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Technical Bulletin: Sharkskin Roof Underlayments

2:12 to 4:12 Low Slope Installation

**Sharkskin Comp™:** Minimum roof slope is 2:12 . Install in 2 layers in shingle fashion for roof slopes 2:12-3.5:12 pitches. Install 1 layer on pitches 4:12 and greater and fasten per roll label instructions.

**Sharkskin Ultra™:** Minimum roof slope is 2:12. Install 1 layer on roof slopes 2:12 and greater. Install nails and fasteners at vertical and horizontal overlaps only on roof slopes 2:12-3.5:12 and increase vertical laps to 12" and horizontal laps to 8" to prevent wind driven rain from blowing between laps. Install approved peel and stick tape at seems for extended exposure times. Install 1 layer on roof slopes 4:12 and greater and fasten per roll label instructions.

**Sharkskin Ultra Radiant™:** Minimum roof slope is 2:12. Install 1 layer on roof slopes 2:12 and greater. Install nails and fasteners at vertical and horizontal overlaps only on roof slopes 2:12-3.5:12 and increase vertical laps to 12" and horizontal laps to 8" to prevent wind driven rain from blowing between laps. Install approved peel and stick tape at seems for extended exposure times. Install 1 layer on pitches 4:12 and greater and fasten per roll label instructions.

**Sharkskin Ultra SA™:** Minimum roof slope is 2:12. Install 1 layer on roof slopes 2:12 and greater per roll label instructions.

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