

## PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET



# FLEXI-SLATE

- For use on any pitched or flat roofs.
- Suits all common pipe diameters and pitch.
- One size slate will seal pipes of diameter between 25mm and 125mm.
- Suitable for flue pipes at temperature up to 100°C.
- Lead Flexi-slates provide a weather-tight joint where fluepipes and soil stacks penetrate a slate, tile, asphalt, felt or lead covered roof.
- Recommended by



The flexibility of lead allows the slate base to be dressed to tiles of all profiles, avoiding wind lift or chatter problems.

Premium Flexislate bases are cut from BS EN 12588 Code 4 rolled lead sheet. The Neoprene conical upstand is vulcanized at elevated temperature and pressure in contact with the base, forming a very strong rubber-metal bond. Two conical upstand profiles are available: flat for 0°-30° roof pitch and for 20°-40° roof pitches. Premium Flexislates are able to operate satisfactorily at temperatures between -40°C and 100°C and have an expected life of greater than 20 years if correctly installed.

Premium Flexislates are also available in aluminum.



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- Select a lead Flexislate with an upstand angle suitable for the pitch of the roof. If fitting over the boiler flue, ensure that the outer wall of the flue pipe in contact with the slate does not exceed a constant 100°C.
- The upper surface of the rubber sleeve has a pattern of concentric grooves that should be used as knife guides. Select a groove diameter slightly smaller than the required diameter to ensure a weather-tight fit. Take care not to cut across the grooves.
- Use liquid soap to lubricate the neck of the rubber sleeve of the Flexislate before fitting.
- Always apply a coat of Premium Patination Oil to all exposed lead surfaces, including the underside of the leading edge. Take care to prevent the Patination Oil from coming into contact with the rubber sleeve.
- When fitting over a pipe on a pitched roof, finish the top edge of the tile with a welt.

### **LOT SIZES**

Flat profile flexislate 5 per box Pitched profile flexislate 5 per box

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY ADVICE**

- Keep out of reach of children.
- When working with lead, follow standard health and safety procedures as laid out in Control of Lead at Work Regulations 2002. Always wash hands well before eating, drinking or smoking.
- Remove lead residues from skin after working with lead metal by washing with soap and bodywash.
- Lead is a dense material. Take suitable precautions when lifting or carrying.

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION AND PROPERTIES

Composition:

Lead alloy sheet manufactured to BS EN 12588,

Code 4 and neoprene rubber

Density of lead:
Melting point of lead:
Base dimensions:
Sleeve profile:
Pitched profile:
Pipe size range:
Weight:

11,340 kg.m-3 327°C 450mm x 450mm Flat profile 0° - 30° roof pitches 20°-40° roof pitches 25mm to 125mm 4kg (approx.) per slate