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Introduction

The roof is usually the largest surface area of a house and materials selection will impact both performance and aesthetic longevity.

The range of ceramic, terracotta and concrete roof tiles available from Boral provide homeowners with enhanced flexibility in roof design. There are many profile and colour varieties to select from to suit your home's architectural style. So the choice is yours! Choose from Boral’s exceptional and long lasting Terracotta roof tiles, the sharp modern look of our Ceramic designer tiles or the attractive and affordable Concrete roof tile range.
Why choose roof tiles?
DESIGNER CERAMIC TILES

SHARP LOOKS FOR A MODERN HOUSE
Accentuates the clean lines of a modern house. Our designer ceramic tiles are a unique alternative to a metal roof.

PERMANENT GLAZE
Kiln fired at 1100ºC to turn natural clay and colour oxides to permanent ceramic tiles with a beautiful satin glaze finish.

60 YEARS WARRANTY††
Premium products with a premium warranty.

CLASSIC TERRACOTTA TILES

TIMELESS LOOK FOR TRADITIONAL HOUSES
The timeless-looking tile that suits traditional-looking houses regardless of whether they’re brand new or 50 years old.

PERMANENT COLOUR
Terracotta tiles are also kiln fired at high temperatures to give permanent matt or gloss finishes.

50 YEARS WARRANTY†
Built to last and to withstand harsh climatic conditions and marine environments.

CONCRETE TILES

WIDEST RANGE OF COLOURS AND PROFILES
With 6 profiles and 13 colours to choose from, there’s a tile that’s just right for your home!

ECONOMICAL
Our concrete tiles are priced to suit most budgets.

20 YEARS WARRANTY*
Concrete tiles are suitable for all environments, including marine and bushfire prone areas.
Common traits for all our tiles
1 DESIGN FLEXIBILITY

The extensive range and unique design of individual tile profiles mean enhanced flexibility in roof design to complement a wide range of architectural styles and specifications. Terracotta, ceramic and concrete roof tiles offer a different aesthetic and surface finish.

2 THERMAL PERFORMANCE

Roof tiles can help you enjoy more comfortable living in summer and winter. The thermal mass of clay and concrete materials when used correctly can result in advantageous insulation properties, in addition to considerations such as sarking and overall solar design.

3 ACOUSTIC PERFORMANCE

The density of tiles helps reduce external sound such as aircraft and road noise and, particularly, rain and hail.

4 LOW MAINTENANCE

Once tiles are installed there is little maintenance required as they don’t rust or corrode. Should a section of the roof ever be damaged, there is the added advantage of individual tile replacement.

5 FIRE RESISTANCE

Terracotta, ceramic and concrete roof tiles are made from non-combustible materials and can safely be used in bushfire prone areas, including the highest prone areas (BAL-FZ), when installed to Australian Standards.

6 SALT-SAFE & FROST RESISTANT

Terracotta, ceramic and concrete roof tiles are salt-safe and frost-resistant, making them suitable for any location, including harsh marine areas.

7 WIND RESISTANCE

The weight of the roofing material itself impacts performance in high wind areas. The dead load of roof tiles reduces the impact of uplift pressures in comparison to lighter-weight materials.¹

How to choose a roof tile
STEP 1: MATERIAL

Your choice of material will come down to a personal preference in shape, colour and finish. Our full range of tiles are built to last, with a 60-year guarantee†† on our Designer Ceramic tiles, a 50-year guarantee† on Classic Terracotta and a 20-year guarantee* on concrete tiles. Some customers prefer the natural beauty and colour retention of terracotta or the streamline, modern look of ceramic, while others appreciate the versatility of concrete.

STEP 2: PROFILE

A tile's profile refers to its shape and design. Boral roof tile profiles range from smooth flat tiles to prominent undulations or waves on the surface of the tile. Key considerations when choosing a tile profile will be the pitch of your roof as well as its style. Below is a chart to help you choose a profile for your tiles. You will need to find out the pitch of your roof when selecting a profile as some tiles require a minimum pitch.

DESIGNER CERAMIC PROFILE GUIDE

CONTEMPORARY FLAT TILES

- **Shingle™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 18°

- **Artline®**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 18°

- **Wave™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 18°

CLASSIC TERRACOTTA PROFILE GUIDE

SHAPED TILES

- **French™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 18°

- **Swiss™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 22°
    - Sarking is mandatory

CONCRETE PROFILE GUIDE

FLAT TILES

- **Vogue™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - With sarking 20°
    - Sarking is mandatory

- **Linea™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 20°

- **Striata™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 20°

SHAPED TILES

- **Contour™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 15°

- **Slimline™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 15°

- **Macquarie™**
  - Minimum Pitch:
    - Without sarking 20°
    - With sarking 15°

Note:
1. Maximum rafter length at the minimum pitch is 4.5 metres.
2. *To be laid in a cross bond on pitches 20° and lower.
**STEP 3: COLOUR & FINISH**

Boral offers a palette of warm, cool and neutral tones in both its ceramic, terracotta and concrete ranges. Mix and match your roof tile with fascia, gutter and brick colours at www.boralsampler.com.au

Not only is there a large assortment of colours on offer, there are four finishes available in terracotta, ranging from matt through to glazed. For concrete tiles, choose from the vibrancy of our ‘Colour-On’ application or the longevity of ‘Colour-Through’.

### AVAILABLE CONCRETE TILE COLOURS

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STEP 4: ACCESSORIES

SARKING
Sarking is a reflective foil that is recommended for all tiled roofs. Sarking improves thermal efficiency by reducing the need for heating and cooling devices. It also helps keep moisture out by acting like a second skin. Sarking assists by moving any moisture into the gutters and helps protect the home interior. Sarking must be installed before the tiles are placed on the roof.

ROOF VENTS
In summer the roof space absorbs and stores heat when it is least needed. Roof vents improve thermal efficiencies by purging hot air and this reduces the need for cooling devices.

ACCESSORIES FOR DESIGNER CERAMIC
Accent ridging is a low-line ridge system to enhance tiles. Whether flat or shaped in tile profile, Accent Ridging seamlessly aligns ridge capping end-to-end in one smooth line without steps. The accent ridge has been formulated for designer ceramic tiles and is an essential part of the overall look. Boral recommends accent ridges to be used on all designer ceramic roofs.

ACCESSORIES FOR CLASSIC TERRACOTTA
Depending on the style of your house and design of the roof, Boral offers other ways to finish off ridges and apexes as well as some more traditional crests and finials.

ACCESSORIES FOR CONCRETE TILES
Boral's Streamline Ridge® roofing system creates a smooth, sleek finish to your roof and a contemporary look to your home. Create an integrated look across your home. The system can be used with any Boral concrete roof profile, and is available in all concrete roof tile colours. The low ridge profile may assist where height restrictions apply.

STEP 5: INSTALLATION

To be sure your roof is installed to Boral specifications we recommend our own supply-and-fix service or an established installer from the Boral installer network. For more information on new homes, renovations, extensions and re-roofing projects, or for a referral to an installer near you call Boral Roofing 1300 134 002.
The designer range is elegant and shaped for design flexibility. Uniquely striking, with colour integrity and low maintenance. These state of the art tiles offer an exclusive streamlined look, with minimalist textures that compliment a modern home.
NIGHT QUARTZ
Finish: Satin

FOSSIL
Finish: Satin

BASALT
Finish: Satin

BLUESTONE
Finish: Satin

ONYX
Finish: Satin

EARTH
Finish: Satin

ASPHALT
Finish: Matt

ECLIPSE
Finish: Matt

Artline: Onyx
Wave: Onyx
Terracotta Tiles

Meaning ‘baked earth’ in Italian, terracotta, as the name suggests, it is a natural clay product that has been used throughout the ages for protection against the elements. Boral terracotta tiles are manufactured using select clays that are kiln-fired to temperatures of 1100°C, resulting in a strong-yet-lightweight roofing material of exceptional quality that is long lasting.
The outstanding colour performance is achieved through the firing process known as vitrification. Clay and glaze materials fired at high temperatures melt and fuse together resulting in a finished tile resistant to harsh UV exposure.
French: Mahogany
Concrete Tiles

Modern concrete tiles are made from sand and cement with a pigmented colour coat. This can replicate the appearance of a broad array of distinctive tile designs, while remaining relatively cost-effective.
CONTOUR™

QUARTZ  
TAUPE  
WALNUT

SHALE  
GUNMETAL  
TWILIGHT

EBONY  
CHARCOAL GREY

Premium: Colour Through

LINEA™

CHARCOAL GREY

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Macquarie: Gunmetal
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Learn more with Boral’s handy Guide to Roof Tiles. Available for free at www.boral.com.au