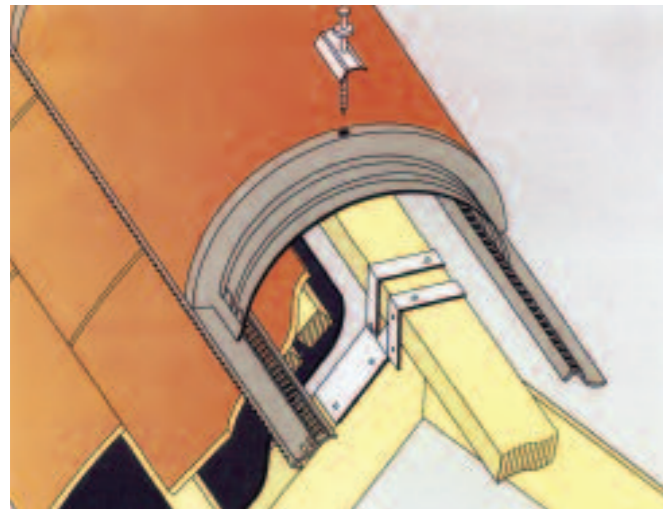


Ventilation

Modern roof insulation and the use of domestic appliances has created a need to remove the increased water vapour from the roof space. Many ventilation fittings designed for this purpose have seriously impaired the aesthetic qualities of the roof. We offer a system that uses clay clad ventilation components that not only match the tiles but also lie flush with the tiling or ridge line.

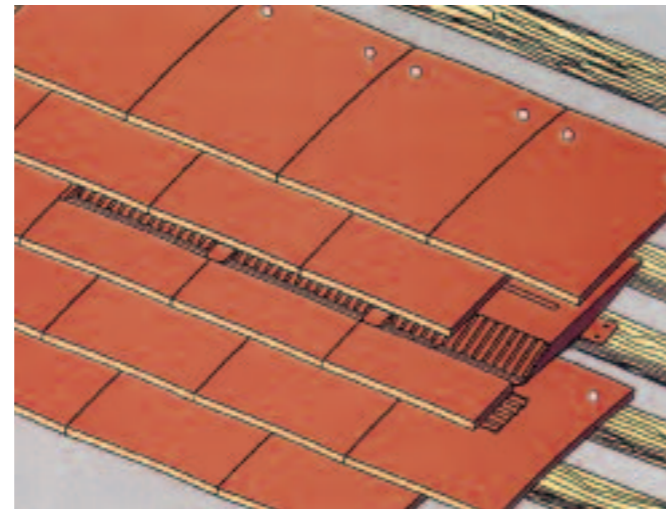


Above: A Dry Fix Ridge Vent on a private house in Dover



Tileline Dry Fix Ridge System

This offers a maintenance free, simple to install method of fixing clay half round ridges and at the same time forms a bird and insect-proof ventilation gap of 5mm. In warm pitched roofs where the insulation follows the rafters, it provides high level ventilation of 5000mm² per lineal meter which would not be achieved with tile vents or ridge vents if there was no air circulation between the individual voids formed by the rafters or counter battens.



Tileline Tile Vent

This is a discreet ventilator flush with the roof and designed to blend in to the rest of the roof. Sections of tile are bonded to the leading edge of the tilevent in the same colour as the tiles on the rest of the roof to match in.

Please call us for fixing instructions or visit our website.

Self-Build

Dreadnought are recognised as the roof tile of choice for the discerning Self Builder. Our tiles have been repeatedly acclaimed with the best Self Build Clay Roof Award. Since the roof is frequently the dominant external feature of a Self Built home, accounting for up to two thirds of the appearance, it is important that the roof is a statement of quality.

The choice of roof tile can impact heavily upon the character and value of a property. The beauty of natural clay colours is unrivalled; an appearance that mellows and improves with age.

Select your own colour blend

The natural colours of Dreadnought Tiles lend themselves particularly well to blending together. The subtle uncontrived colour variation within each tile makes a blend of tiles work so effectively, whereas with tiles that are coloured with surface stains the effect is more regimented. Your local area manager can assist you in creating a blend to help you match up to other building materials. Once you are satisfied with the blend, samples can be provided to submit to planning, architects etc. We have a comprehensive list of sites where our tiles can be seen on existing roofs, as this is the best way to see the difference. A Quantity Estimation Service is freely available from drawings and we would be pleased to discuss aspects of roof design, including the use of ventilation, ornamental components and nailing specifications. We aim to provide you with an excellent service and a truly British quality clay product.

Contact us to find out where tiles can be viewed in your local area.

