be fixed every second crest for Wind Class N1 N5 and C1 and every crest for Wind Class C2, C3 and C4.
- 6. Total live load up to 140kg allowed on spanned sections of roof only. (Live loads not permitted on overhangs)
- 7. These span tables are based on specific deflection limits calculated from serviceability loads for each wind class. (Deflection limits may be exceeded during extreme weather conditions when serviceability wind speeds are higher than usual.



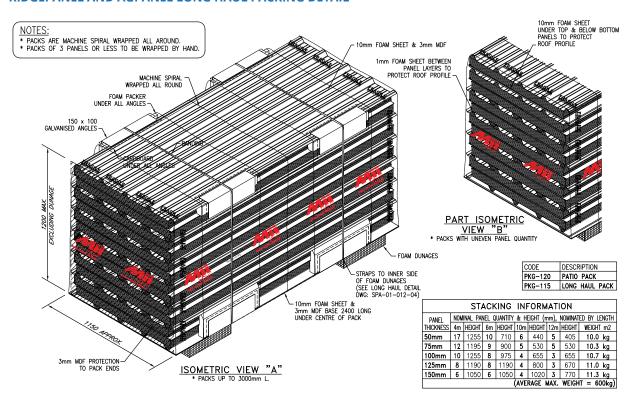


# **PACKING AND DELIVERY**

#### RIDGEPANEL AND AGPANEL STANDARD PACKING DETAIL



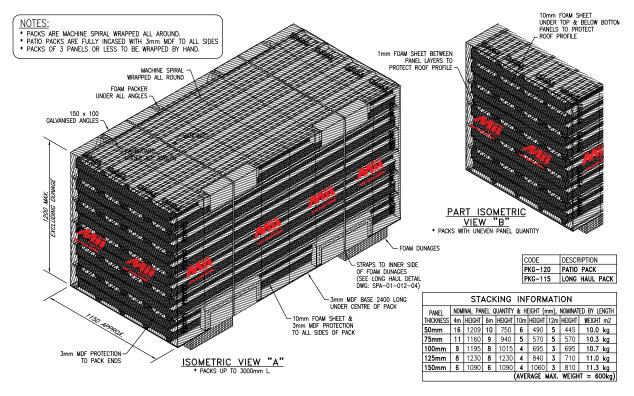
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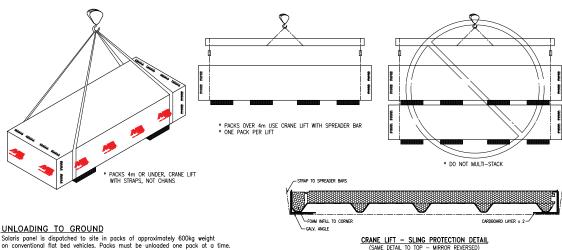
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## RIDGEPANEL AND AGPANEL PATIO PACK DETAIL



## **DELIVERY TO SITE/UNLOADING OF PANELS**

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Packs up to 6m long can be unloaded using a forklift. It is of upmost importance that the forks do not make contact with panel, suitable protection for the underside of the pack must be provided to avoid damage. Forks must not be less than one metre apart.

If a mobile crane is used to lift packs, care must be taken that the positions of the slings coincides with the pack bearers. Sling protection must be inserted at the top and bottom of each pack to protect the edges of the top & bottom panels.

(SEE: CRANE LIFT - SLING PROTECTION DETAIL)

Lifting beams must be used for unloading Solaris panel packs, in excess of 4000mm. Where panel lengths exceed 4000mm, lifting beams must be used for unloading.

## SITE STORAGE

Panels should always remain dry in storage where possible, kept off the ground to allow for adequate vertilation of the panel stack. Do NOT cover the panel stack with additional plastic covering such as black plastic sheeting.

#### RECEIPT OF GOODS

All materials arriving on site must be checked promptly against relevant advice or delivery notes to ascertain correct quantities, specifications and lock of damage. Any shortages or damage must be reported within 24 hours of receipt of goods on site.

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PATIO ROOF INSTALLATION GUIDE RECESSED LIGHTING INSTALLATION GUIDE

PATIO ENGINEERING DESIGN GUIDE

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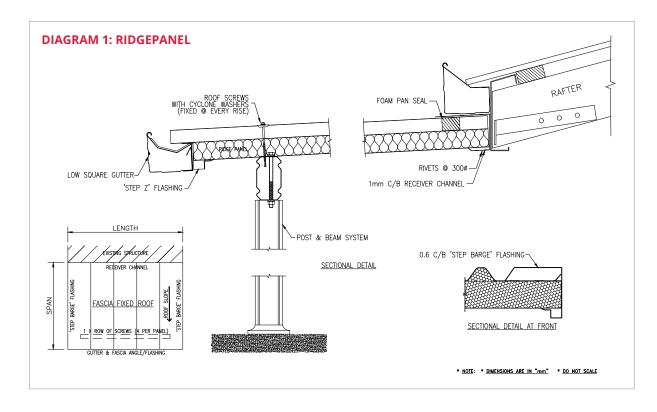
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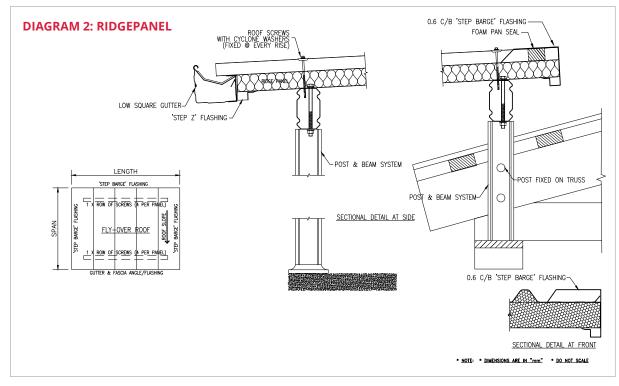




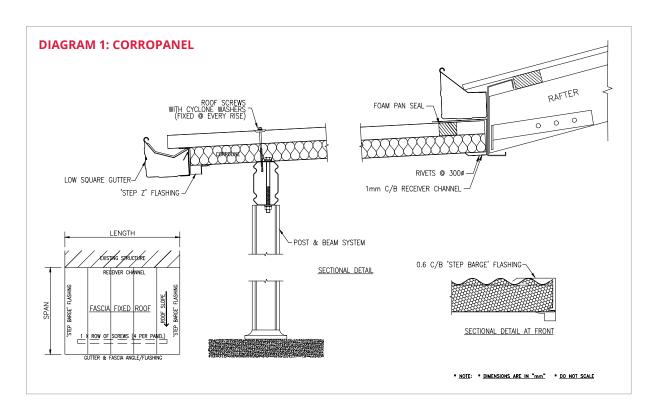
# **INSTALLATION GUIDELINES**

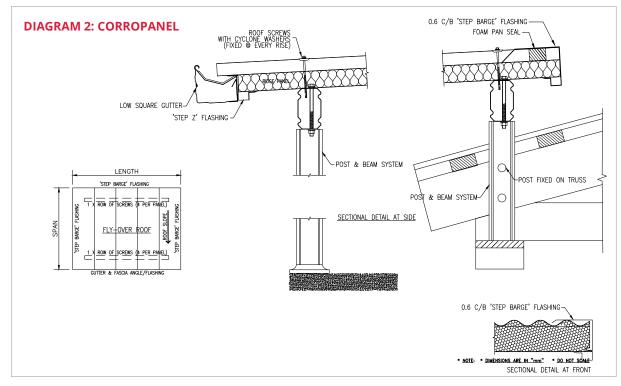
Installation guidelines are supplied for both fascia attached and fly over patio structures.





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NOTE: This document is to be used only as a guide for the installation of Solaris™ roofing panels. All installation methods, waterproofing and weather flashing actions should be done in compliance with all relevant codes and regulations.

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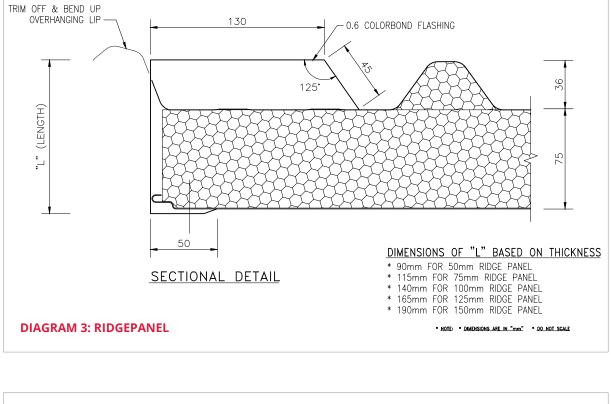
## **FASCIA ATTACHED PATIOS**

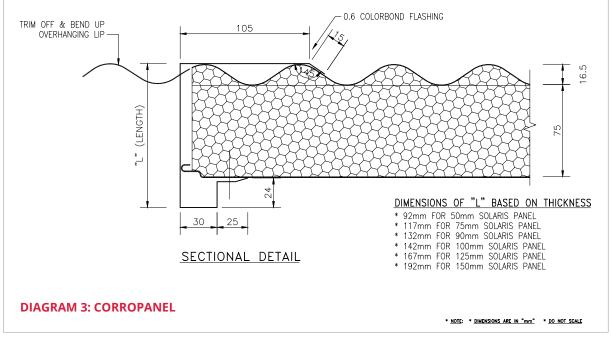
- a) Attach the receiver channel to house fascia in line with your engineers' specifications.
- b) Fit support beam(s) allowing for min 1.5 degree pitch from bottom of receiver to top of beam.

#### **FLY OVER PATIOS** 2.

- Install extender posts and beam through the house roof in line with engineers' specifications.
- b) Fit support beam(s) allowing for min 1.5 degree pitch from top of beam to top of beam.
- If the side of the patio roof is to start against a wall or fascia of the dwelling, fit this side 3. barge or receiver channel from the end receiver channel, extending out to the beam(s).
- If the patio is a three side open design, all barges can be installed post the fitting of Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels.
- 5. Remove Solaris<sup>™</sup> panels from the stack.
  - a) Carefully lift panel ensure Solaris™ panels are NEVER DRAGGED.
- Prepare a working platform from trestles with foam blocks on top. 6.
- Place the Solaris<sup>™</sup> panel with roof side up on trestles. **7**.

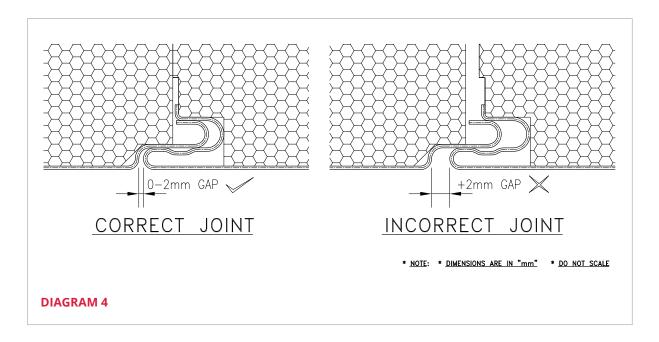








8.	Trim the overlay edge as per diagram 3.
9.	Turn up the pans of the high end of the Solaris™ roof panels using the Solaris™ pan tool.
10.	Turn pans down at the gutter end of the Solaris™ roof panels using the Solaris™ pan tool.
11.	Throw soft blanket or covering over beam, where first Solaris™ panel is to be located.
12.	Turn the panel over on trestle and remove the core strip from ceiling side completely.
13.	Lift the first Solaris <sup>™</sup> panel onto beams ready for installation.
14.	Fit into receiver channel or onto beams for fly over patios.
15.	Square the panel off and fix with screw in the top and underneath (receiver channel end) to hold in place.
16.	Prepare the second and subsequent sheets as per points 5 through to 12.
17.	On the overlay edge of the top sheet of the remaining Solaris™ sheets, trim the corner off at the receiver end to ensure no interference with the pan turn up of the previous panel.



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## **CONNECTING SUBSEQUENT PANELS**

- a) Move blanket/soft covers over beam(s) to where next panel will connect with the
- b) Lift from both ends of the panel to a 45° angle. Place the overlay top skin over the rib of previous panel.
- c) Lower the panel to engage the male joint into the female SmoothPanel joint.
- d) Slide the Solaris™ panels into the receiver channel at the house end.
- e) Apply sidewards pressure to ensure firm joint connection of uniform appearance.
- Successful connection of panels will result in a neat joint to the ceiling side, with minimal or no gap (refer to Diagram 4).
- g) Fix each panel off, top and bottom as they are fitted into place.

## Ensure that overlap joints are screw fixed off last.

h) Once all panels are fitted, you can continue to fit the remaining barge flashings, Z flashings and rainwater goods.



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## RECESSED LIGHTING



Guidelines for installing LV downlights into Solaris™ Panels – core sizes 50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm and 150mm.

#### KIT INCLUDES

8w downlight

Dimmable compliant driver with lead and flex plug

12m extra low voltage cable

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Voltage - 240volt 50Hz

Wattage - 8watt

Ingress Protection - IP44

Beam Angle - 110°

Constant current driver - 350mA

Dimmable - 8%-100%

#### **MANUFACTURERS SPECIFICATIONS**

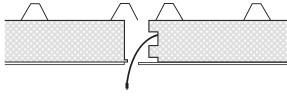
- 1. No heat shield or cover is required for installation into insulated roofing panels.
- 2. Installation into 50mm, 75mm, 100mm, 125mm and 150mm insulated panel requires driver to be installed remotely.
- 3. This product only compatible with leading edge or trailing edge dimmers NOT universal.

## **WARRANTY**

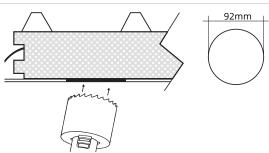
This product is guaranteed for three years from the date of purchase. The warranty is invalid if installation is not carried out in accordance with this information. The product will be replaced should it fail within the warranty period. Solaris™ is not liable for costs associated with replacement of this product.

#### INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

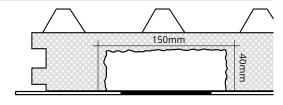
STEP 1 Install 12m extra low voltage cable through the panel join cavity from desired light position back to the driver location in the ceiling cavity. (Note: Each light has its own driver)



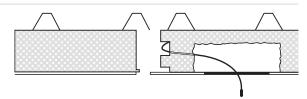
STEP 2 Cut hole in the underside of insulated panel with bimetal holesaw, observing required cut out size as in diagram.



STEP 3 Remove sufficient foam core to allow for specified clearance as in diagram. (Minimum 25mm clearance from body of light to foam installation).



STEP 4 Make provision for extra low voltage cable to pass from panel cavity to cut out area.



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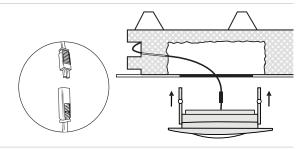


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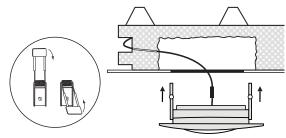




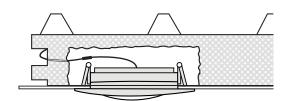
STEP 5 Hold the downlight close to the cut out opening. Connect the light to the extra low voltage cable ensuring the quick connect clip is secure.



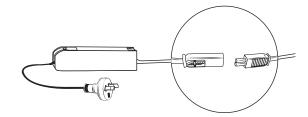
STEP 6 Fold spring clips back and insert downlight into prepared opening in COLORBOND® sheet.



STEP 7 Release spring clips and press downlight firmly into position. The downlight should sit flush to the ceiling.



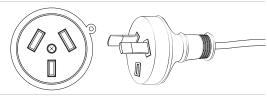
STEP 8 At driver location, connect quick connect clip from extra low voltage cable to driver.



## POWER SUPPLY MUST BE TURNED OFF BEFORE PROCEEDING TO THE NEXT STEP!

Choose either step 9A OR step 9B

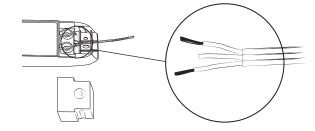
**STEP 9A** Connect flex plug to plug base or outlet.

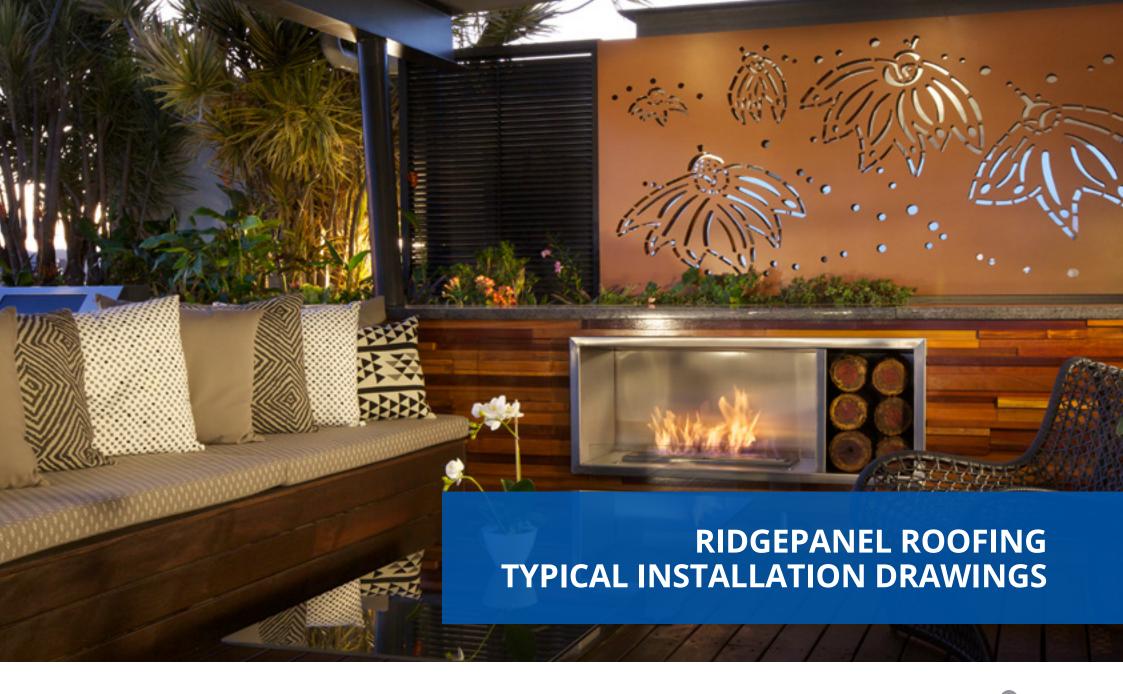


STEP 9B Installation using this method must be carried out by a licensed electrical contractor in accordance with the Electrical Safety Act Wiring Rules AS/NZS 3000:2007 - Electrical Installations

> Fixed wiring - Remove driver cover and flex lead.

Make new wiring connections accordingly and replace driver cover ensuring no single insulated cable is exposed and cover is firmly fastened to driver base. Note: Some cover plastic may need to be cut away to allow for thicker cable entry.











## **SCHEDULE OF DRAWINGS**

TITLE **DRAWING NUMBER** RidgePanel roof LH and RH cutback installation details R00 RidgePanel with cutback and "Z" flashing - fit-fast gutter R01A RidgePanel with cutback and step "Z" flashing – fit-fast gutter R01B RidgePanel with cutback and "Z" flashing - emline gutter R02A RidgePanel with cutback and step "Z" flashing - emline gutter R02B RidgePanel – Half round gutter with overhang and step flashing R03B RidgePanel at female joint - STD. barge flashing detail R04A RidgePanel at male joint – step barge flashing detail R04B RidgePanel at male joint - STD. barge flashing detail R05A RidgePanel at female joint – step barge flashing detail R05B RidgePanel patio roof to existing structure at high end receiving channel detail R06 RidgePanel patio roof end lap detail R07 RidgePanel roof – multi-pitch roof joint (indicative detail only) R08 RidgePanel fixing details with overhang and "Z" flashing R10A RidgePanel fixing details with overhang and step "Z" flashing R<sub>10</sub>B RidgePanel roof to low wall gutter (indicative detail only) R11 RidgePanel roof to high wall barge (indicative detail only) R12 RidgePanel roof at male side barge (indicative detail only) R13 RidgePanel roof at female side barge (indicative detail only) R14

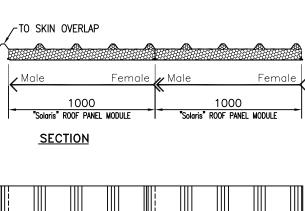
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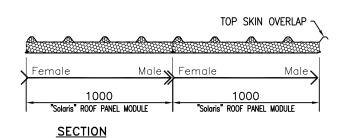
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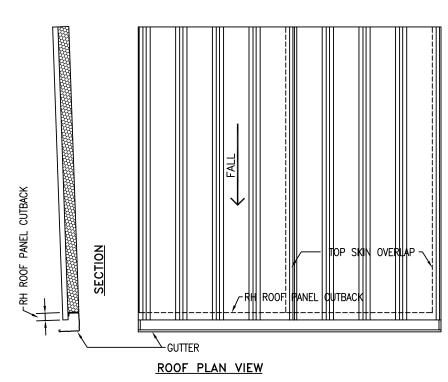




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LH ROOF PANEL CUTBACK

ROOF PLAN VIEW

|ROOF|||PANEL

SKIN

**GUTTER** 

RH ROOF PANEL CUTBACK

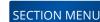
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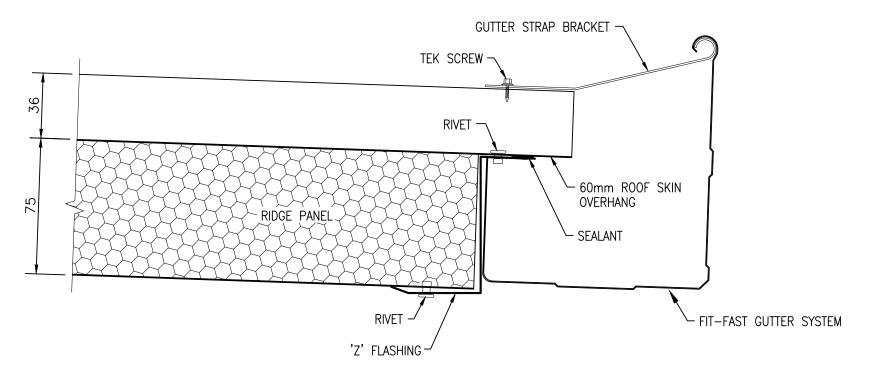
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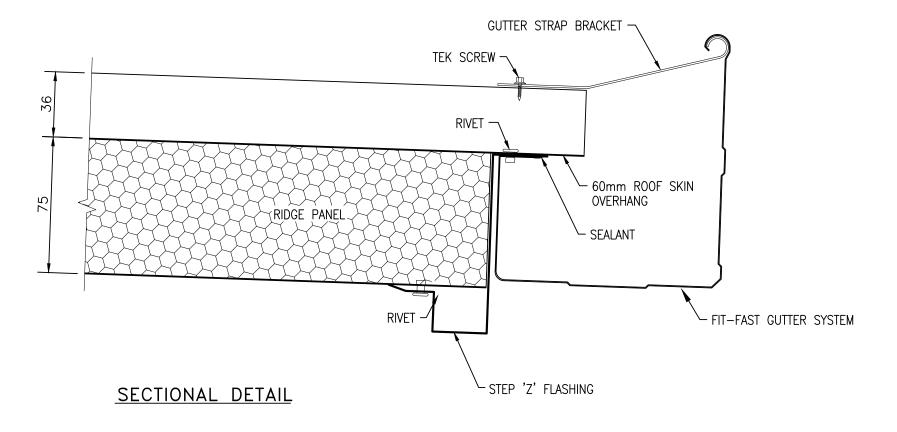
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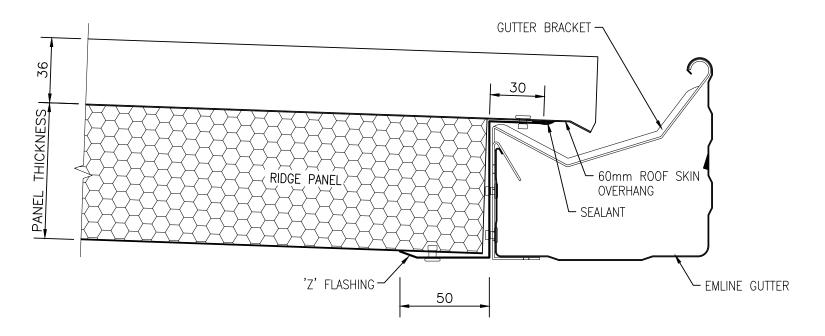




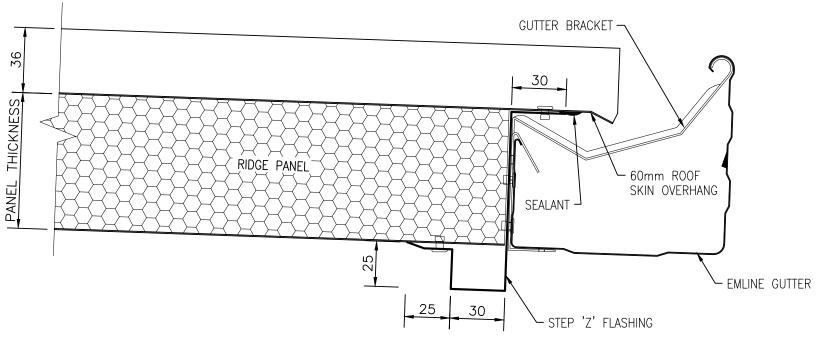


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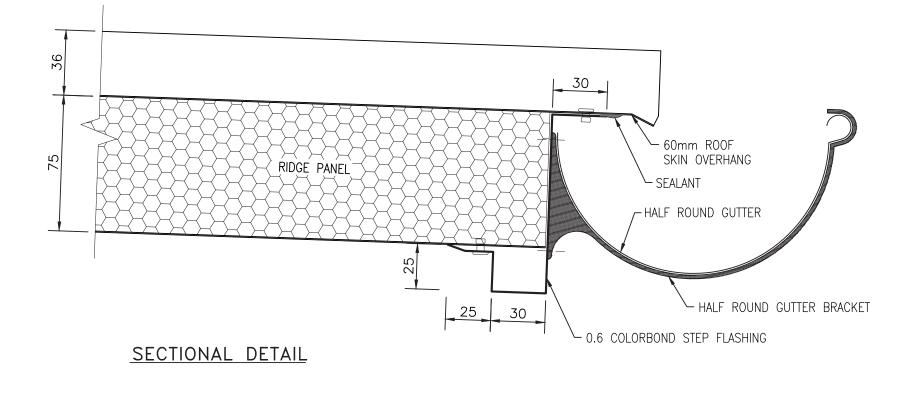


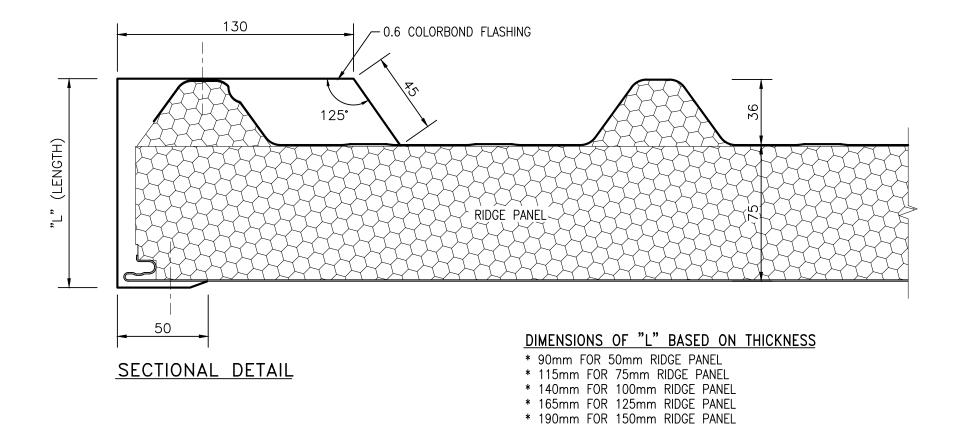


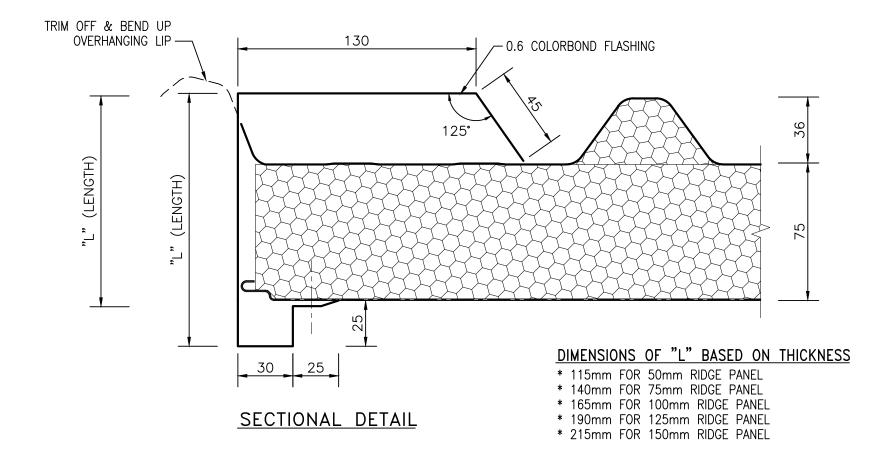
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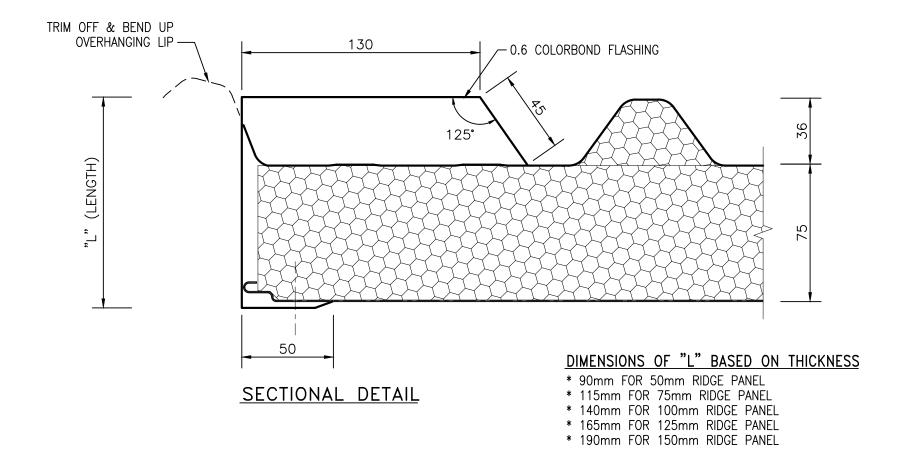


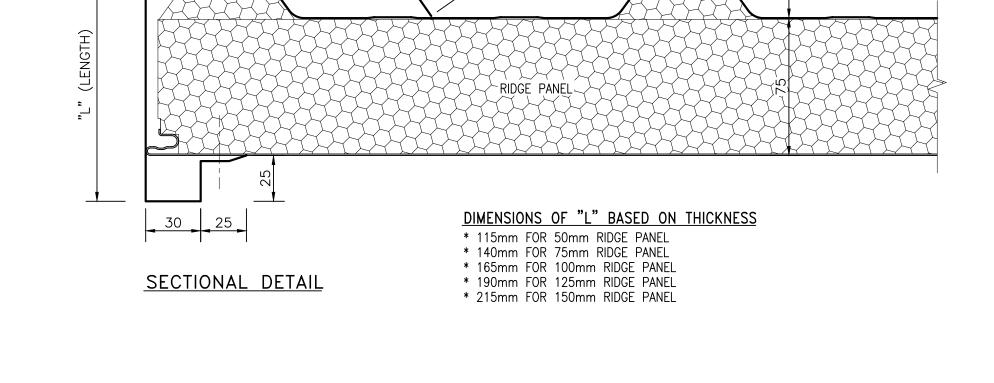
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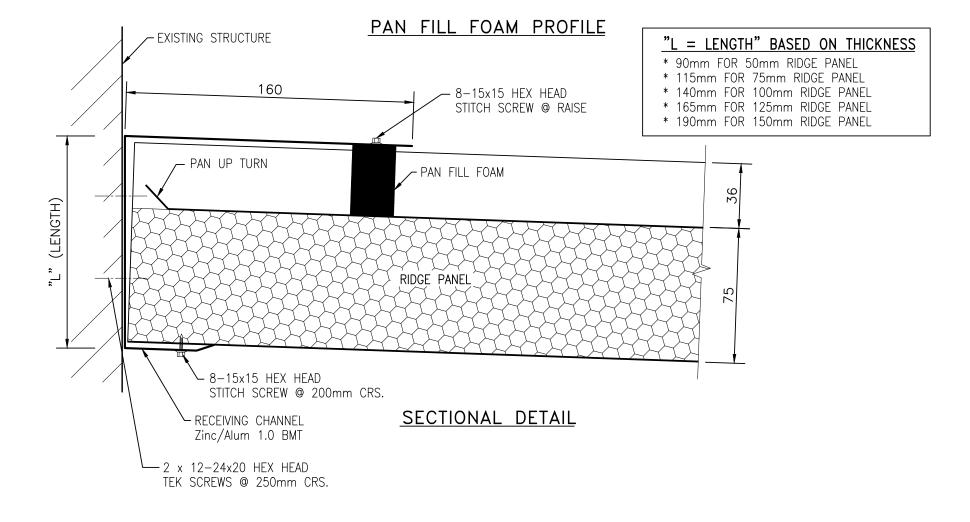




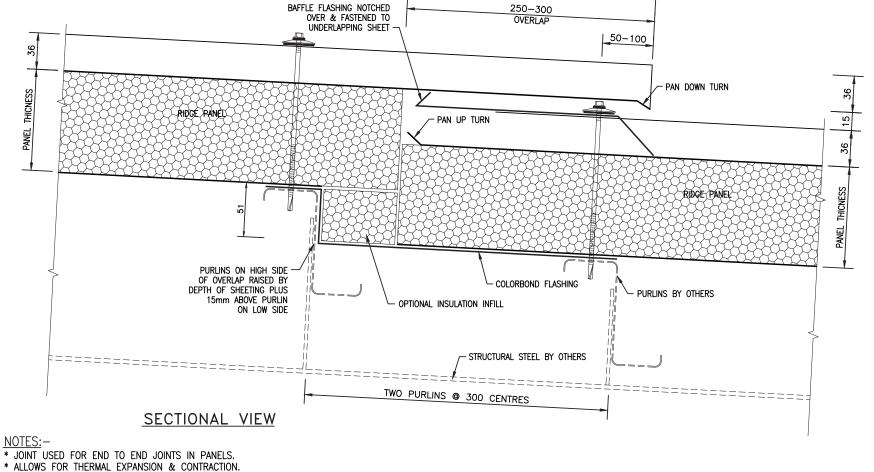
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125°



SECTION MENU



350-400

250-300

## NOTES:-

- \* MAXIMUM LENGTH OF ROOF PANEL IS 18 METRES.

- \* MINIMUM ROOF SLOPE THREE DEGREES.

  \* REFER 1) BRANZ "GOOD PRACTICE GUIDE PROFILED METAL ROOFING". FIGURE 13, SECTION 6.2, TABLE 12.

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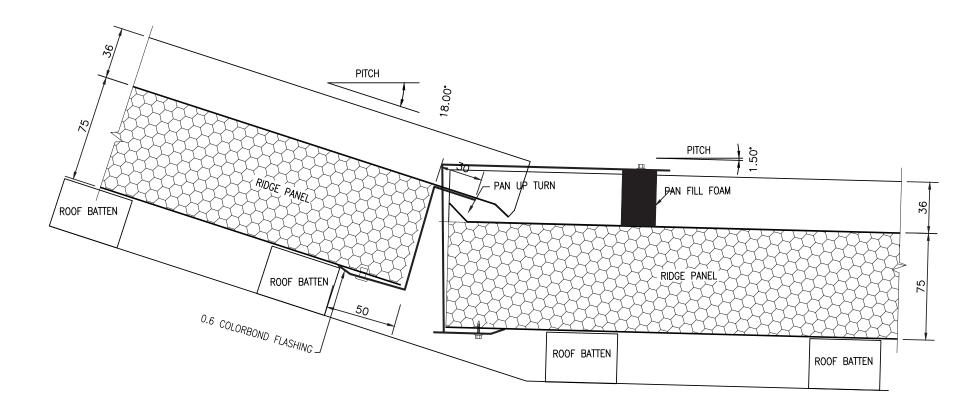
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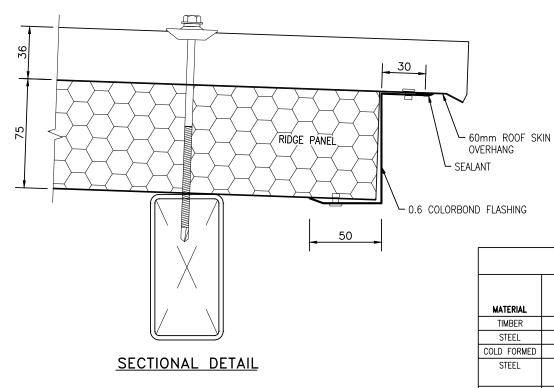
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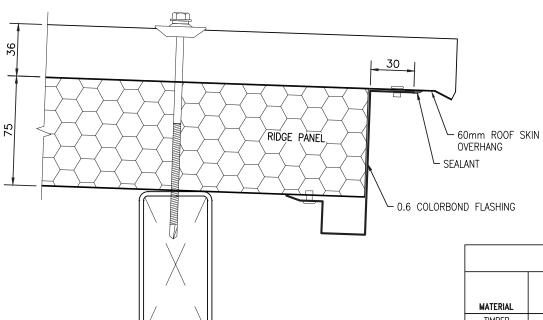




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## RIDGE PANEL FIXINGS TO BEAMS

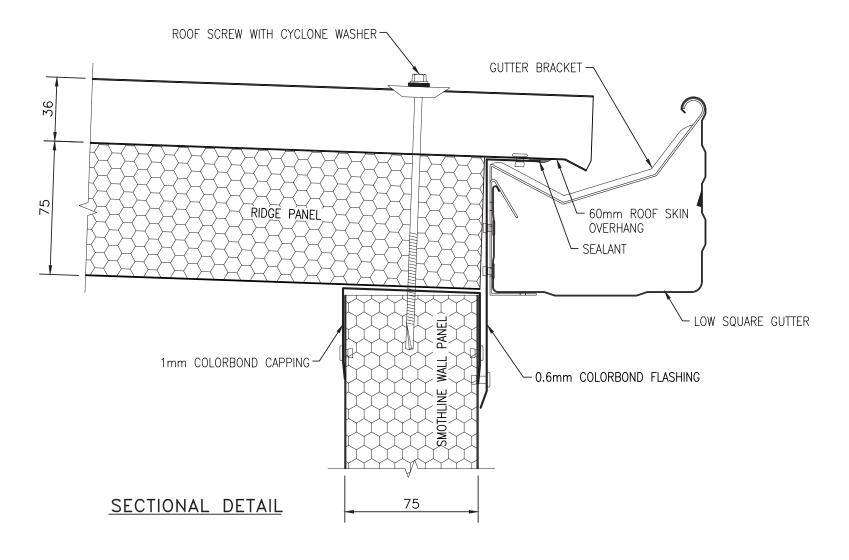
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	OR BETTER.	MIN. STEEL THICKNESS — 1.5mm
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75mm	WITH CYCLONE WASHER .TIMBER TO BE JOINT J3	WITH CYCLONE WASHER
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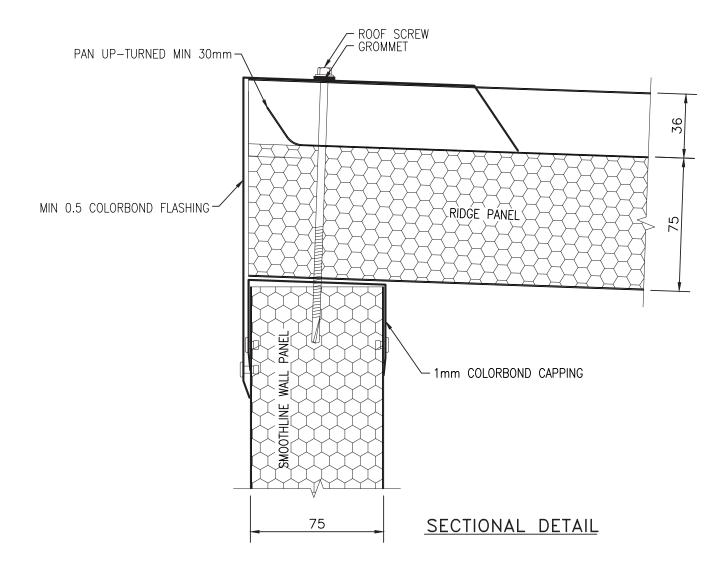


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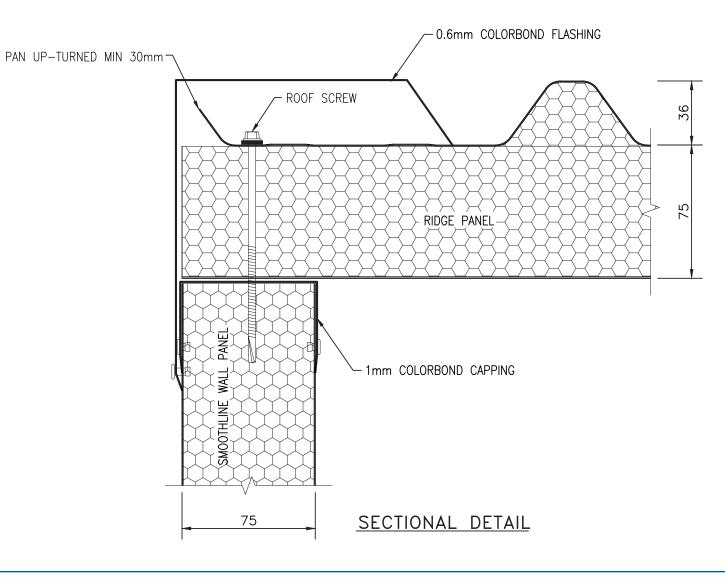
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ROOF SCREW GROMMET









# **SCHEDULE OF DRAWINGS**

TITLE	DRAWING NUMBER
CorroPanel roof LH and RH cutback installation details	C00
CorroPanel with cutback and "Z" flashing – fit-fast gutter	C01A
CorroPanel with cutback and step "Z" flashing – fit-fast gutter	C01B
CorroPanel with cutback and "Z" flashing – emline gutter	C02A
CorroPanel with cutback and step "Z" flashing – emline gutter	C02B
CorroPanel – Half round gutter with overhang and step flashing	C03B
CorroPanel at female joint – STD. barge flashing detail	C04A
CorroPanel at female joint – step barge flashing detail	C04B
CorroPanel at male joint – STD. barge flashing detail	C05A
CorroPanel at male joint – step barge flashing detail	C05B
CorroPanel patio roof to existing structure at high end receiving channel detail	C06
CorroPanel patio roof end lap detail	C07
CorroPanel roof – multi-pitch roof joint (indicative detail only)	C08
CorroPanel fixing details with overhang and "Z" flashing	C10A
CorroPanel fixing details with overhang and step "Z" flashing	C10B
CorroPanel roof to low wall gutter (indicative detail only)	C11
CorroPanel roof to high wall barge (indicative detail only)	C12
CorroPanel roof at male side barge (indicative detail only)	C13
CorroPanel roof at female side barge (indicative detail only)	C14

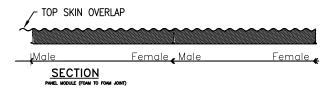
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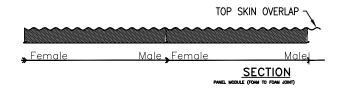
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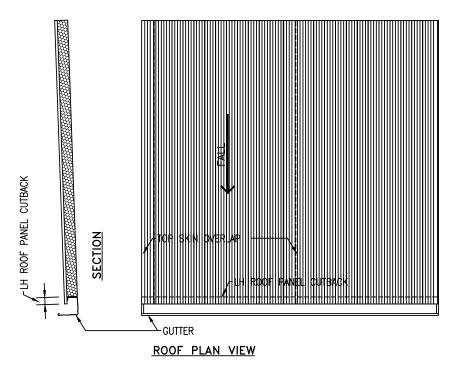


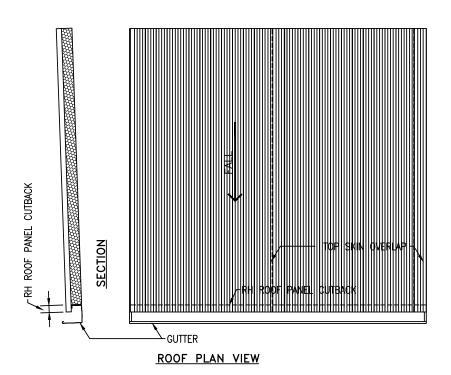


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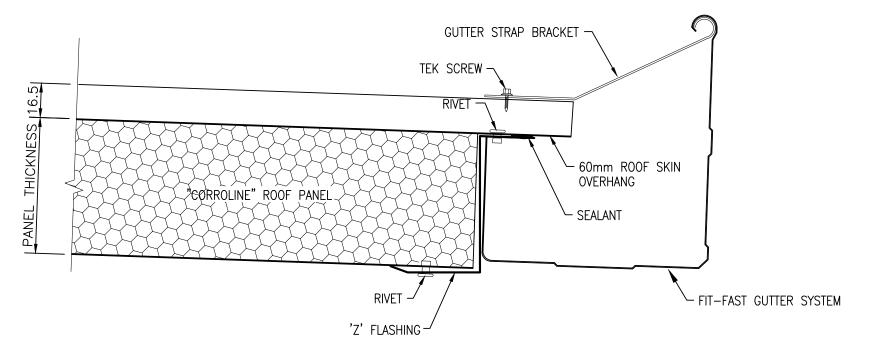




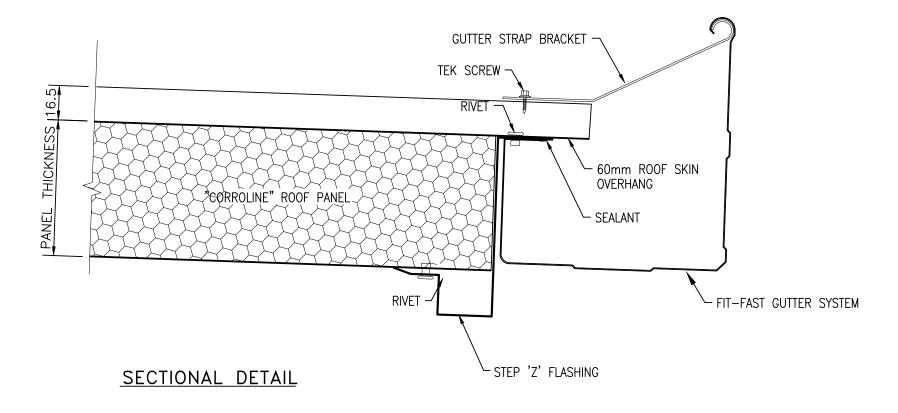


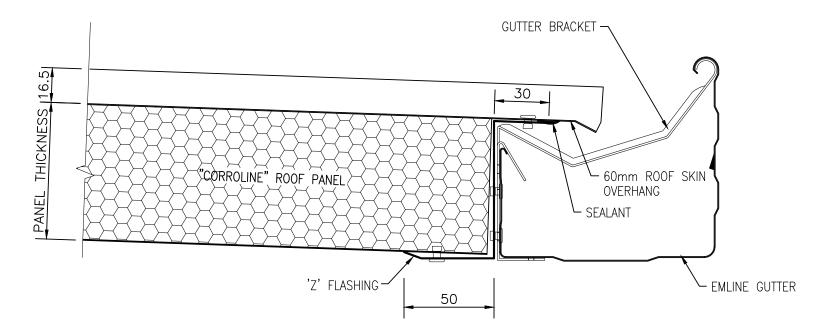
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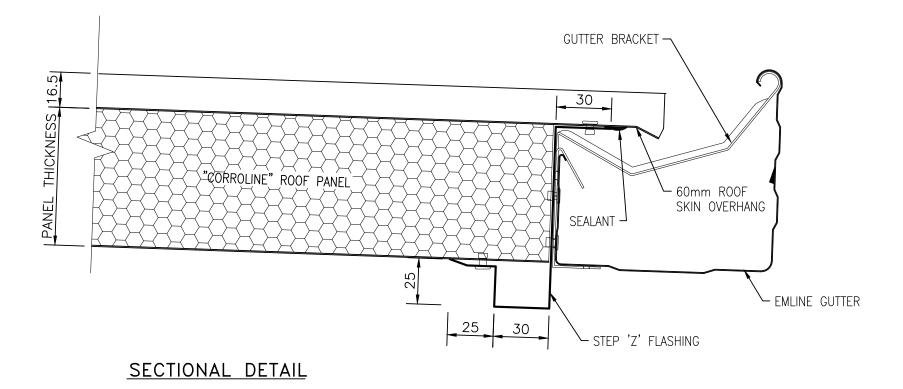


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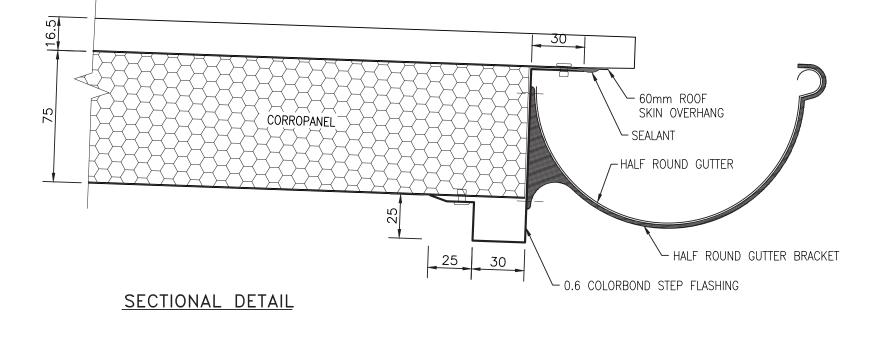




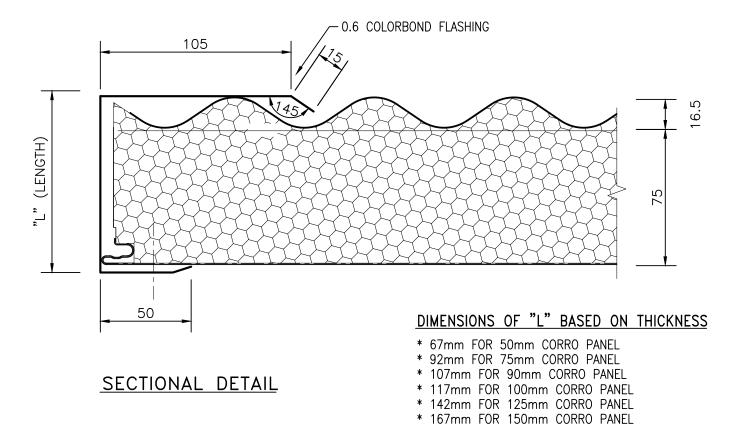
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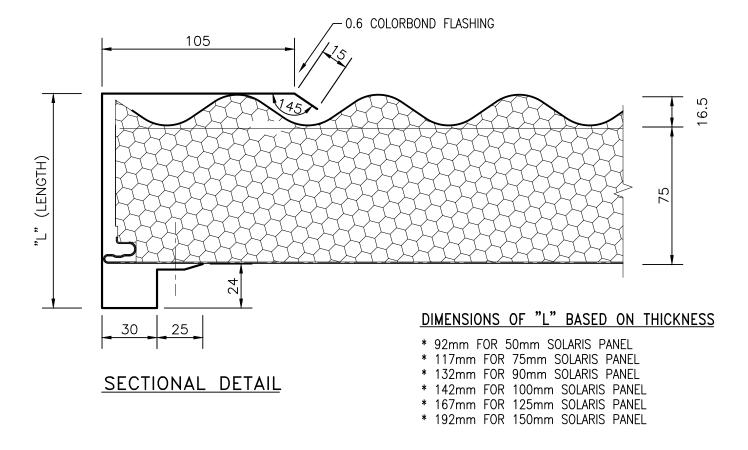


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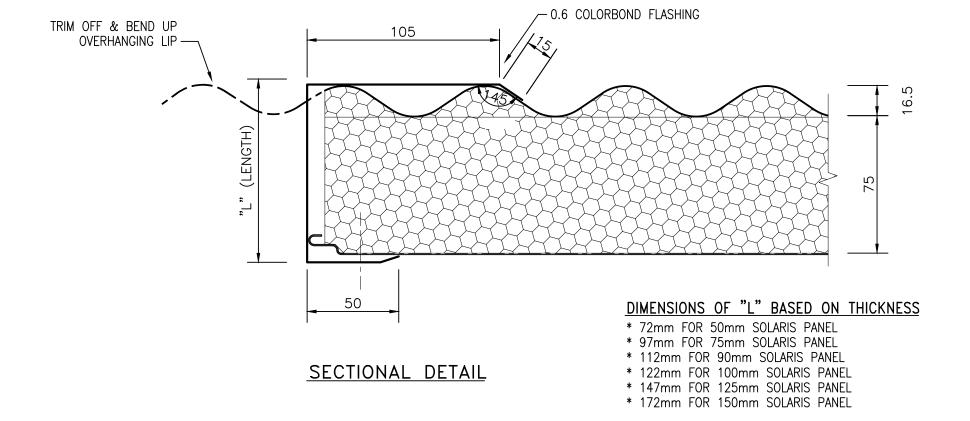










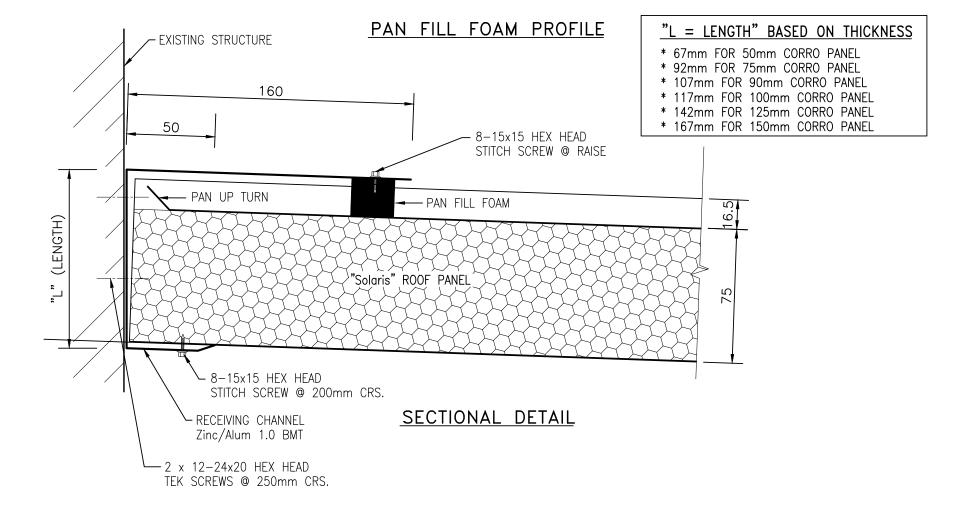


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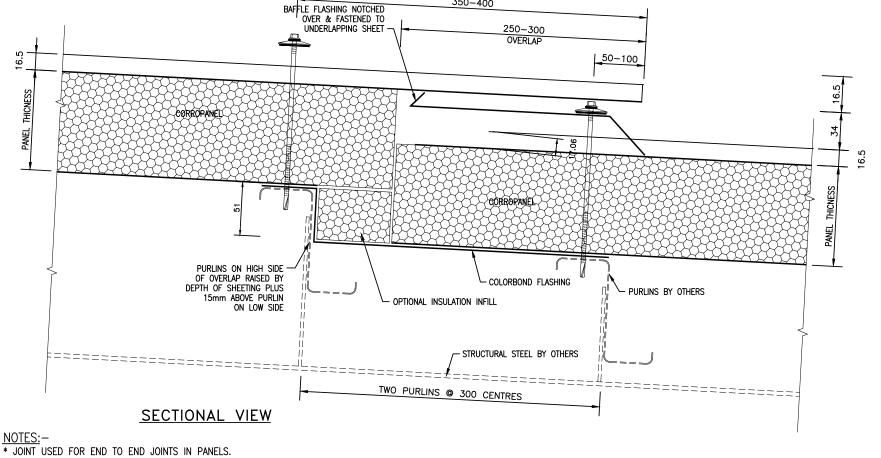
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MAIN MENU

TRIM OFF & BEND UP







350-400

- \* ALLOWS FOR THERMAL EXPANSION & CONTRACTION.
- \* MAXIMUM LENGTH OF ROOF PANEL IS 16 METRES. \* MINIMUM ROOF SLOPE THREE DEGREES.
- \* REFER 1) BRANZ "GOOD PRACTICE GUIDE PROFILED METAL ROOFING". FIGURE 13, SECTION 6.2, TABLE 12.
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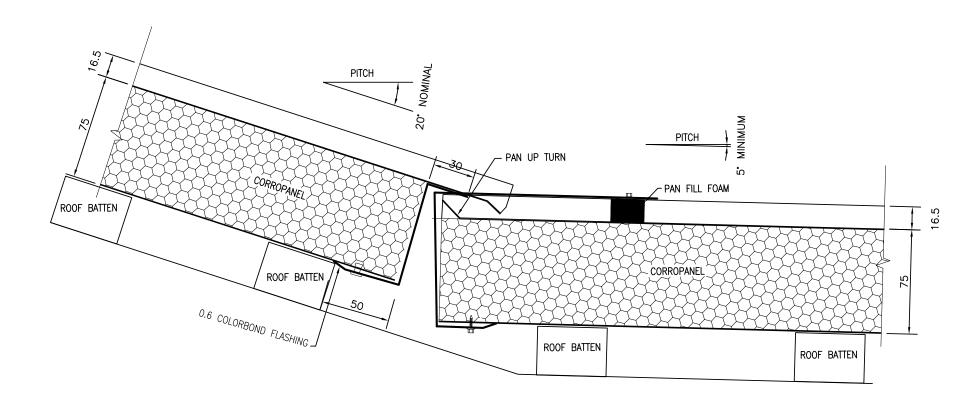
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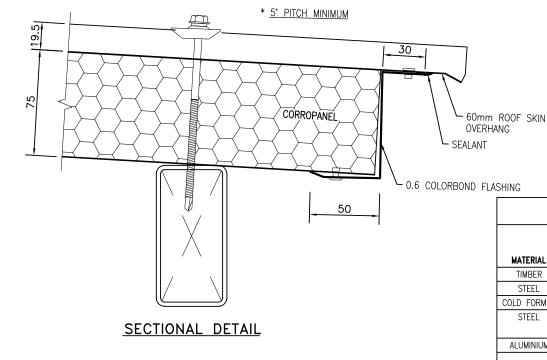
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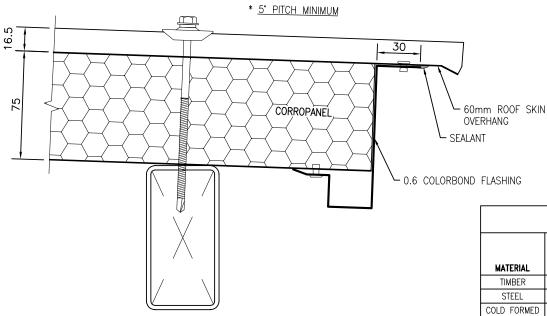




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CORROPANEL FIXING DETAILS WITH OVERHANG AND STEP "Z" FLASHING

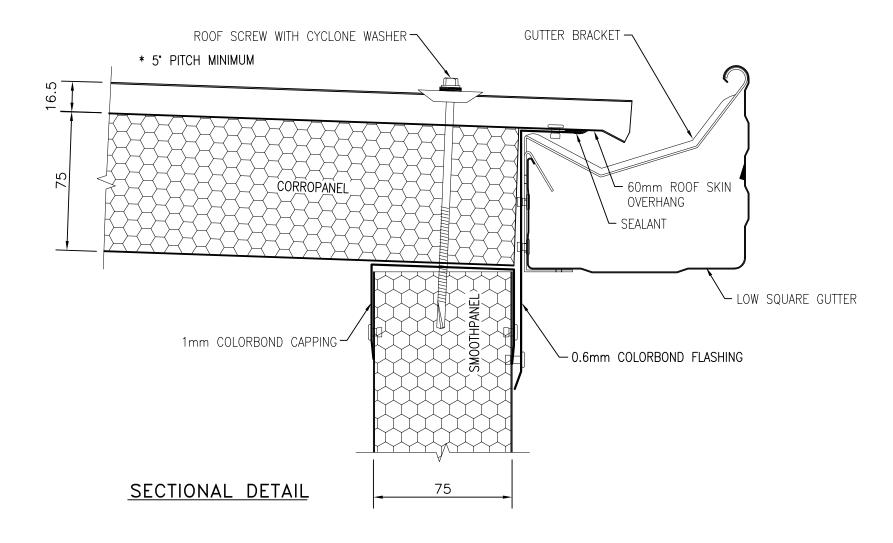
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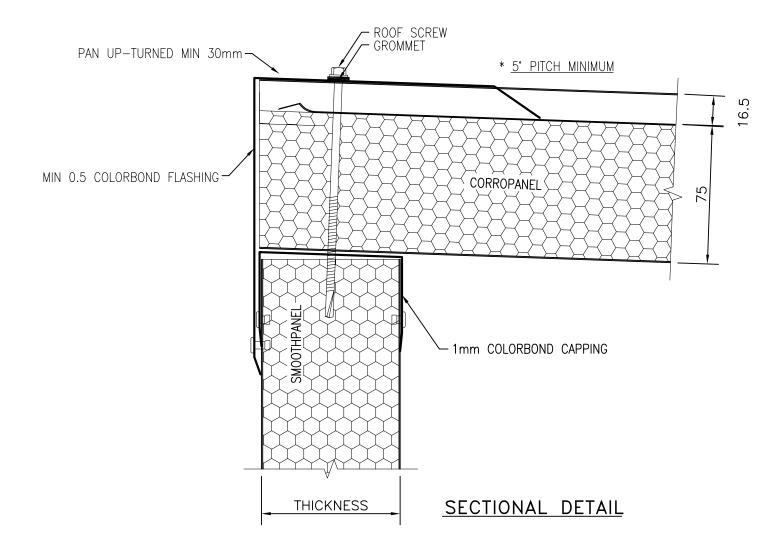






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CORROPANEL ROOF TO HIGH WALL BARGE (INDICATIVE DETAIL ONLY)

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0.6 COLORBOND FLASHING

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OVERHANGING LIP

CORROPANEL ROOF AT MALE SIDE BARGE (INDICATIVE DETAIL ONLY)

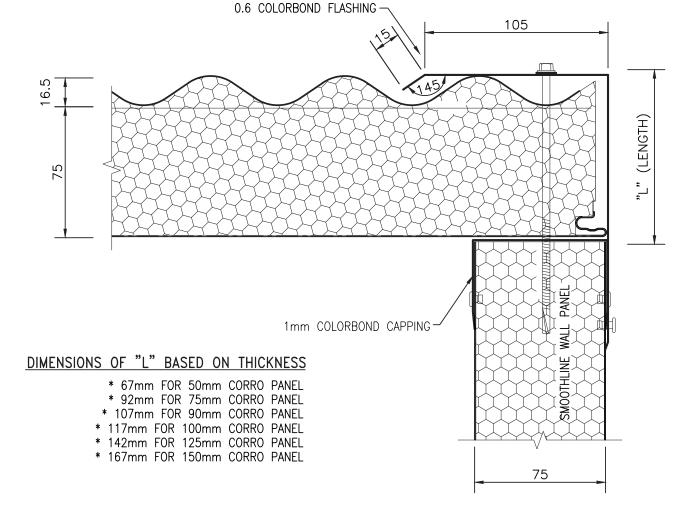
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MAIN MENU



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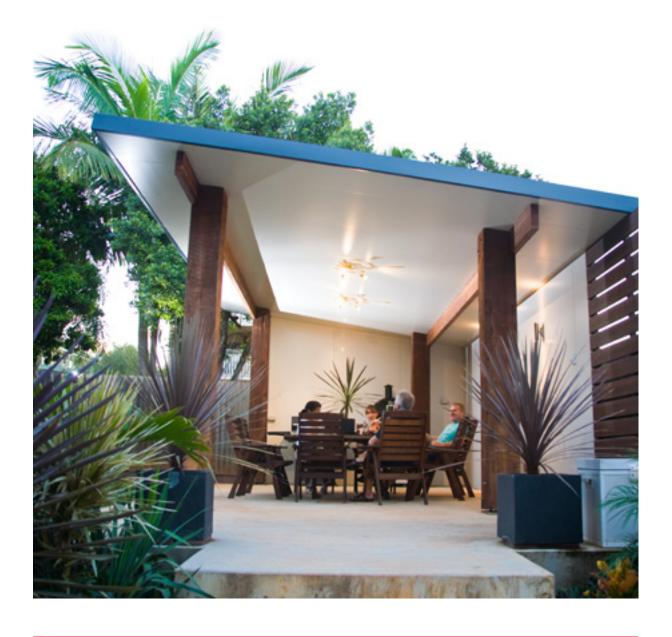


## **PATIO ENGINEERING**

#### **NOTES**

- The information contained herein is applicable for the design of fully open structures and patio structures attached to or under the eaves of single or double storey residences with floor level less than 1 metre above the ground level.
- Minimum roof pitch is 2 degrees.
- The builder is responsible to ensure correct installation for structural adequacy. Additional fixings or strengthening may be carried out by the builder where required.
- · Patio designs outside the scope of this document must by individually certified by a registered engineer.

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS DOCUMENT CAN BE USED TO DESIGN FULLY OPEN STRUCTURES AND PATIO STRUCTURES UTILISING SOLARIS™ ROOFING PANELS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

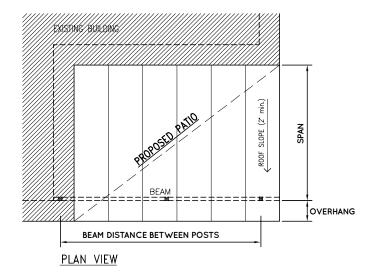




## **MAXIMUM LOAD ON BEAM**

#### LOAD WIDTH ON THE BEAM

\* Load width on beam = 0.5 x span + overhang



#### **UPLIFT LOAD ON THE BEAM**

Use the load width from above to select the uplift load on the beam (kN/m) from the table below for the particular wind category and patio type

			Uplift load on beams (ki	N/m)	
		Fully open or 3 sides open	2 sides open	1 side open	Fully enclosed
Wind class	Load width	M			
	1500	0.91	1.73	2.07	2.25
	2100	1.28	2.42	2.90	3.14
	2700	1.65	3.11	3.73	4.04
N1/N2	3300	2.01	3.80	4.56	4.94
INI/INZ	3900	2.38	4.49	5.39	5.84
	4500	2.74	5.18	6.22	6.74
	5100	3.11	5.88	7.05	7.64
	6000	3.66	6.91	8.29	8.99
	1500	1.49	2.70	3.24	3.51
	2100	2.00	3.78	4.24	4.91
	2700	2.57	4.86	5.83	6.32
N2/C1	3300	3.14	5.94	7.13	7.72
N3/C1	3900	3.74	7.02	8.42	9.13
	4500	4.28	8.10	9.72	10.53
	5100	4.86	9.18	11.02	11.93
	6000	5.71	10.80	12.96	14.04
	1500	2.13	4.02	4.84	5.22
	2100	2.98	5.63	6.75	7.31
	2700	3.83	7.23	8.68	9.40
N4/C2	3300	4.68	8.84	10.61	11.49
	3900	5.53	10.45	12.54	13.56
	4500	6.38	12.06	14.47	15.76
	5100	7.23	13.66	16.40	17.76

#### NOTES:

- Linear interpolation is permitted between load width values in the table
- Loads for Wind Class N5, C3, C4 to be individually designed by a certified engineer

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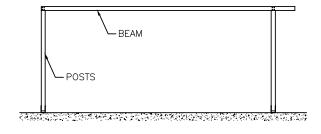


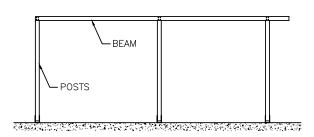


## **BEAM AND MAXIMUM POST SPACING**

Use the uplift load on the beam (kN/m determined in Step 3.2) to select a suitable beam and span from the table below. Ensure the beam's load capacity (kN/m) exceeds the load on the beam selected in Step 3.2.

													Lo	ad ca	paciti	es of	beam	s (kN	/m)													
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Beam details		eam size	100 × 50 × 2	100 × 50 × 3	100 × 50 × 4	125 x 75 x 3	125 × 75 × 4	125 × 75 × 5	150 x 50 x 3	150 x 50 x 4	150 x 50 x 5	150 × 100 × 4	140 x 45 F7	190 x 45 F7	125 x 50 F14	150 x 50 F14	200 x 50 F14	150 x 75 F14	200 x 75 F14	C15015	C15019	C20015	C20019	F10011	F15015	F20020	140 x 50 RFB	150 x 60 RFB	200 x 60 RFB	2/140 x 50 RFB	2/150 x 60 RFB	2/200 x 60 RFB
		Single Span	14.3	20.7	25.9	36.7	46.9	56.5	39.9	50.8	61.3	114.3	15.0	27.3	13.3	19.1	34.0	28.7	51.1	14.5	15.7	20.2	29.3	7.8	11.4	18.2	9.1	20.3	20.3	18.3	40.7	40.6
		Multi Span	14.3	20.7	25.9	36.7	46.9	56.5	39.9	50.8	61.3	113.3	13	23.7	11.5	16.6	29.6	25	44.4	15.9	26.4	15.1	28	6.3	9.1	14.5	9.1	20.3	20.3	18.3	40.7	40.6
		Single Span	8	11.6	14.6	20.6	26.3	31.8	22.4	26.6	34.5	64.3	6.6	15.3	7.4	10.7	19.1	16.1	28.7	8.1	8.8	11.3	16.5	4.7	8.5	13.6	5.1	11	11.3	11.1	22.6	22.3
		Multi Span	8	11.6	14.6	20.6	26.3	31.8	22.4	26.6	34.5	64.3	7.3	13.3	6.5	9.3	16.6	14	25	8.2	15.8	10.3	18.6	4.7	6.8	10.9	5.1	11	11.3	11.1	22.6	22.3
osts	0	Single Span	5.1	7.4	9.3	13.2	16.8	20.3	14.3	18.3	22	14.1	3.4	8.5	4.1	6.9	12.2	10.3	18.4	4	5.6	7.2	10.5	2.9	6.8	10.9	3.3	7	7.2	6.6	14.5	14
beam distance between posts	3000	Multi Span	5.1	7.4	9.3	13.2	16.8	20.3	14.3	18.3	22	41.1	4.7	8.5	4.1	6	10.6	9	16	5.4	7.6	61	10.6	3	5.4	8.7	3.3	7	7.2	6.6	14.5	14
betw		Single Span	3.6	5.1	6.3	9.2	11.7	14.1	9.9	12.5	15.3	28.5	1.9	4.9	2.3	4.1	8.5	6.1	12.7	2.2	3	4.1	5.7	1.6	5	9.1	2.5	4.8	5	5	10	9.7
ance	3600	Multi Span	3.6	5.1	6.3	9.2	11.7	14.1	9.9	12.5	15.3	28.5	3.2	5.9	2.8	4.1	7.4	6.2	11.1	2.7	5.3	4.6	7.8	2.1	4.5	7.2	2.5	4.8	5	5	10	9.7
dist		Single Span	2.3	3.2	4	6.7	8.6	10.3	7.3	9	11.2	18	1.2	3.1	1.5	2.5	6.1	3.8	9.2	1.3	1.7	2.4	3.5	1	3.7	7.3	1.8	3.6	3.6	3.6	7.3	7.2
bearr	4200	Multi Span	2.6	3.8	4.7	6.7	8.6	10.3	7.3	9	11.2	21	2.2	4.3	2.1	3	5.4	4.5	8.1	2.7	3.7	3.6	5.7	1.5	3.7	6.2	1.8	3.6	3.6	3.6	7.3	7.2
		Single Span	1.5	2.1	2.7	4.9	6.2	7.4	5.6	6.7	8.6	12	0.8	2	1	1.7	4.1	2.6	6.1	0.8	1.1	1.5	2.2	-	2.5	5.6	1.4	2.7	2.8	2.9	5.7	5.4
Maximum	4800	Multi Span	2	2.9	3.6	5.1	6.6	7.9	5.6	6.7	8.6	16	1.5	3.3	1.6	2.3	4.1	3.5	6.2	2	2.6	2.8	4.3	1.1	2.8	5.4	1.4	2.7	2.8	2.9	5.7	5.4
		Single Span	1	1.5	1.8	3.5	4.4	5.2	4.3	5.1	6.4	8.4	-	1.4	-	1.2	2.8	1.8	4.3	0.5	0.7	1	1.1	-	1.8	4.4	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	4.5	4.4
	5400	Multi Span	1.6	2.3	2.8	4	5.2	6.2	4.4	5.1	6.8	12.7	1	2.6	1.2	1.8	3.2	2.7	4.9	1.4	1.9	2.2	3.4	-	2.2	4.4	1.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	4.5	4.4
	00	Single Span	0.7	1.1	1.3	2.5	3.2	3.8	3.1	3.9	4.6	6.1	-	1	-	0.8	2.1	1.3	3.1	-	0.5	0.7	1	-	1.3	3.5	0.9	1.7	1.8	1.8	3.6	3.5
	0009	Multi Span	1.3	1.8	2.3	3.3	4.2	5	3.5	4	5.4	10.2	-	1.9	0.9	1.5	2.6	2.2	4	1	1.4	1.8	2.5	-	1.8	3.6	0.9	1.7	1.8	1.8	3.6	3.5



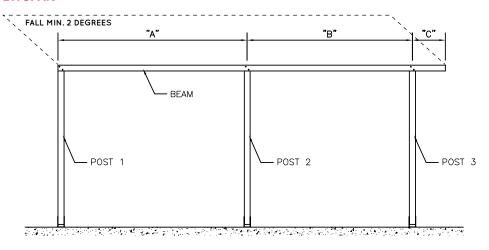


**SINGLE SPAN** 

**DOUBLE (MULTI) SPAN** 

## **UPLIFT ON POSTS**

#### **CASE 1: MULTI SPAN**



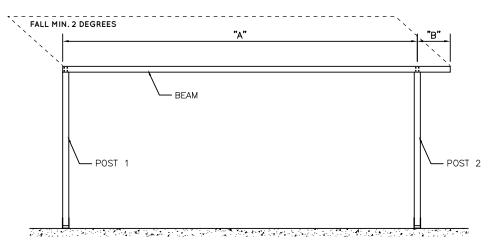
#### Step 1 - Select load width on each post, refer to diagram

- Load width on Post 1 0.5 A metres
- Load width on Post 2 0.5 (A+B) metres
- Load width on Post 3 (0.5 B) + C metres

#### Step 2

Uplift of post (kN) = Load width on post (metres) x uplift load on beam (kN) from page 65.

#### **CASE 2: SINGLE SPAN**



#### Step 1 – Select load width on each post, refer to diagram

- Load width on Post 1 = 0.5 metres
- Load width on Post 2 = 0.5 (A+B) metres

#### Step 2

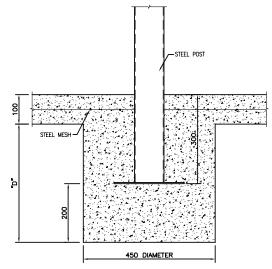
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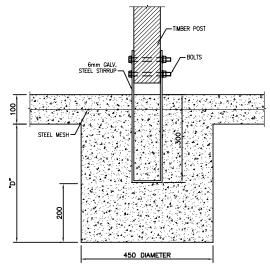
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## **FOOTING TYPE**

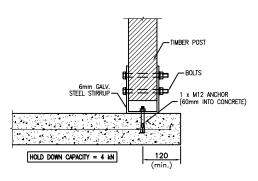
For each post, use the uplift on post (kN) to select the post to base connection and the footing. The hold down capacity of the footing must exceed the uplift on the post.



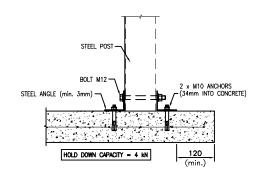
**PAD FOOTING - STEEL COLUMN** 



**PAD FOOTING - TIMBER POST** 



**STEEL COLUMN ON SLAB** 



STEEL COLUMN ON SLAB

Hold down capacity (kN)	Footing with slab over – depth D (mm)	Bolts (mm) No. & diameter
6.7	500	1 x M12
13.1	750	2 x M12 or 1 x M16
20.8	1000	2 x M16
29.0	1250	2 x M20

Hold down capacity (kN)	Footing without slab over – depth D (mm)	Bolts (mm) No. & diameter
3.5	500	1 x M12
8.5	750	2 x M12 or 1 x M16
14.01	1000	2 x M16
22.0	1250	2 x M20

- 1. Hold down capacity applies to piers with an undercut into cohesive clay soils. Not applicable in shady soils, refer to engineer.
- 2. For footings with depth D greater than 500, reinforce the footing with 4/Y12 vertical rods tied with R6 ligs at 500 CRS.

Concrete slab must be a minimum of 100mm thick, 20MP concrete reinforced F62 mesh and must extend for the full area covered by the Solaris™ roof.

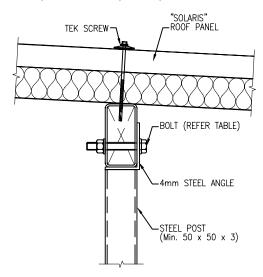


WARRANTIES

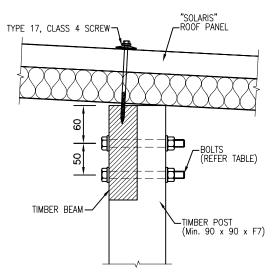
## **POST SELECTION**

#### **POST TO BEAM CONNECTIONS**

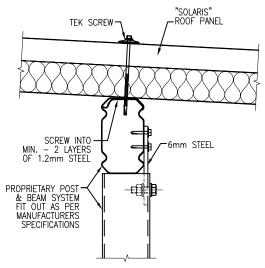
For each post, use the uplift on post (kN) to select the post to beam connection.



**R.H.S. POST TO R.H.S. BEAM JOINT** 



TIMBER POST TO BEAM JOINT



**PROPRIETARY SYSTEMS** 

Bolt size table									
			Uplift on post (Kn)						
Material	Grade	Thickness	1-M12	2-M12	2-M16	2-M20			
Timber	JD4/J3	30	3.39	6.77	9.03	11.29			
Steel	250	2	10	20	30	50			
Cold formed	G450	0.6	3.9	7.8	9.3	11.7			
Charl		1	7.8	15.6	20.7	21.6			
Steel		2	9.3	18.6	24.8	30.2			
Aluminium	6060-T4	2	3.1	6.3	8.3	10.4			

For selection and fixing of proprietary rolled steel beam and posts, refer to manufacturer's details for the particular load conditions

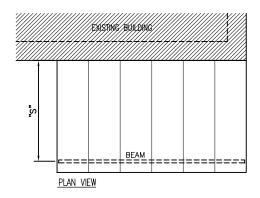
## PATIO ROOF HOUSE CONNECTIONS

## SOLARIS CONNECTION TO HOUSE (FASCIA OR WALL)

Load capacity of existing tiedowns need to be verified to ensure adequacy

#### PROCEDURE:

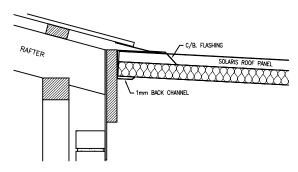
- A) Refer to sheet 6 Uplift loads on beam table for load width 0.5 A, select the uplift (kN/m) from the table. This value is the uplift load on the house.
- B) Select a suitable house connection for the required kN/m uplift.
- C) Note the uplift capacity of the house fascia connections apply to the receiver channel only. The load capacity and suitability of the members and connections below the rafter are to be assessed and strengthened if required.



#### WHERE FASCIA AND SOFFIT ARE REMOVED

NOTE:

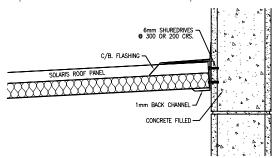
- Cutback rafter tails are shown
- Fix new fascia to each rafter tail with two 75mm batten screws
- Fix back channel to fascia with No. 14 Type 17 screws @ 300 CRS



Rafter spacing (mm)	Uplift capacity of back channel to rafter connection (kN/m)
600	6
900	4
1200	3

#### **BRICK/MASONARY WALL**

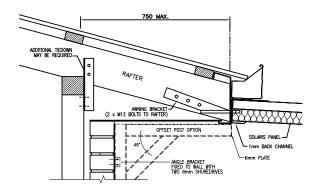
Do not attach to brickwork with less than 1.5m of brickwork above the fixing point unless brickwork is positively tied down with anchor rods. Otherwise a separate tied down structure is required.



#### **FOR TIMBER FASCIAS**

Refer to Tradec technical data sheet No.19 January 2002 (pergola and carports) for attaching pergola or carport to house page 6 and 7. Connect receiver channel as per carport/pergola as shown in that publication. Alternatively, connect as for metal fascias (below).

#### **FOR METAL FASCIAS**



Rafter	Uplift capacity of receiver channel to rafter connection (mm)						
connection pacing (mm)	Unstrengthened rafter	Strengthened rafter					
600	3	6					
900	2	4					
1200	1.5	3					

Rafter strengthening – fix timber stiffener 90 x 35 F8 x 1500 long to rafter with 75mm long x No. 14 type 17 batten screws at 300 CRS. (Not shown above)

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#### **LOAD ON BEAMS**

	Solaris™ fixing details								
			Uplift on b	eams (kN)					
Material	Grade	Thickness	1-screw every ridge	1-screw every ridge & pan	1-screw every ridge, 2-per pan				
Timber	JD4/J3	Min. 30mm EMB	7.6	15.3	22.9				
Steel	250	2	15.2	30.4	45.6				
Cold formed	G450	0.6	2.56	5.12	7.68				
		1	8.32	16.6	25				
Steel		2	10.24	20.5	30.72				
Aluminium	6060-T4	2	1.37	2.73	401				

Solaris™ fixing to beams								
Panel thickness	Timber beam	Steel beam						
50mm	Type 17 14–15 x 115mm Climaseal coated with cyclone washer. Timber to be joint J3 or better.	Hi-teks 14–10tpi x 115mm Climaseal with cyclone washer. Minimum steel thickness – 1.5mm						
75mm	Type 17 14–15 x 150mm Climaseal coated with cyclone washer. Timber to be joint J3 or better.	Hi-teks 14–10tpi x 135mm Climaseal with cyclone washer. Minimum steel thickness – 1.9mm						
100mm	Type 17 14–15 x 175mm Climaseal coated with cyclone washer. Timber to be joint J3 or better.	Hi-teks 14–10tpi x 150mm Climaseal with cyclone washer. Minimum steel thickness – 1.9mm						

### Form 15—Compliance Certificate for building Design or Specification

NOTE	This is to be used for the purposes of section 10 of the <i>Building Act</i> 1975 and/or section 46 of the <i>Building Regulation</i> 2006.
	RESTRICTION: A building certifier (class B) can only give a compliance certificate about whether building work complies with the BCA or a provision of the QDC. A building certifier (Class B) can not give a certificate regarding QDC boundary clearance and site cover provisions.
Property description     This section need only be completed if details of street address and property description are applicable.	Street address (include no., street, suburb / locality & postcode)
	Postcode
EG. In the case of (standard/generic) pool design/shell manufacture and/or	Lot & plan details (attach list if necessary)
patio and carport systems this section	
may not be applicable.	In which local government area is the land situated?
The description must identify all land the subject of the application.	
The lot & plan details (eg. SP / RP) are shown on title documents or a rates notice.	
If the plan is not registered by title, provide previous lot and plan details.	
2. Description of component/s certified	Structural capacity of Solaris Insulated Panel System for Domestic Awning
Clearly describe the extent of work covered by this certificate, e.g. all structural aspects of the	
steel roof beams.	All Structures to Non-Habitable Class, Importance Level (2), in accordance with
	Building Codes of Australia & Australian National Construction Codes.
	Building Course of Australia a Australia Haustral Contestaction Course.
3. Basis of certification	AS/NZS: 1170.0 (Structural Design Actions) (General Principals)
Detail the basis for giving the certificate and the extent to which tests, specifications, rules,	AS/NZS: 1170.1 (Structural Design Actions) (Permanent Imposed & Other Actions)
standards, codes of practice and other publications, were relied upon.	AS/NZ: 1554.1 (Structural Steel Welding) (parts 1-7)
	AS/NZS: 2312.1 (Protection of Structural Steel against Corrosion, by use of Protective Coating-Paint Coating)
	AS/NZS: 1163 (Cold Form Structural Steel Hollow Sections)
	AS/NZS: 2252 (High Strength Steel Bolts with Assoc. Nuts & Washers for Struct. Engineering)  continued page 2
	continued page 2
Reference documentation     Clearly identify any relevant documentation, e.g. numbered structural engineering plans.	Details contained within Solaris Patio Engineering Design Guide – August 2015
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Date received	Reference Number/s



5. Building certifier reference number	Building certifier reference number
6. Competent person details  A competent person for building work, means a person who is assessed by the building certifier for the work as competent to practise in an aspect of the building and specification design, of the building work because of the individual's skill, experience and qualifications in the aspect. The competent person must also be registered or licensed under a law applying in the State to practice the aspect.  If no relevant law requires the individual to be licensed or registered to be able to give the help, the certifier must assess the individual as having appropriate experience, qualifications or skills to be able to give the help.	Name (in full)  Graeme Moulston  Company name (if applicable)  Graeme Moulston & Assoc. Engineering Pty Ltd  Phone no. business hours  O7 5530 6214  Email address  info@gcma.com.au  Postal address  PO Box 213
If the chief executive issues any guidelines for assessing a competent person, the building certifier must use the guidelines when assessing the person.	Mudgeeraba Qld Postcode 4213  Licence or registration number (if applicable)  RPEQ 4431
7. Signature of competent person This certificate must be signed by the individual assessed by the building certifier as competent.	Signature Date 17 September 2015

#### 3. Basis for certification

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AS/NZS: 4671 (Steel Reinforcement Materials) AS/NZS: 4600 (Cold Form Steel Structures)

AS: 4100 (Structual Steel), AS: 4055 (Wind Loading for Housing),

AS: 3623 (Domestic Metal Framing), AS: 3600 (Concrete),

AS:2870 (Residential Slab & Footings),

AS: 1111.1 (ISO Metric Hexagon Bolts & Screws - Product grade C - Bolts)
AS: 1111.2 (ISO Metric Hexagon Bolts & Screws - Product grade C - Screws)

AS: 1101.3 (Graphical Symbols for Gen. Eng. - Welding & Non-desctructive Examination)



MAINTENANCE OF COLORBOND® STEEL & ZINCALUME® STEEL

SOLARIS™ ROOFING PANEL WARRANTY SOLARIS™ WALL & CEILING PANEL WARRANTY





# MAINTENANCE OF COLORBOND® STEEL AND ZINCALUME® STEEL

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The paint system on next generation COLORBOND® pre-painted steel and the metallic coating on ZINCALUME® aluminium/zinc/magnesium alloy coated steel with Activate™ technology are both highly durable and decorative finishes. Simple maintenance of these finishes by regular washing with clean water will enhance the service life of the product and maintain the appearance.

"Unwashed areas" are areas on a building that are sheltered from general rain washing and are therefore not naturally washed by rainfall. Condensation can be absorbed by dust and dirt that build up in these areas, leading to an increase in the time the material is in contact with sufficient moisture to initiate corrosion (i.e. time of wetness). The associated effect is exacerbated in the vicinity of a salt marine influence, where the build-up includes marine salts and/or other pollutants (eg. industrial fallout). Regular cleaning of COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel products in unwashed areas is required. Examples of applications requiring cleaning include, but are not limited to, fascia, wall cladding under eaves, garage doors, and the underside of eave gutters, carports and patios.

Washing should be done six monthly as a minimum, or three monthly in coastal areas where marine salt spray is prevalent and/or areas where high levels of industrial fallout occur.

#### **CLEANING**

It is good practice to establish a regular routine for washing COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel products. Water restrictions permitting (check with your local council), garage doors can be washed with fresh portable water at the same time as your car is being washed. Gutters, fascia and eaves can be washed when windows are being cleaned. COLORBOND® steel fencing can be washed when watering the garden.

In cases where regular maintenance using fresh portable water does not remove all dirt from the surface of the product, or local water regulations prohibit the used of a mains water hose, the following procedure should be followed using water obtained from a locally approved source:

 Wash the surface with a mild solution of pure soap or non-abrasive dish washing kitchen detergent in warm water. Washing should be conducted with a sponge, soft cloth or soft bristle nylon brush (no abrasive scourers, steel wool etc.) and be performed gently to reduce the possibility of scuffing the product surface.  Thoroughly rinse the COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel surface with fresh portable water immediately after cleaning to remove traces of detergent.

#### NOTE:

- BlueScope Steel do not recommend the use of hard, mineral rich ground waters in the maintenance of COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel.
- Ensure maintenance is undertaken in accordance with local government water restriction guidelines.
- It is recommended the chosen cleaning method be tested on a small, inconspicuous section of the building to ensure that no damage to the COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel sheeting occurs (eg. surface dulling or discolouration).
- Never use abrasive or solvent type cleaners (eg. turps, petrol, kerosene, paint thinners, sugar soap) on COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel surfaces.
- For advice on dirt or other material not removed by soap or detergent, contact BlueScope Steel Direct.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAINTENANCE**

The long-term performance of COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel can at times be impacted by the durability of the accessories which are in contact with the product. For example, rapid deterioration of the fasteners used to fix COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel roofing or walling can result in sacrificial corrosion of the product in the areas immediately adjacent to the fasteners. If is therefore good practice to:

- Ensure that fasteners used to fix COLORBOND® steel and ZINCALUME® steel comply to AS3566.
   For further information refer to Technical Bulletin TB-16 Fasteners for Roofing and Walling Products – Selection Guide.
- Include regular inspection of fasteners into the maintenance routine. Consideration should be given to replacing any fasteners showing evidence of red rusting.

## RELATED BLUESCOPE STEEL TECHNICAL BULLETINS

Technical Bulletin TB-16

Fasteners for Roofing and Walling Product – Selection Guide

This is an extract from *BlueScope Technical Bulletin No 4 dated September 2013 / Rev 8* and is intended as a guide only.

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## SOLARIS™ ROOFING PANEL WARRANTY



#### RIDGEPANEL, CORROPANEL AND AGPANEL INSULATED ROOFING PANEL **FIFTEEN (15) YEAR WARRANTY**

MiiHome International Australia Pty Ltd ABN 50 605 588 476, hereafter the "company" warrants to the "Purchaser" of its Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels, that it is free from defects caused by the company's manufacturing process for a period of fifteen (15) years from the date of purchase.

Subject to the terms and conditions of the warranty, if the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels have any defect(s) caused by the company's manufacturing process within the warranty period, the company will repair or replace the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels free of charge.

#### **Warranty Terms and Conditions**

- 1. This warranty statement (duly signed and dated) must be presented with any claim.
- 2. A claim will only be recognised after a representative of the company has inspected the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels.
- 3. The Purchaser must permit the company and or its appointed representative's property access to inspect the claim and or carrying out any replacement.
- 4. Any Warranty undertakings to remedy agreed defects shall be at the discretion of the Company or their designated repairer. Any costs associated with unauthorised repair will not be accepted.
- 5. The Company will not be liable for:
  - a. Labour costs associated with the installation or removal of affected Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels or the fixing of replacement panels; or
  - b. Injury to persons or damage to property or consequential losses arising from the use of the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels.
- 6. This warranty is conditional to Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels being installed in accordance with the engineering specifications and installation guidelines provided by the company, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.
- 7. Any repair or replacement will be at the company's discretion and the company reserves the right to appoint its own repairers.
- 8. The Company will not accept liability for any defects which are the result of:
  - a. Improper use or mismanagement by the purchaser;
  - b. From a use not recommended or not reasonably contemplated by the Company;
  - c. If the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels have been modified in any way that does not comply with the relevant Building Regulations and Codes;
  - d. The purchaser does not comply with any of the terms and conditions herein stated in the warranty;
  - e. Any unauthorised re-installation of the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels.
- 9. This warranty excludes damage caused by;
  - a. Handling, Storage or erection;
  - b. Structural pressure due to settlement or unusual loads;
  - c. Over-painting;
  - d. Storm or tempest, floods, lightning strike or other acts of God;
  - e. Adhesion and marking due to protective plastic film;
  - f. Corrosion due to pollutants or other airborne particles;
  - g. Installations subject to severe industrial or unusually corrosive environments at any time in the future;
  - h. Attack from chemical or other agents (including sunscreen), fumes, liquids or solids other than direct rain or run-off falling onto the End Product;
  - Neglect, mistreatment or deliberate damage;
  - Failure to replace corroded fasteners;







- k. Corrosion arising within the lapped areas of end-lapped panels;
- I. Sustained temperatures above 81.6°C dry heat refer to Clause 12 for further details.
- m. Contact with soils, ashes, fertilizers or other moisture retaining substances;
- Area in metallic direct or indirect contact with lead, copper or dissimilar metals, or subject to the run off from Copper or lead flashings or pipes;
- o. Failure to remove debris and/or failure to provide free drainage of water including internal condensation from all surfaces of the product;
- p. Deterioration of the panels caused by contact with green or wet timbers or treated pine.
- 10. In accordance with the warranty extended to the company by the manufacture of the steel component of the Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels, the company only extends to the purchaser the benefit of any warranty and guarantees it receives from the manufacturer to the extent it is capable of doing so at law and if:
  - a. Installation is greater than one (1) kilometre from marine or industrial environments;
  - b. The paint finish as supplied must not be scratched, abraded or damaged in anyway, or coated with an incompatible material;
  - Sheltered or areas unwashed by rain exposure must be washed down on a regular six (6) month basis (refer to BlueScope Steel technical bulletin TB-4);
  - d. Installed pitch of the roof is equal to or greater than 2° above the horizontal;
  - e. All fasteners used for fixing the product are to be in accordance with the companies recommendations and comply with Australian Standard AS3566: Class 4 where applicable.

Nothing in this warranty will extend the benefit of any warranty of the manufacturer of the steel beyond the period of the warranty provided by the manufacturer. The period of fifteen (15) years referred to in the opening clause of the warranty refers to any defects in the Solaris™ insulated Roofing Panels as a consequence of the company's manufacturing process.

Please Note: for example – if the manufacturer of the steel only warrants their paint finish for six (6) years then the benefit of the warranty for the paint finish of Solaris™ insulated Roofing Panels is directly linked to that of the steel manufacturer, in this case, six (6) years.

11. Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels are made with an Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) core material which is fire retardant (FR) and meets AS1366.3. EPS (FR) is a thermoplastic and as such is subject to changes in its structural properties if/when subjected to or exposed to high levels sustained heat. Dark coloured roof surfaces, with no cooling wind, have been known to reach such temperatures on extremely hot days. To ensure the structural properties of the EPS(FR) core and that these levels of heat are not encountered, we recommend that Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels not be subject to dry heat loads in excess of 81.6°C. The manufacturer of the steel recommends the following colours, subject to conditions of use (refer to BlueScope Steel technical Bulletin BSR/S/2008/051), will maintain a temperature under 81.6°C dry heat.

These are the only colours the Company acknowledges as being covered under this warranty. If the colour selected and ordered by the Purchaser is not listed in the recommended colour list, unless written confirmation pertaining directly to the specific project/application is obtained from the Company, it is assumed not to be covered.

- Surfmist
- Classic Cream
- Shale Grey
- Pale Eucalypt
- Paperbark
- Dune

The following colours are available for Solaris™ Insulated Roofing Panels, and are still covered by the 15 year manufacturing defect warranty. Any claim under this warranty which is a direct result of defect/damages caused by sustained temperatures above 81.6°C dry heat will be void.

- Ironstone
- Jasper
- Woodland Grev
- Windspray
- Deep Ocean







- 12. This warranty is given in lieu of all other considerations or warranties expressed or implied, except to the extent that any statute applicable to this contract prevents the exclusion, restrictions or modifications of such conditions or warranty.
- 13. The proper law of this warranty shall be the law applying to the state of Queensland.
- 14. For the purpose of this warranty, the purchaser refers to that person who has duly completed the details below and no other person(s).

PURCHASER	AGENT	
Name	Name	
Company Name	Company Name	
QBSA #	QBSA #	
Invoice #	Invoice #	
Date of purchase	Date of purchase	





# GLOBAL BUILDING

## SOLARIS™ WALL AND **CEILING PANEL WARRANTY**

#### **SMOOTHPANEL INSULATED WALL AND CEILING PANEL TEN (10) YEAR WARRANTY**

MiiHome International Australia Pty Ltd ABN 50 605 588 476, hereafter the "company" warrants to the "Purchaser" of its SmoothPanel Insulated Wall and Ceiling Panels (herein "SmoothPanels"), that it is free from defects caused by the company's manufacturing process for a period of ten (10) years from the date of purchase.

Subject to the terms and conditions of the warranty, if the SmoothPanels have any defect(s) caused by the company's manufacturing process within the warranty period, the company will repair or replace the SmoothPanels free of charge.

#### **Warranty Terms and Conditions**

- 1. This warranty statement (duly signed and dated) must be presented with any claim.
- 2. A claim will only be recognised after a representative of the company has inspected the SmoothPanels.
- 3. The Purchaser must permit the company and or its appointed representative's property access to inspect the claim and or carrying out any replacement.
- 4. Any Warranty undertakings to remedy agreed defects shall be at the discretion of the Company or their designated repairer. Any costs associated with unauthorised repair will not be accepted.
- 5. The Company will not be liable for:
  - a. Labour costs associated with the installation or removal of affected SmoothPanels or the fixing of replacement panels; or
  - b. Injury to persons or damage to property or consequential losses arising from the use of the
- 6. This warranty is conditional to SmoothPanels being installed in accordance with the engineering specifications and installation guidelines provided by the company, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.
- 7. Any repair or replacement will be at the company's discretion and the company reserves the right to appoint its own repairers.
- 8. The Company will not accept liability for any defects which is the result of:
  - a. Improper use or mismanagement by the purchaser;
  - b. From a use not recommended or not reasonably contemplated by the Company;
  - c. If the SmoothPanels have been modified in any way that does not comply with the relevant Building Regulations and Codes;
  - d. The purchaser does not comply with any of the terms and conditions herein stated in the warranty;
  - e. Any unauthorised re-installation of the SmoothPanels.
- 9. This warranty excludes damage caused by;
  - a. Handling, Storage or erection;
  - b. Structural pressure due to settlement or unusual loads;
  - c. Over-painting;
  - d. Storm or tempest, floods, lightning strike or other acts of God;
  - e. Adhesion and marking due to protective plastic film;
  - f. Corrosion due to pollutants:
  - g. Chemicals and corrosive atmosphere;
  - h. Attack from chemical agents, fumes, liquids or solids other than direct rain falling onto the SmoothPanels;
  - i. Neglect, mistreatment or deliberate damage;
  - j. Sustained temperatures above 81.6°C dry heat refer to section 12 for further details.
  - k. Contact with soils, ashes, fertilizers or other moisture retaining substances;
  - I. Area in metallic direct or indirect contact with lead, copper or dissimilar metals, or subject to the run off from copper or lead flashings or pipes;
  - m. Failure to remove debris and/or failure to provide free drainage of water including internal condensation from all surfaces of the product;
  - n. Deterioration of the panels caused by contact with green or wet timbers or treated pine.





- 10. In accordance with the warranty extended to the company by the manufacture of the steel component of the SmoothPanels, the company only extends to the purchaser the benefit of any warranty and guarantees it receives from the manufacturer to the extent it is capable of doing so at law and if:
  - a. Installation is greater than one (1) kilometre from marine or industrial environments;
  - b. The paint finish as supplied must not be scratched, abraded or damaged in anyway, or coated with an incompatible material;
  - c. Sheltered or areas unwashed by rain exposure must be washed down on a regular six (6) month basis;
  - d. Installed pitch of the roof is equal to or greater than 2° above the horizontal;
  - e. All fasteners used for fixing the product are to be in accordance with the companies recommendations and comply with Australian Standard AS3566: Class 4 where applicable.
- 11. Nothing in this warranty will extend the benefit of any warranty of the manufacturer of the steel beyond the period of the warranty provided by the manufacturer. The period of ten (10) years referred to in the opening clause of the warranty refers to any defects in the SmoothPanels as a consequence of the company's manufacturing process.

Please Note: for example - if the manufacturer of the steel only warrants their paint finish for six (6) years then the benefit of the warranty for the paint finish of SmoothPanels is directly linked to that of the steel manufacturer, in this case, six (6) years.

12. SmoothPanels are made with an Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) core material which is fire retardant (FR) and meets AS1366.3. EPS (FR) is a thermoplastic and as such is subject to changes in its structural properties if/ when subjected to or exposed to high levels sustained heat. Dark coloured surfaces, with no cooling wind, have been known to reach such temperatures on extremely hot days. To ensure the structural properties of the EPS(FR) core and that these levels of heat are not encountered, we recommend that SmoothPanels not be subject to dry heat loads in excess of 81.6°C. The manufacturer of the steel recommends th e following colours, subject to conditions of use (refer to BlueScope Steel Technical Bulletin TB-4), will maintain a temperature under 81.6°C dry heat.

These are the only colours we acknowledge as being covered under this warranty. If the colour you choose is not listed in the recommended colour list, unless written confirmation pertaining directly to the specific project/application is obtained from the company, it is assumed not to be covered.

- Surfmist
- Classic Cream
- Shale Grey
- Pale Eucalypt
- Paperbark
- Dune
- **Evening Haze**
- Cove

The following colours are available for SmoothPanels, and are still covered by the ten (10) year manufacturing defects warranty. Void, will be any claim under this warranty which is a direct result of defect/damages caused by sustained temperatures above 81.6°C dry heat.

- Ironstone
- Jasper
- Woodland Grev
- Windspray
- Deep Ocean
- Gully
- Mangrove
- Wallaby
- Cottage Green
- Basalt
- Manor Red
- Night Sky
- Terrain
- Monument



MAIN MENU

MAINTENANCE AND WARRANTIES: SOLARIS™ WALL AND CEILING PANEL



- 13. This warranty is given in lieu of all other considerations or warranties expressed or implied, except to the extent that any statute applicable to this contract prevents the exclusion, restrictions or modifications of such conditions or warranty.
- 14. The proper law of this warranty shall be the law applying to the state of Queensland.
- 15. For the purpose of this warranty, the purchaser refers to that person who has duly completed the details below and no other person(s).

AGENT	
Name	
Company Name	
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Invoice #	
Date of purchase	
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ACOUSTIC PROPERTIES

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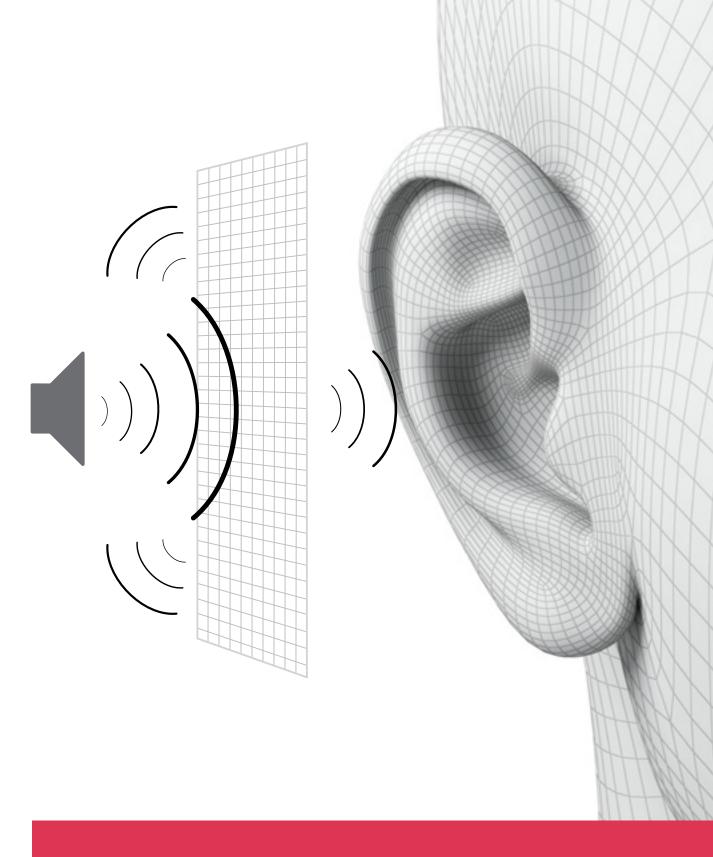
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FIRE TEST **CERTIFICATES** 

MAXIMUM SKIN TEMPERATURE







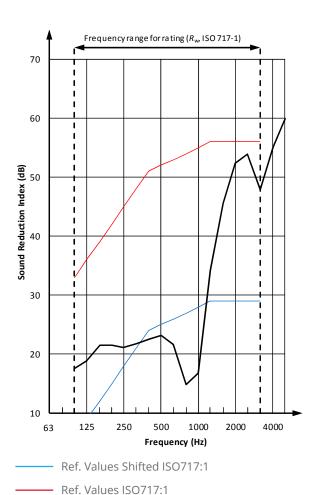
# **SOLARIS™ PANEL ACOUSTIC PROPERTIES**

MiiHome in conjunction with our Acoustic Engineer commissioned Kilargo Acoustic Laboratory to undertake a series of acoustic tests on a range of standard SolarisTM panels and modified SolarisTM panels. The results contained within this document are extracts from the details report 28102013/ct/01 which can be provided upon request.

# **ACOUSTIC PROPERTIES**

#### 140MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB
100	17.6
125	18.9
160	21.5
200	21.5
250	21.2
315	21.8
400	22.6
500	23.2
630	21.7
800	14.9
1000	16.8
1250	34.2
1600	45.6
2000	52.4
2500	53.9
3150	47.9
4000	55.1
5000	59.9

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 25 (-3;-5) \text{ dB}$ 

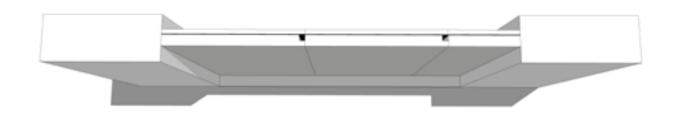
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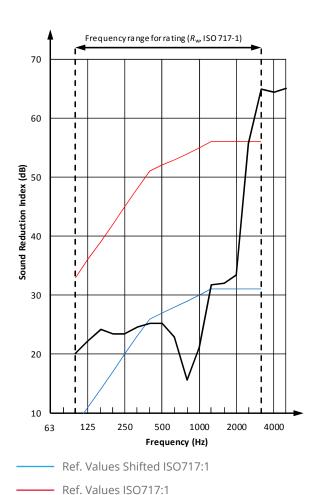
Measurement of Airborne Sound Insulation of Building Elements in Accordance with ISO 10140, Weighted Sound Reduction Index (R<sub>w</sub>). Calculation in Accordance with AS/NZS ISO 717.1

Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



#### 140MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) INCORPORATING WAVEBAR 8KG/M<sup>2</sup>





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	20.1	
125	22.2	
160	24.2	
200	23.4	
250	23.5	
315	24.6	
400	25.2	
500	25.3	
630	23	
800	15.6	
1000	21.1	
1250	31.8	
1600	32	
2000	33.4	
2500	55.7	
3150	64.9	
4000	64.4	
5000	65	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 27 (-3;-5) \text{ dB}$ 

R (Sound Reduction Index)

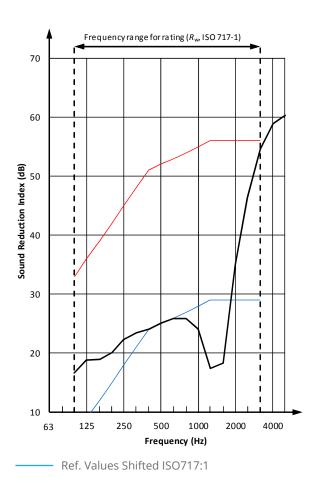
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Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



### 50MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	16.7	
125	18.9	
160	19	
200	20.1	
250	22.3	
315	23.4	
400	24.1	
500	25.1	
630	25.9	
800	25.9	
1000	24.1	
1250	17.4	
1600	18.3	
2000	35	
2500	46.4	
3150	54.6	
4000	58.9	
5000	60.3	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 25 (-2;-3) \text{ dB}$ 

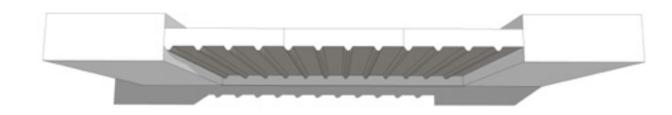
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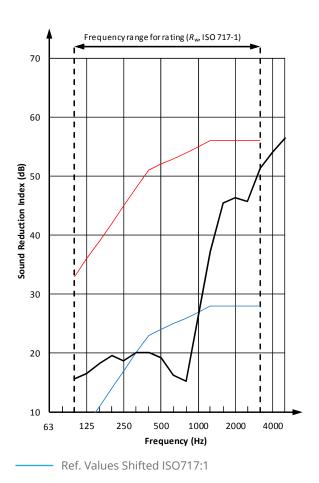
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Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



### **150MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE)**





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB
100	15.7
125	16.6
160	18.3
200	19.6
250	18.7
315	20.1
400	20.1
500	19.2
630	16.3
800	15.2
1000	26.3
1250	37.3
1600	45.4
2000	46.3
2500	45.7
3150	51.3
4000	54.2
5000	56.4

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 24 (-2;-4) \text{ dB}$ 

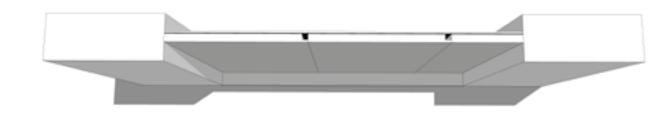
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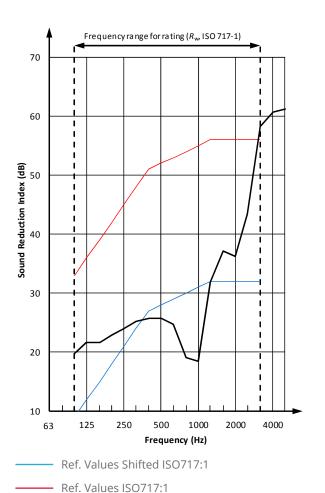
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Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



### 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) INCORPORATING WAVEBAR 8KG/M²





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	19.8	
125	21.7	
160	21.7	
200	23	
250	24	
315	25.2	
400	25.7	
500	25.8	
630	24.7	
800	19.1	
1000	18.4	
1250	31.9	
1600	37.1	
2000	36.2	
2500	43.4	
3150	58.2	
4000	60.7	
5000	61.2	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 28 (-3;-5) \text{ dB}$ 

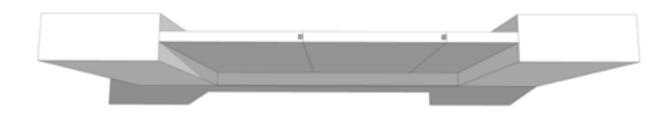
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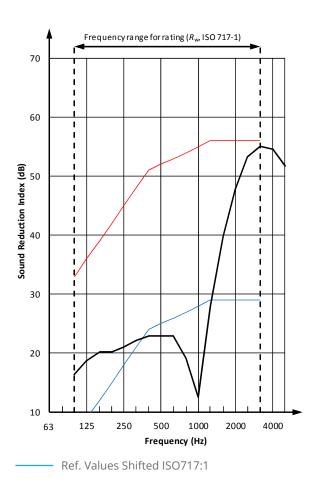
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Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



### 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	16.4	
125	18.7	
160	20.2	
200	20.3	
250	21	
315	22.2	
400	22.9	
500	23	
630	22.9	
800	19.1	
1000	12.6	
1250	27.9	
1600	39.8	
2000	47.7	
2500	53.2	
3150	55	
4000	54.6	
5000	51.7	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 25 (-4;-6) \text{ dB}$ 

Ref. Values ISO717:1

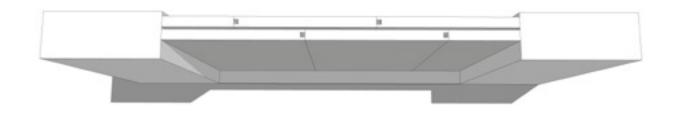
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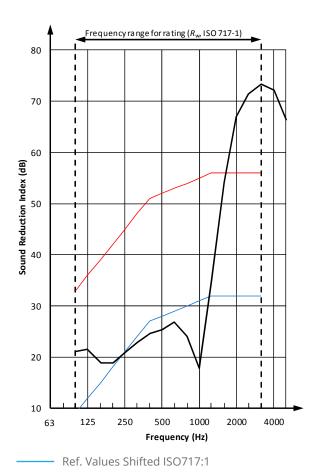
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#### 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) - 20MM CAVITY - 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB
100	21.1
125	21.5
160	18.8
200	18.8
250	20.8
315	22.8
400	24.6
500	25.4
630	26.8
800	24.1
1000	17.9
1250	34.7
1600	54.2
2000	67
2500	71.4
3150	73.3
4000	≥72.2≠
5000	≥66.4≠

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 28 (-2;-5) \text{ dB}$ 

Ref. Values ISO717:1

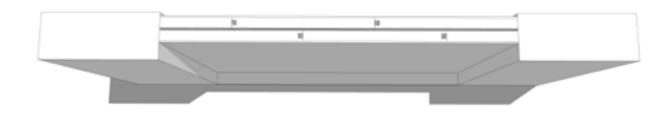
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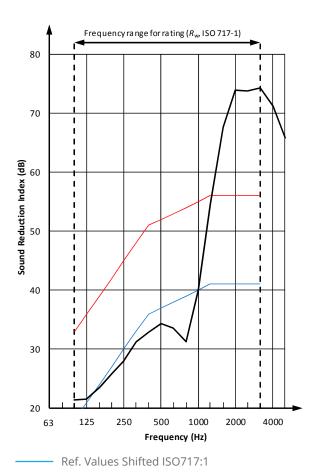
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Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third octave bands by an engineering method.



10MM REGULAR BORAL PLASTERBOARD - 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) – 20MM CAVITY – 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) – 10MM REGULAR BORÁL **PLASTERBOARD** 





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB
100	21.4
125	21.5
160	23.6
200	25.9
250	28
315	31.3
400	32.9
500	34.4
630	33.6
800	31.3
1000	40
1250	54.5
1600	67.6
2000	≥73.9≠
2500	73.7
3150	74.3
4000	71.2
5000	≥65.8≠

 $R_{w}(C;C_{tr}) = 37 (-1;-4) \text{ dB}$ 

Ref. Values ISO717:1

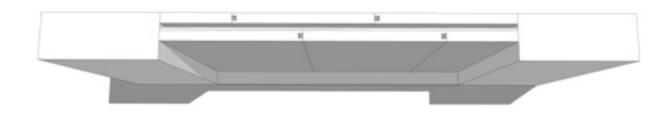
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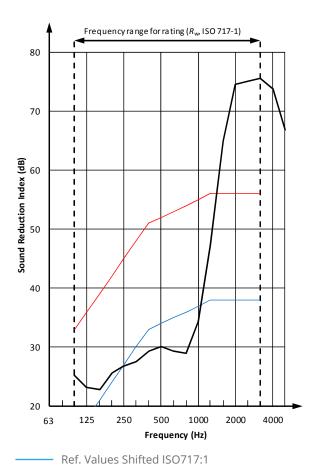
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FROM RECEIVING TO SOURCE ROOM: 900MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) - 20MM CAVITY - 2\*13MM FIRESTOP BORAL PLASTERBOARD ON 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND **POLYSTYRENE**)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	25.2	
125	23.2	
160	22.8	
200	25.7	
250	26.8	
315	27.5	
400	29.3	
500	30.1	
630	29.4	
800	29	
1000	34.3	
1250	47.3	
1600	64.9	
2000	≥74.5≠	
2500	75	
3150	75.6	
4000	≥73.7≠	
5000	≥66.9≠	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 34 (0;-3) \text{ dB}$ 

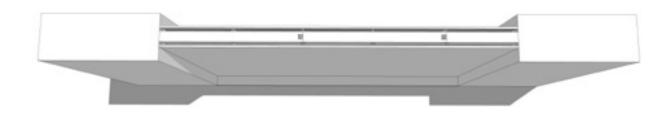
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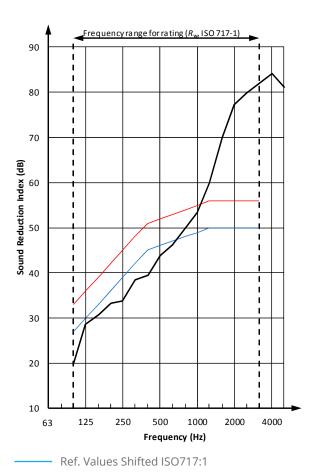
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13MM FIRESTOP BORAL PLASTERBOARD – 6MM FIBRE CEMENT BORAL SHEET – 20MM FURRING CHANNELS – 90MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) – 20MM FURRING CHANNELS – 6MM FIBRE CEMENT BORAL SHEET – 13MM FIRESTOP BORAL PLASTERBOARD – SEALED WITH PLASTER





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB	
100	19.8	
125	28.6	
160	30.7	
200	33.2	
250	33.8	
315	38.5	
400	39.5	
500	43.8	
630	46.2	
800	49.8	
1000	53.4	
1250	59.9	
1600	≥70≠	
2000	≥77.2≠	
2500	≥79.8≠	
3150	≥82≠	
4000	≥84.1≠	
5000	≥81.1≠	

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 46 (-2;-8) \, dB$ 

Ref. Values ISO717:1

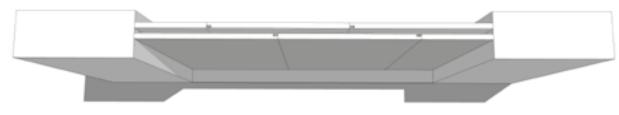
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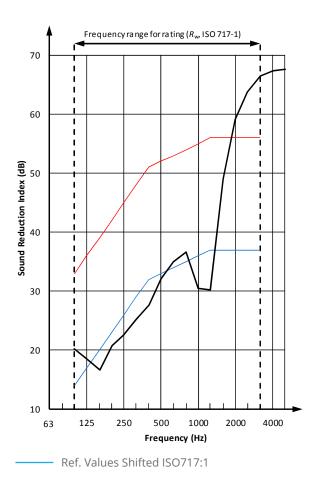
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6MM FIBRE CEMENT BORAL SHEET LAMINATED ON 90/100MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) CUT IN HALF – 20MM CAVITY – 6MM FIBRE CEMENT BORAL SHEET LAMINATED ON 90/100MM SOLARIS™ PANELS (STEEL AND POLYSTYRENE) CUT IN HALF – (STEEL FACING OUTSIDE THE WALL/FIBRE CEMENT SHEET INSIDE THE WALL)





Frequency f Hz	<i>R</i> 1/3 Octave dB
100	20.3
125	18.6
160	16.7
200	20.8
250	22.5
315	25.2
400	27.7
500	32.2
630	35
800	36.6
1000	30.5
1250	30.2
1600	49
2000	59.1
2500	63.8
3150	66.5
4000	67.3
5000	≥67.6≠

 $R_{\rm w}(C;C_{\rm tr}) = 33 (-1;-5) \text{ dB}$ 

Ref. Values ISO717:1

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### **Certificate EPS Roofing Panel**

This serves to confirm the Group has obtained a report from BRANZ No FAR 3323 Assessment of the performance of the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel in the AS ISO 9715 Room Fire Test 10th July 2009. A full copy of this report is available on request.

Roof Panel is accordance with this assessment is considered to achieve Group 1, Group 2, or Group 3 provided the construction and installation parameters appropriate for each group are followed. For full details of these parameters see report.

These details and the report can be provided by current financial members of the group to support the classification and certification of their products.

Yours truly,

Ron Lawson **Executive Officer** 1/06/2010





# **FAR 3323**

# Assessment of the Performance of the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel in the AS ISO 9705 Room Fire Test

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BRANZ's agreement with its Client in relation to this report contains the following terms and conditions in relation to Liability and Indemnification

- a. Limitation and Liability
  - BRANZ undertakes to exercise due care and skill in the performance of the Services and accepts liability to the Client only in cases of proven negligence.
  - Nothing in this Agreement shall exclude or limit BRANZ's liability to a Client for death or personal injury or for fraud or any other matter resulting from BRANZ's negligence for which it would be illegal to exclude or limit its liability.
  - BRANZ is neither an insurer nor a guarantor and disclaims all liability in such capacity.
     Clients seeking a guarantee against loss or damage should obtain appropriate insurance.
  - iv. Neither BRANZ nor any of its officers, employees, agents or subcontractors shall be liable to the Client nor any third party for any actions taken or not taken on the basis of any Output nor for any incorrect results arising from unclear, erroneous, incomplete, misleading or false information provided to BRANZ.
  - v. BRANZ shall not be liable for any delayed, partial or total non-performance of the Services arising directly or indirectly from any event outside BRANZ's control including failure by the Client to comply with any of its obligations hereunder.
  - vi. The liability of BRANZ in respect of any claim for loss, damage or expense of any nature and howsoever arising shall in no circumstances exceed a total aggregate sum equal to 10 times the amount of the fee paid in respect of the specific service which gives rise to such claim or NZD\$50,000 (or its equivalent in local currency), whichever is the lesser.
  - BRANZ shall have no liability for any indirect or consequential loss (including loss of profits).
  - viii. In the event of any claim the Client must give written notice to BRANZ within 30 days of discovery of the facts alleged to justify such claim and, in any case, BRANZ shall be discharged from all liability for all claims for loss, damage or expense unless legal proceedings are commenced in respect of the claim within one year from:
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# Assessment of the Performance of the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel in the AS ISO 9705 Room Fire Test

## CLIENT

Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group – PACIA Level 1 Skipping Girl Place 651 Victoria Street Abbotsford VIC 3067 Australia.

# 2. INTRODUCTION

This report gives BRANZ's determination of the BCA classification of the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel in accordance with the criteria set down in Specification C1.10a Clause 3 of the Building Code of Australia 2008. For reference, a detail of the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel is appended to this report.

## BACKGROUND

This assessment report is based on the results of seven room fire tests conducted in accordance with AS ISO 9705, a supplementary test on room constructed as a (freestanding) self-supporting structure, and BRANZ Assessment Report FAR 2489.

The fire tests were carried out by CSIRO MIT Fire Science and Technology Laboratory, Highett, Melbourne for the PACIA, EPS Panel Group as follows:

<b>CSIRO MIT Test No.</b>	<b>Test Date</b>	Reference
03/21	15 September 2003	Doc CMIT-(C)-2003-201
04/01	23 January 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-089
04/02	06 February 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-089
04/34	06 September 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-368
04/35	22 September 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-368
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04/37	06 December 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-469

IN BRANZ Assessment Report FAR 2489, the key factors relating to the design, construction and installation of the test specimens were examined for the seven tests, and the results from each test compared. The assessment concluded with specific construction details that were considered satisfactory for the installation to satisfy one of the three BCA Group Classifications, 1, 2, and 3.

The AS ISO 9705 room fire test requires the wall and ceiling panels to be mounted within a test compartment measuring 3.6 m long x 2.4 m wide x 2.4 m high with a

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single opening 2.0 m high x 0.8 m wide. A gas burner is located in one of the rear corners opposite the opening, and the gas flow controlled to produce a heat output and duration as prescribed by the standard i.e. 100 kW for 10 minutes followed by 300 kW for a further 10 minutes.

The performance criteria used for the purpose of BCA group number classification is the time-to-reach 1 MW (flashover), and a smoke growth rate index (SMOGRA) index was determined on the basis on light obscuration measurements in the exhaust duct recorded during the test.

### 4. DISCUSSION

The Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group roof panel system is described by the client as comprising a Grade SL EPS core sandwiched between an upper weather surface of 0.42 mm thick Colorbond steel profiled roof sheet, and an underside steel sheet with a male/female joint as tested in 0.5 mm or 0.6 mm thickness. The product will be fixed through at each crest with steel Tek screws into a structural supporting member underneath the panel (a steel purlin usually). A detail of the roof panel has been provided and is appended to this report, illustrating the upper weather surface with a trapezoidal profile at 250 centres (refer Figure 1).

For the purposes of determining the BCA Group Classification in accordance with Specification C1.10a Clause 3 of the BCA, the proposed design for the roof panel is consistent with the basic design of the panels used in the series of CMIT tests, including the same male/female as utilised by the panels in the CMIT tests. The design differs only on the unexposed face of the panels where the panel joint is achieved with an overlap at the trapezoidal profile. It is therefore considered that the proposed Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group roof panels, if assembled and tested as the wall panels were in the CMIT series of tests listed above, would achieve the same BCA Group Classifications as achieved by the tested wall panels. It therefore follows that the conclusions reached in FAR 2489 are considered to apply equally to the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group roof panels.

The AS ISO 9705 fire test evaluates the fire performance of the panel system under a specific set of conditions. This includes the fixed room dimensions of 3.6 m x 2.4 m x 2.4 m. The BCA Specification C1.10a classification is solely based on the performance of the system in the specific fire test. In practice, buildings constructed using the panel system will usually be much larger than the AS ISO 9705 room, and actual time to flashover will be different even for the same burner output regime. By necessity, larger rooms may require different structural support systems for the ceiling, than that required for the AS ISO 9705 room, and in practice this is determined on a case by case basis by engineering design for each application.

The series of fire tests covered by the assessment FAR 2489 attempted to evaluate the fire performance using both a ceiling system supported by the walls (self-supported) and a ceiling system supported externally with steel through-bolts. In the latter case, the spacing between the support bolts was nominally 2.4 m, and was limited by the room dimensions. Again in practice this could be larger as determined by the engineering design. The design of the roof structure when used to provide support for the ceiling suspension system is not considered at all in this assessment. All these factors could affect the behaviour of the actual construction system under real fire conditions. However, for the purposes of complying with BCA Specification C1.10a, this assessment can only consider expected performance/behaviours of the insulated panel system under the specific conditions of the AS ISO 9705 fire test.

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# 5. CONCLUSION

Provided that the following construction and installation parameters are followed, the Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group roof panel is considered to achieve the following BCA classification and SMOGRA<sub>RC</sub> based on performance in the AS ISO 9705 room fire test in accordance with BCA Specification C1.10a.

BCA Group 1 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 may be used for the panel core when the ceiling is externally supported.
- Class SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 only may be used for the panel core when the ceiling is self-supported (by the wall panels).
- Panel thickness to be 250 mm or less
- Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- Steel angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with steel rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings
- Ceiling panel-to-panel joins to also have steel rivets connecting the metal skins at not more than 1200 mm spacings.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to determine the spacing and size of any external supports (if required) to ensure structural adequacy for each application. Where ceiling panels are required to be supported using mushroom bolts, they must be no less than 10 mm diameter steel mushroom bolts with steel washers.

BCA Group 2 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 may be used for the panel core.
- Panel thickness to be 250 mm or less
- Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- Steel or aluminium angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with steel or aluminium rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings, except that if the panel thickness is greater than 150 mm and self-supported, then steel angles and rivets shall be used.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to determine the spacing and size of any external supports (if required) to ensure structural adequacy for each application. Where ceiling panels are required to be supported using mushroom bolts, they must be no less than 10 mm diameter steel mushroom bolts with steel washers.

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BCA Group 3 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3
- Panel thickness is more than 150 mm and not more than 250 mm
- Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- Aluminium angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with aluminium rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings.
- The panel system is self-supporting.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to ensure structural adequacy for each application.

#### Smoke Growth Rate Index

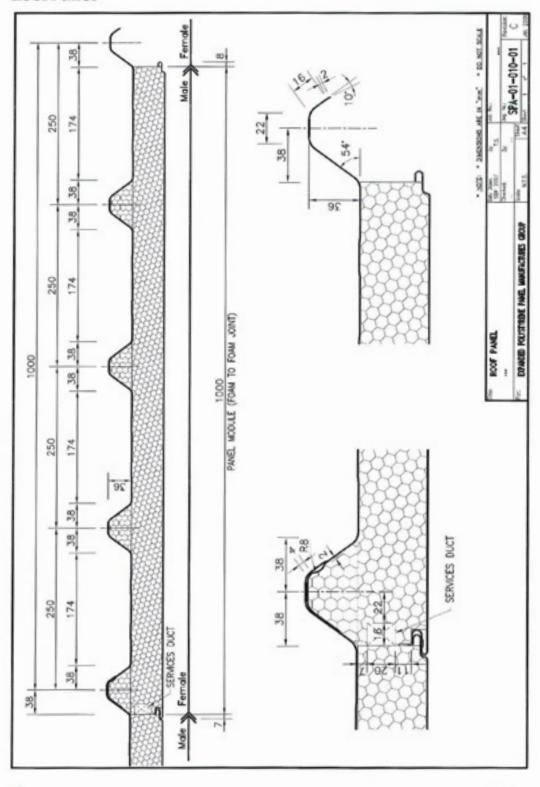
In all cases, the smoke growth rate index as identified in BCA Specification C1.10a, clause 3c is not more than 100, and the product may be used in buildings with or without a sprinkler system complying with specification E1.5, subject to the construction and installation requirements shown above for the required classification group.

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Figure 1 Expanded Polystyrene Panel Manufacturers Group Roof Panel







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# Assessment of the Performance of Metal Clad Expanded Polystyrene Sandwich Panels in the AS ISO 9705 Room Fire Test

#### CLIENT

CSIRO MIT Fire Science and Technology Laboratory PO Box 56 Highett Melbourne Australia

(PACIA, EPS Panel Group, Australia commissioned the CSIRO MIT Fire Science and Technology Laboratory to conduct the fire tests)

#### 2. INTRODUCTION

The author was asked by the client to observe a series of AS ISO 9705 room fire tests and independently certify the results in accordance with the criteria set down in Specification C1.10a Clause 3 of the Building Code of Australia 2005.

#### 3. BACKGROUND

This assessment report is based on the results of seven room fire tests conducted in accordance with AS ISO 9705 and carried out by CSIRO MIT Fire Science and Technology Laboratory, Highett, Melbourne for the PACIA, EPS Panel Group as follows:

CSIRO MIT Test No.	Test Date	Reference
03/21	15 September 2003	Doc CMIT-(C)-2003-201
04/01	23 January 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-089
04/02	06 February 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-089
04/34	06 September 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-368
04/35	22 September 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-368
04/36	24 November 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-469
04/37	06 December 2004	Doc CMIT-(C)-2004-469

A supplementary test was carried out on 19th March 2004 similar to Specimen 04/01 except that the room was constructed as a (freestanding) self-supporting structure of similar dimensions to the ISO 9705 room, rather than being constructed within the ISO 9705 room. The structure was located inside a larger room and the ceiling panels were provided with additional support using four mushroom bolts to suspend the ceiling from external supports. The results of this test were not directly applicable to this assessment, however useful information was obtained regarding the performance of the ceiling panels.

The AS ISO 9705 room fire test requires the wall and ceiling panels to be mounted within a test compartment measuring 3.6 m long x 2.4 m wide x 2.4 m high with a single opening 2.0 m high x 0.8 m wide. A gas burner is located in one of the rear corners opposite the opening, and the gas flow controlled to produce a heat output and duration as prescribed by the standard i.e. 100 kW for 10 minutes followed by 300 kW for a further 10 minutes.

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The performance criteria used for the purpose of BCA group number classification is the timeto-reach 1 MW (flashover), and a smoke growth rate index (SMOGRA) index was determined on the basis on light obscuration measurements in the exhaust duct recorded during the test.

The key factors relating to the design, construction and installation of the test specimens were examined for the seven tests and are summarised in Table 1.

Rivet spacings were nominal 300 mm centres. Steel mushroom bolts supporting ceiling panel from external supports in tests 04/01 and 04/02 were spaced at nominal 2.4 m centres.

#### 4. DISCUSSION

Each test was terminated following flashover or after 20 minutes in the event flashover did not occur. This was the case with tests 04/01 and 04/35, which both satisfied the criteria given for Group 1 materials in the BCA specification C1.10a. Flashover occurred for tests 03/21, 04/02,04/36 and 04/37 in the period between 10 and 20 minutes corresponding to a Group 2 in BCA specification C1.10a. The specimen in test 04/34 reached flashover before 10 minutes corresponding to a Group 3.

Key results are summarised in Table 2.

Class S foam and SL foam (to AS1366.3 - 1992) have nominal densities of 16 and 13.5 kg/m<sup>3</sup> respectively. Panels using Class S foam therefore contain a higher amount of combustible mass for the same panel thickness.

The main effect of the panel thickness on the result of the tests was the potentially larger contribution of combustible material associated with the thicker panels; it was thus considered to represent a worse case.

Varying the metal skin thickness in the range 0.4 - 0.6 mm did not appear to greatly affect the result. A thicker metal skin is considered to be slightly more robust, and less susceptible to distortion.

The use of steel and aluminium angle trim and rivets exhibited clear differences in behaviour. Aluminium materials close to the burner were subject to melting which was not the case with steel.

Two of the tests (04/01 and 04/35) used a steel (stitch) rivet connecting the metal facings on the ceiling panels at approximately mid-span. This rivet had a significant effect on the result by preventing the occurrence of flashover for the duration of the test as illustrated by comparing the results of tests 04/35 and 04/36.

The calculated SMOGRA index was significantly lower for the two tests (04/01 and 04/35) that did not reach flashover.

The AS ISO 9705 fire test evaluates the fire performance of the panel system under a specific set of conditions. This includes the fixed room dimensions of 3.6 m x 2.4 m x 2.4 m. The BCA Specification C1.10a classification is solely based on the performance of the system in the specific fire test. In practice, buildings constructed using the panel system will usually be much larger than the AS ISO 9705 room, and actual time to flashover will be different even for the same burner output regime. By necessity, larger rooms may require different structural support

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systems for the ceiling, than that required for the AS ISO 9705 room, and in practice this is determined on a case by case basis by engineering design for each application.

The series of fire tests covered by this assessment attempted to evaluate the fire performance using both a ceiling system supported by the walls (self-supported) and a ceiling system supported externally with steel through-bolts. In the latter case, the spacing between the support bolts was nominally 2.4 m, and was limited by the room dimensions. Again in practice this could be larger as determined by the engineering design. The design of the roof structure when used to provide support for the ceiling suspension system is not considered at all in this assessment. All these factors could affect the behaviour of the actual construction system under real fire conditions. However, for the purposes of complying with BCA Specification C1.10a, this assessment can only consider expected performance/behaviours of the insulated panel system under the specific conditions of the AS ISO 9705 fire test.

#### 5. CONCLUSION

Provided that the following construction and installation parameters are followed, the metalskinned EPS panels are considered to achieve the following BCA classification based on performance in the AS ISO 9705 room fire test in accordance with BCA Specification C1.10a.

BCA Group 1 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 may be used for the panel core
  when the ceiling is externally supported.
- Class SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 only may be used for the panel core
  when the ceiling is self-supported (by the wall panels).
- · Panel thickness to be 250 mm or less
- · Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- · Steel angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with steel rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings
- Ceiling panel-to-panel joins to also have steel rivets connecting the metal skins at not more than 1200 mm spacings.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel
  installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to
  determine the spacing and size of any external supports (if required) to ensure structural
  adequacy for each application. Where ceiling panels are required to be supported using
  mushroom bolts, they must be no less than 10 mm diameter steel mushroom bolts with
  steel washers.

BCA Group 2 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3 may be used for the panel core.
- · Panel thickness to be 250 mm or less
- · Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- Steel or aluminium angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with steel or aluminium rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings, except that if the panel thickness is greater than 150 mm and self-supported, then steel angles and rivets shall be used.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel
  installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to
  determine the spacing and size of any external supports (if required) to ensure structural
  adequacy for each application. Where ceiling panels are required to be supported using
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BCA Group 3 Classification requires the following construction/installation parameters:

- · Class S or SL expanded polystyrene foam to AS1366.3
- Panel thickness is more than 150 mm and not more than 250 mm
- · Metal skins to be 'Colorbond' steel, 0.4 mm or thicker
- Aluminium angles at junctions fixed to metal skins with aluminium rivets at nominal 300 mm spacings.
- · The panel system is self-supporting.
- The panel system is required to be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's panel installation instructions in all other respects and an engineering assessment is required to ensure structural adequacy for each application.

#### Smoke Growth Rate Index

In all cases, the smoke growth rate index as identified in BCA Specification C1.10a, clause 3c is not more than 100, and the product may be used in buildings with or without a sprinkler system complying with specification E1.5, subject to the construction and installation requirements shown above for the required classification group.

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Table 1 Summary of design, construction and installation parameters

	Test Specimen										
Test No	03/21	04/01	04/02	04/34	04/35	04/36	04/37				
Test Date	15 Sep 2003	23 Jan 2004	6 Feb 2004	6 Sep 2004	22 Sep 2004	24 Nov 2004	6 Dec 2004				
EPS foam	SL to AS1366.1	S to AS1366.1	SL to AS1366.1	SL to AS1366.1	SL to AS1366.1	S to AS1366.1	S to AS1366.1				
Panel Thickness	100 mm	250 mm	150 mm								
Facing Type	0.6 mm Colorbond steel	0.4 mm Colorbond steel									
Angle trim material	aluminium	steel	aluminium	aluminium	steel	steel	aluminium				
Rivet material	aluminium	steel	aluminium	aluminium	steel	steel	aluminium				
Mushroom bolts support ceiling	no	yes	yes	no	no	no	no				
Rivet in ceiling joint	no	yes	no	no	yes	no	no				

Table 2 Summary of results

	Test Specimen									
Test No	03/21	04/01	04/02	04/34	04/35	04/36	04/37			
Test Date	15 Sep 2003	23 Jan 2004	6 Feb 2004	6 Sep 2004	22 Sep 2004	24 Nov 2004	6 Dec 2004			
Time to reach 1 MW (sec)	1100	No failure	785	415	No failure	1140	605			
BCA group classification	2	1	2	3	1	2	2			
SMOGRA index (m²/s² x 1000)	14.0	2.4	12.0	13.2	2.1	24.2	18.1			

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Test standard:

AS ISO 9705

Specimen name: Sandwich Panel with an Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) core

Specimen description:

Insulating sandwich panel, with nominal thickness 250 mm or less.

Panel core of Class S or SL (to AS 1366.3) expanded EPS.

Clad both sides with "Colorbond" steel, thickness 0.4 mm or greater.

Panel to panel junctions require steel angles fixed to the steel skins at not more than 300mm centres, with steel rivets.

Orientation:

Full descriptions of the test specimen and the complete results of the examination are given in the following Test Reports and Assessments:

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The assessed results were as follows:

Group Number 2 in accordance with BCA 2005 specification Cl.10a

Smoke Growth Rate Index (SMOGRA<sub>RC</sub>)  $\leq$  100.

Test Dates:

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N/A Test Supervisor(s):

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Specimen description:

Insulating sandwich panel, with nominal thickness 150 mm or less.

Panel core of Class S or SL (to AS 1366.3) expanded EPS.

Clad both sides with "Colorbond" steel, thickness 0.4 mm or greater.

Panel to panel corner junctions require aluminium angles fixed to the steel skins at not more than 300mm centres, with aluminium rivets.

Orientation:

N/A

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Group Number 2 in accordance with BCA 2005 specification Cl.10a

Smoke Growth Rate Index (SMOGRA<sub>RC</sub>) < 100.

Test Dates:

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Specimen description:

Insulating sandwich panel, nominal thickness 250 mm or less.

Panel core of Class SL (to AS 1366.3) expanded EPS.

Clad both sides with "Colorbond" steel, thickness 0.4 mm or greater.

Panel to panel junctions require steel angles fixed to the steel skins at not more than 300mm centres, with steel rivets. Ceiling panel to panels joins require a steel (stitch) rivet connecting the metal skins at not more than 1200 mm centres.

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Group Number 1 in accordance with BCA2005 specification Cl.10a

Smoke Growth Rate Index (SMOGRA<sub>RC</sub>) < 100.

Test Dates:

15/9/03, 23/1/04, 6/2/04, 6/9/04

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#### INTRODUCTION 1

In 1999 a report was developed to predict the outer skin temperatures for each COLORBOND® steel prepainted steel colour when used as the outer skin of an insulated panel roof. The information was provided to assist insulated panel manufacturers to determine suitable colours for use with their products [1].

In the design of sandwich panels, careful consideration needs to be given to the outer-skin surface temperature and subsequent thermal expansion. Roofing panels that take account of these items perform well. Problems that can be encountered due to incorrect product selection include deflection out of plane. localised buckling, screw hole bearing, profile tearing, and delamination.

The information provided here and in the original report has been documented to provide a consistent set of results to help panel manufacturers to decide on the range of colours they intend to use for their panels. The final decision on appropriate colours rests with the panel manufacturers, as the acceptable skin temperature will be dependent upon the service temperature of all components of the panel, including the core material and adhesives, and the behaviour of the system when subject to thermal movement.

There have been a number of updates to the original report covering impact of core material, changes to colour ranges and climate variation [2,3]. This update is required to reflect the changes introduced in August 2008 to the standard COLORBOND® steel colours. The changes made to COLORBOND® steel that affect the temperatures calculated within this report include:

- All standard COLORBOND® steel colours now incorporate Thermatech<sup>™</sup> technology. Thermatech<sup>™</sup> technology increases the solar reflectance of the COLORBOND® steel colours thereby making them cooler.
- Three new colours have been introduced to the standard COLORBOND® steel colour range -Evening Haze®, Loft® and Monument™. Night Sky®, Plantation® and Blue Ridge® are now part of the secondary colour range.

Whilst the author believes that a conservative set of assumptions has been used to determine the maximum outer skin temperatures, a designer/manufacturer should always ensure that the product would not be subjected to more extreme events.

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#### 2 **ASSUMPTIONS & TESTING**

This section contains a brief summary of the assumptions and testing used to determine the temperatures reported in this document.

#### Laboratory Testing

Spectral measurements using a Perkin Elmer Lambda 900 spectrophotometer were made throughout the solar wavelength range (ultra-violet, visible, near infrared). The spectral measurements and solar reflectance calculations were conducted in accordance with ASTM E903 [4]. A recent laboratory crosscheck has shown excellent agreement providing confidence in both the equipment and method [5].

No tests were conducted to directly determine the panel temperatures documented in this report. All of the temperatures were determined by calculation using a steady state thermal calculation method. The method is described in the original report [1].

#### **General Assumptions**

Surface properties - see Section 3.

- The solar reflectance values are based on new product.
- The thermal emittance value for all products was taken as 0.85.

Panel properties - see Section 4.

- The panel was assumed to be 150 mm thick.
- The core was assumed to have thermal conductivity of 0.043 W/m°C.

Environmental conditions - see Section 5.

- Most Australian climates will fit into one of the broad exposure categories.
- Outdoor temperature for the different exposure categories were taken as those contained in Table1.
- Indoor temperature was assumed to be 25°C.
- Solar radiation upon the roof was assumed to be 1000 W/m<sup>2</sup>, with the exception of exposure category 4, which was assumed to be 900 W/m<sup>2</sup>. Solar radiation upon the west wall was taken to be 80% of the roof values.
- Internal wind speed was assumed to be 0 m/s.
- Outdoor wind speed was assumed to be 0.5 m/s.

#### 3 SURFACE PROPERTIES

The thermal emittance and solar reflectance of COLORBOND® steel will influence the outer skin temperature of an insulated panel.

The thermal emittance of most surfaces is greater than 0.80, except for metals which are typically less than 0.20. For example aluminium foil is 0.05. The measured thermal emittance of COLORBOND® prepainted steel has been shown to be between 0.84 and 0.90. In this note a thermal emittance of 0.85 was assumed for all painted surfaces.

The solar reflectance depends upon the colour of the surface and the pigments used. BlueScope Steel has completed measurements on samples of all of the standard COLORBOND® COLORBOND® Metallic steel colour range in order to determine their solar reflectance values. Spectral reflectance measurements were made throughout the solar wavelength range (ultra-violet, visible and near infra-red) using a spectrophotometer. The solar reflectance was then obtained by weighting the spectral reflectance results with a standard solar energy distribution, in accordance with ASTM E903 [4].

In this note, the solar reflectance values used were obtained from new samples. Results from exposure samples provide some confidence that under normal exposure conditions the solar reflectance remains reasonably stable [6]. Obviously in corrosive environments, dirty environments, or environments that have extended periods without rain the solar reflectance could fall, causing higher maximum outer skin temperatures.

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#### 4 PANEL PROPERTIES

In this note the panel was assumed to have a 150 mm thick polystyrene core. The polystyrene core was assumed to have a thermal conductivity of 0.043 W/m°C. This is in line with the original report. Variations from 150 mm for typical panel core thickness will make little difference to the overall predicted temperatures [2].

#### 5 ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

The Australian climate varies considerably from cool alpine through to hot arid regions. In the original report an environmental condition was assumed that was considered to conservatively represent most of the populated regions of Australia. In this report the climate is broken down into four exposure categories.

Exposure category 1 - Extreme inland

Exposure category 2 – Majority of seaboard Australia (Condition assumed in the original report)

Exposure category 3 – Cooler regions of mainland Australia.

Exposure category 4 - Tasmania

The assumed outdoor temperatures and some typical locations for each of the exposure categories are shown in Table 1.

TABLE 1 - OUTDOOR TEMPERATURES

Exposure Category	Assumed			Maximum Record	ed	
1	50 °C	Wilcannia	50.0 °C	Swan Hill	49.4 °C	
		Oodnadatta	50.7 °C	Mardie	50.5 °C	
2	45 °C	Melbourne	45.6 °C	Adelaide	47.6 °C	
		Sydney	45.3 °C	Perth	44.6 °C	
		Brisbane	43.2 °C	Cairns	43.2 °C	
		Townsville	43.4 °C			
3	40 °C	Toowoomba	39.3 °C	Gladstone	39.8 °C	
		Mackay	37.9 °C	Bowral	40.0 °C	
		Cooma	37.9 °C	Lithgow	38.4 °C	
		Port Stephens	39.4 °C	Bright	40.7 °C	
		Omeo	40.0 °C			
4	40 °C	Hobart	40.7 °C	Devonport	31.8 °C	
		Launceston	37.3 °C			

The remaining conditions assumed are in line with the original report with the exception of exposure category 4, Tasmania. A slightly lower solar radiation is assumed, as it is not possible for the sun to be directly overhead due to the latitude of Tasmania. Peak average solar radiation supports this variation; see Table 2 [7]. The remaining conditions assumed are:

Internal temperature = 25 °C

Internal wind speed = 0 m/s

Roof solar radiation = 1000 W/m2 (1, 2, 3) = 900 W/m2 (4)

West wall solar radiation = 800 W/m2 (1, 2, 3) = 720 W/m2 (4)

Outdoor wind speed = 0.5 m/s

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TABLE 2 - SOLAR RADIATION

Location	Latitude	Peak Average Solar Irradiance+	Location	Latitude	Peak Average Solar Irradiance+
Darwin	12° 28'	*966 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Perth	31° 55'	993 W/m <sup>2</sup>
Townsville	19° 55'	*917 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Mildura	34° 14'	942 W/m <sup>2</sup>
Alice Springs	23° 49'	1033 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Melbourne	37° 49'	818 W/m <sup>2</sup>
Brisbane	27° 23'	*861 W/m <sup>2</sup>	Hobart	42° 53'	736 W/m <sup>2</sup>

Average hourly value averaged over one month.

#### 6 MAXIMUM OUTER SKIN TEMPERATURES

A simple heat balance model was used to determine the maximum outer skin temperatures of COLORBOND® steel and COLORBOND® Metallic steel insulated panels. The model used measured surface properties from new product (see Section 2), the panel core properties defined in Section 3 and the four environmental conditions as discussed in Section 4.

A report by Parker, evaluating both theoretical and measured results, suggests that typically roof panels backed by insulation will reach temperatures above 82 °C and under some conditions will exceed 93 °C [8]. The predicted outer skin roof temperatures given in Table 3 are consistent with Parker's observations providing confidence to the results.

Walling outer surfaces are typically cooler than roofing outer surfaces. However, whilst the peak direct solar radiation upon a wall is less, the wall cannot loose heat as readily to the cooler sky and is subject to additional reflected solar radiation from the ground. This results in the outer surface of the wall reaching a similar peak temperature to the roof [9]. West wall panels typically have the highest walling temperature with peak conditions occurring around 4 pm in the middle of summer. An indication of the maximum temperatures for the outer skin of a west facing sandwich panel wall is included in Table 4. The wall temperatures are calculated using the same assumptions for the roof with the exception that the solar radiation on the wall is 80% of the solar radiation upon the roof and that the wall does not loose heat to the sky.

The predictions in the tables should assist panel manufacturers in deciding upon the appropriate range of COLORBOND® steel and COLORBOND® Metallic steel colours to use as outer faces of their panels having due regard for the climate in which their products are being sold. The allowable colour range would normally be chosen taking into account the service temperature of the core material and the adhesives.

The results show that:

- for panels that can maintain their integrity and durability when the outer skin reaches 90 °C the entire standard COLORBOND® steel range may be used.
- for panels where the durability and integrity are affected by outer skin temperatures that are less than 90 °C the manufacturer will need to restrict the range of standard COLORBOND® steel colours used for the outer skin.
- it may also be possible to extend the colour range for locations in the less severe climate exposure categories.

Whilst the core and adhesive may be suitable for a wide range of colours, the design of the insulated panel may also limit colour choice if expansion and contraction is a critical factor.

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Solar irradiance is less than expected based on latitude due to prevalence of cloud cover in summer months.

#### 7 CONCLUSION

This note has provided a brief update to an earlier report on the same subject [1]. The update takes account of changes introduced to the standard COLORBOND® steel colours in August 2008. The changes affecting the temperatures reported here include the introduction of Thermatech<sup>TM</sup> technology, which makes the standard colours cooler; and three new colours replace three existing colours in the standard COLORBOND® steel colour range.

The predicted outer skin maximum temperatures that have been reported are based on four different climatic conditions, the warmest condition being typical for an extreme inland condition, whilst the coolest condition is more typical of a location within Tasmania. Whilst the results were primarily calculated for sandwich panel roofs, results are also given to provide an indication of the peak temperatures that the outer skin of a sandwich panel wall may reach.

The information provided here is intended to assist panel manufacturers to decide on the range of colours they intend to use for their panels. The final decision on appropriate colours rests with the panel manufacturers, as the acceptable skin temperature will be dependent upon the service temperature of all components of the panel, including the core material and adhesives, and the behaviour of the system when subject to thermal movement.

Whilst the author believes that a conservative set of assumptions has been used to determine the maximum outer skin temperatures, a designer/manufacturer should always ensure that the product would not be subjected to more extreme events.

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# MAXIMUM OUTER SKIN TEMPERATURE OF COLORBOND® STEEL INSULATED ROOFING PANELS

COLOUR	Exposure Category				COLOUR	Exposure Category				
	1	2	3	4	COLOGIC	1	2	3	4	
Classic Cream <sup>TM</sup>	64.4 °C	60.1 °C	55.7 °C	53.6 °C	Pale Eucalypt®	82.2 °C	78.1 °C	74.1 °C	70.4 °C	
Surfmist®	64.9 °C	60.6 °C	56.3 °C	54.1 °C	Bushland®	83.5 °C	79.5 °C	75.5 °C	71.7 °C	
Paperbark®	71.4 °C	67.2 °C	63.0 °C	60.3 °C	Headland®	84.3 °C	80.3 °C	76.3 °C	72.4 °C	
Evening Haze®	71.8 °C	67.6 °C	63.4 °C	60.6 °C	Wilderness®	85.4 °C	81.4 °C	77.4 °C	73.4 °C	
Shale Grey <sup>TM</sup>	72.2 °C	68.0 °C	63.8 °C	61.0 °C	Jasper®	87.2 °C	83.2 °C	79.3 °C	75.2 ℃	
Sandbank®	72.9 °C	68.7 °C	64.6 °C	61.7 °C	Manor Red®	87.5 °C	83.6 °C	79.7 °C	75.5 °C	
Dune®	74.2 °C	70.1 °C	65.9 °C	62.9 °C	Woodland Grey®	88.6 °C	84.7 °C	80.8 °C	76.5 °C	
Citi®	74.7 °C	70.5 °C	66.3 °C	63.3 °C	Loft®	88.9 °C	85.0 °C	81.1 °C	76.8 °C	
Skybridge®	77.5 °C	73.4 °C	69.3 °C	66.0 °C	Monument <sup>TM</sup>	90.1 °C	86.2 °C	82.3 °C	77.9 °C	
Conservatory®	78.2 °C	74.0 °C	70.0 °C	66.6 °C	Ironstone®	90.7 °C	86.8 °C	83.0 °C	78.5 °C	
Axis®	78.5 °C	74.4 °C	70.3 °C	66.9 °C	Cottage Green®	90.9 °C	87.0 °C	83.1 °C	78.7 °C	
Cortex®	81.3 °C	77.2 °C	73.2 °C	69.6 °C	Deep Ocean®	91.1 °C	87.2 °C	83.3 °C	78.8 °C	
Windspray®	81.4 °C	77.4 °C	73.3 °C	69.7 °C	Façade®	93.5 °C	89.7 °C	85.8 °C	81.2 °C	

Note: Temperatures are for COLORBOND® steel and COLORBOND® Metallic steel products only. Standard COLORBOND® steel colours incorporate Thermatech™ technology which leads to cooler outer skin temperatures.

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# MAXIMUM OUTER SKIN TEMPERATURE OF COLORBOND® STEEL WEST FACING ISULATED WALL PANELS

COLOUR	Exposure Category				COLOUR	Exposure Category				
	1	2	3	4	COLOGIC	1	2	3	4	
Classic Cream <sup>™</sup>	65.9 °C	61.3 °C	56.8 °C	55.1 °C	Pale Eucalypt®	80.1 °C	75.8 °C	71.5 °C	68.5 °C	
Surfmist®	66.3 °C	61.8 °C	57.2 °C	55.5 °C	Bushland®	81.2 °C	76.9 °C	72.6 °C	69.5 °C	
Paperbark®	71.5 °C	67.1 °C	62.6 °C	60.4 °C	Headland®	81.8 °C	77.5 °C	73.3 °C	70.1 °C	
Evening Haze®	71.8 °C	67.4 °C	62.9 °C	60.7 °C	Wilderness®	82.7 °C	78.5 °C	74.2 °C	71.0 °C	
Shale Grey <sup>TM</sup>	72.1 °C	67.7 °C	63.2 °C	61.0 °C	Jasper®	84.2 °C	80.0 °C	75.7 °C	72.4 °C	
Sandbank®	73.2 °C	68.8 °C	64.3 °C	62.0 °C	Manor Red®	84.5 °C	80.3 °C	76.0 °C	72.6 °C	
Dune®	73.8 °C	69.3 °C	64.9 °C	62.5 °C	Woodland Grey®	85.3 °C	81.1 °C	76.9 °C	73.4 °C	
Citi®	74.1 °C	69.7 °C	65.3 °C	62.8 °C	Loft®	85.6 °C	81.4 °C	77.2 °C	73.7 °C	
Skybridge®	76.4 °C	72.0 °C	67.7 °C	65.0 °C	Monument <sup>TM</sup>	86.5 °C	82.4 °C	78.2 °C	74.6 °C	
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