

0423P FIELDERS ROOFING – PROFILED SHEET METAL

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Worksection abstract

This branded worksection *Template* is applicable to the provision of roof coverings of FIELDERS profiled sheet metal and roof plumbing.

Background

The Australian Colorbond® and Zinalume® profiled sheet steel industry is organised as follows:

- **BlueScope** manufactures Colorbond® prepainted steel and Zinalume® steel coils.
- **Fielders Steel Roofing** using steel coils and proprietary machinery, shape steel into different profiles and cut sheets to length.
- **Installers** take off material quantities, order and install often as subcontractors to the contractor.

Additional sheet material available from Fielders includes:

- Fielders Aluminium as specified in *0424p FIELDERS roofing - specialised sheet metal*.

Guidance text

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Related material located elsewhere in NATSPEC

If a listed worksection is not part of your subscription package and you wish to purchase it, contact NATSPEC.

Related material may be found in other worksections. See for example:

- *0193 Building access safety systems.*
- *0424p FIELDERS roofing - specialised sheet metal.*
- *0424p FIELDERS roofing - specialised sheet metal.*
- *0436p FIELDERS cladding - profiled sheet metal.*
- *0461 Glazing for glass roofing and skylights.*
- *0471 Thermal insulation and pliable membranes for thermal insulation and vapour barriers.*
- *0802 Hydraulic design and install for stormwater and rainwater storage systems.*

Material not included in NATSPEC

Some projects may include items not covered by NATSPEC. For these you may need to create new text or modify this text or a suitable worksection.

Documenting this and related work

You may document this and related work as follows:

- Locate the extent of roofing types, accessories, and finishes on drawings to your office documentation policy.
- Show on the drawings the arrangement of the rainwater plumbing system, including the type and size of the main components (gutters, downpipes, sumps, rainheads, etc.) and the size and spacing of supports and fixings.
- If documenting stormwater disposal, rainwater tank and related products, use the *0802 Hydraulic design and install* worksection.

If required, state the minimum added thermal resistance (R-Value) (m² K/W). See NATSPEC TECHnote DES 031 for information on specifying R-Values.

- Document bushfire protection requirements to conform to AS 3959 and the BCA. See NATSPEC TECHnote DES 018 for information on bushfire protection.
- For guidelines on the design of roofs in snow areas, see AS/NZS 1170.3 and SAA HB 106.
- For information on air moisture and condensation, see NATSPEC TECHnote DES 004.

Search acumen.architecture.com.au, the Australian Institute of Architects' practice advisory subscription service, for notes on the following:

- Guarantees and warranties.

Specifying ESD

The following may be specified by retaining default text:

- Skylights, roof windows.

The following may be specified using included options:

- Recycled material content.
- Rainwater tanks. See NATSPEC TECHnote DES 011 on rainwater harvesting.

The following may be specified by including additional text:

- High performance roofing systems to extend building service life.
- Recycled plastic roofing materials.

Refer to the NATSPEC TECHreport TR 01 on specifying ESD.

1 GENERAL

Fielders manufacture a comprehensive range of mainly roll-formed products which are supplied to commercial, industrial and domestic building contractors. The main manufacturing sites are at Mile End in South Australia, Wangara and Osborne Park in Western Australia, Campbellfield in Victoria, and Minchinbury in New South Wales. Branches are located at Marion and Noarlunga in South Australia, O'Conner, Bunbury and Geraldton in Western Australia, and Darwin in the Northern Territory.

Products include roofing and cladding in a range of profiles and gauges, fencing systems, rainwater goods, gutters, flashings, sheet metal fabrication, fascia, purlins, door frames, KingFlor® structural decking and carports.

1.1 RESPONSIBILITIES

General

Requirement: Provide a FIELDERS roofing system and associated work, as documented.

Documented is defined in *0171 General requirements* as meaning contained in the contract documents.

Ambient climatic conditions

Design rainfall intensity (mm/h) to AS/NZS 3500.3: [complete/delete]

See AS/NZS 3500.3 Table E1 or refer to the Hydrometeorological Advisory Services of the Bureau of Meteorology (HASBM). SAA/SNZ HB 114 provides worked examples of roof drainage calculations.

Location exposure severity

Exposure severity determines the grade of Colorbond® steel and Zinalume® steel. Refer to BlueScope TB-01A guide on selecting steel roofing products.

Exposure severity category: [complete/delete]

Select from the following exposure severity category:

- Benign: > 1000 m from breaking surf/exposed marine or > 1000 m from calm marine.
- Moderate: 401 to 1000 m from breaking surf/exposed marine or 201 to 1000 m from calm marine.
- Marine: 201 to 400 m from breaking surf/exposed marine or 101 to 200 m from calm marine.
- Severe marine: 101 to 200 m from breaking surf/exposed marine or 0 to 100 m from calm marine.
- Very severe marine: 0 to 100 m from breaking surf/exposed marine.

For organic coating used in sheet steel, there are additional corrosivity categories. Add, if appropriate. They are:

- Tropical inland - North Queensland, Northern Territory, North-West Western Australia, Papua New Guinea and the Pacific Islands, except where affected by salinity, and
- Very high - offshore and beach front locations and aggressive industrial environments where pH may be less than 5.

Refer to *0171 General requirements* for the designation of the Exterior atmospheric corrosivity category of the project.

Roof access

Type: [complete/delete]

e.g. Normal roof maintenance, Access to plant rooms (if by restricted paths show on the drawings).

1.2 COMPANY CONTACTS

Fielders technical contacts

Website: www.fielders.com.au/aspx/contact.aspx

1.3 CROSS REFERENCES

General

Requirement: Conform to the following:

- 0171 General requirements.

0171 General requirements contains umbrella requirements for all building and services worksections.

List the worksections cross referenced by this worksection. 0171 General requirements references the 018 Common requirements subgroup of worksections. It is not necessary to repeat them here. However, you may also wish to direct the contractor to other worksections where there may be work that is closely associated with this work.

NATSPEC uses generic worksection titles, whether or not there are branded equivalents. If you use a branded worksection, change the cross reference here.

1.4 MANUFACTURER'S DOCUMENTS

Technical manuals

Website: Visit www.fielders.com.au/aspx/technical_manuals.aspx to order or download free technical manuals.

1.5 SUBMISSIONS

Edit the **SUBMISSIONS** clause to suit project requirements.

Operation and maintenance manuals

On completion: Submit a manual of recommendations from the roofing manufacturer or supplier for the maintenance of the roofing system including, frequency of inspection and recommended methods of access, inspection, cleaning, repair and replacement.

Refer to *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual, Maintenance and Care*.

Products and materials

Type tests: As appropriate for the project, submit evidence of conformance to the following:

- Metal roofing generally: Roof sheeting and fastenings to AS 1562.1 clause 5.4 for resistance to concentrated load and clause 5.5 for resistance to wind pressure.
- Metal roofing in cyclonic regions to AS/NZS 1170.2: Roof sheeting and fastenings to AS 1562.1 clause 5.6.
- Plastic sheet roofing: Roofing and fastenings to AS 1562.3 Section 5 for resistance to wind forces and resistance to impact.

Type tests are carried out off-site. However, submission of evidence of a successful type test may be called up here for requirements specified in **SELECTIONS** or **PRODUCTS**, if there are no **SELECTIONS**.

Recycled material content: Submit documentation from the roofing material manufacturer showing the following:

- Post-consumer recycled content: [complete/delete]
- Pre-consumer recycled content: [complete/delete]

e.g. BlueScope, on average, produces steel that contains 17 to 20% scrap material. Of this, the post-consumer material content is estimated to be 3 to 3.5% and the pre-consumer material content is less than 1%.

Samples

Approved samples which define acceptable limits of colour and texture variations are retained on site. If particular or additional samples are required, e.g. samples for testing, list them here.

Requirement: Submit samples of the following, showing the range of variation available:

- Custom profiled flashings and cappings.
- Sheet metal finishes showing the range of variation available.
- Sealants.
- Trims and accessories with a colour finish.

Shop drawings

Shop drawings are necessary if some or all of the system is to be designed by the contractor or a specialist subcontractor to meet the performance criteria specified. If this is not the case, delete **Shop drawings**.

General: Submit shop drawings to a scale that best describes the detail, showing the following: [complete/delete]

e.g. Methods of fixing, required end and side laps, acoustic insulation, suppression of impact noise, provisions for thermal movement, birdproofing, flashing, ridge cappings, roof water disposal, thermal insulation, vapour barrier, control joint treatment, isolation of incompatible metals, access for maintenance, provision for traffic.

Tests

0171 *General requirements* covers tests in **Definitions** and calls for an inspection and testing plan under **SUBMISSIONS, Tests**.

Site tests: Submit results as follows:

- Internal downpipe hydrostatic testing: [complete/delete]

Detail the tests required in **PRODUCTS** or **EXECUTION**, as appropriate, and list the submissions required here.

Warranties

Requirement: Submit the following:

- [complete/delete]

Describe the requirements of warranties in **PRODUCTS** or **EXECUTION**, as appropriate, and list the submissions required here.

Roofing materials: Submit the manufacturer's published product warranties.

1.6 INSPECTION

Notice

Inspection: Give notice so that inspection may be made of the following:

- Roof supports.
- The parts of the roofing, sarking, vapour barrier, insulation and roof plumbing installation before covering up or concealing.

Amend to suit the project, adding critical stage inspections required.

Hold points, if required, should be inserted here.

2 PRODUCTS

2.1 GENERAL

Product substitution

Other products: Conform to **PRODUCTS, GENERAL, Substitutions** in *0171 General requirements*.

The *0171 General requirements* clause sets out the submissions required if the contractor proposes alternative products. Refer also to NATSPEC TECHnote GEN 006 for more information on proprietary specification.

Storage and handling

Storage: Store metal roofing materials away from uncured concrete and masonry, on a level base. Do not store materials in contact with other materials which may cause staining, denting or other surface damage.

Handling: Handle roofing materials as follows:

- Use gloves when handling precoated metal roofing material.
- Use soft soled shoes when fixing or working on roofs.
- Protect edges and surfaces from damage. Do not drag sheets across each other or over other materials.

2.2 SHEET METAL ROOFING

If there are a number of profiled sheet metal roofing types, repeat this clause.

See SAA HB 39 Section 2 and SAA HB 39 Section 7 for general advice on material selection for steel sheet roofing.

Standards

Design, installation and materials: To AS 1562.1.

AS 1562.1 requires materials to conform to the following standards:

- Aluminium: AS/NZS 1734.
- Copper: AS 1566.
- Steel: AS 1397 for continuously hot-dipped metallic coated sheet and strip or AS/NZS 2728 for prepainted and organic film/metal laminate products.

Stainless steel: To ASTM A240/A240M.

AS 1449 cited in AS 1562.1 for stainless steel has been withdrawn.

Roofing product

Product brand: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Profile: [complete/delete]

Select from the following for concealed fixed roof sheeting:

- Fielders KingKlip® 700.
- Fielders Hi-Klip® 630.

Select from the following for screw crest fixed roof sheeting:

- Fielders Hi-Rib 680.
- Fielders S-Rib Corrugated.
- Fielders Curving Quality Corrugated.
- Fielders TL-5®.
- Fielders Spanform®.

Select Heritage Barrel Rolled for heritage roof sheeting. See www.fielders.com.au.

Select from the following for specialty roof sheeting:

- Fielders Aramax Freespan.

Product material type and finish: [complete/delete]

Select from the following with reference to the **Exposure severity category**:

- Very severe marine: Colorbond® Stainless steel.
- Severe marine: Colorbond® Ultra steel.
- Marine: Colorbond® steel or Zinalume® steel.
- Moderate: Colorbond® steel, Colorbond® Metallic steel or Zinalume® steel.
- Benign: Colorbond® steel, Colorbond® Metallic steel or Zinalume® steel.

Galvanized finishes are available for S-Rib Corrugated and ¾" Corrugated with a Z600 zinc coating.

This is a guide only. It is suggested that you call Fielders on 1800 18 22 55 for assistance to determine the appropriate product for the project location. Please note that a different grade of Colorbond® steel for walling applications for the same project may be required. See www.fielders.com.au

Thickness (base metal) (mm): [complete/delete]

Select from:

- Colorbond® Stainless steel: 0.42.
- Colorbond® Ultra steel: 0.42 and 0.48.
- Colorbond® steel or Zinalume® steel: 0.42 (economical / domestic / light industrial), 0.48 (commercial / industrial).
- Colorbond® Metallic steel: 0.48.
- Pre curved sheeting: 0.60.

Profile for crank curving: [complete/delete]

Select from TL-5®, Spanform® and KingKlip® 700.

Means of delivery:

Nominate pre-cut sheets or Fielders mobile roll forming mill (available for KingKlip® 700 and HiKlip® 630).

Colour: [complete/delete]

Consult the Fielders Colorbond® Colour Chart. See www.fielders.com.au/asp/colour_charts.aspx

Location: [complete/delete]

2.3 COMPONENTS

Fasteners

Finish: Prefinished exposed fasteners with an oven baked polymer coating to match the roofing material.

Fastenings to timber battens: Fastenings long enough to penetrate the thickness of the batten without piercing the underside.

Concealed fixing fasteners

Clips: As designated by Fielders for the roofing sheet profile.

Screws: [complete/delete]

Fixings

0171 General requirements clause PROPRIETARY ITEMS calls for all products to be fixed in accordance with the manufacturer's written instructions. For clarity, you may care to repeat the requirement here as 'Fixings type, size, corrosion resistance class, and spacing: To the sheet metal Fielders' printed recommendations.

Contact Fielders at 1800 18 22 55 or refer to *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual* as follows:

- KingKlip®.
- HiKlip®
- Hi Rib 680.
- Corrugated.
- TL5®.
- Spanform®.
- Aramax - www.fielders.com.au/aramax.

Screw fixing fasteners

Screws: [complete/delete]

To suit the profile in question, refer to *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual* or contact Fielders at 1800 18 22 55.

Profiled fillers

Type: Purpose-made closed cell polyethylene foam profiled to match the roofing profile.

Location: Profiled fillers under flashings to the following:

- Ridges.
- Eaves.
- Lapped joints in roof sheeting.

Add locations as required.

Safety mesh

Standard: To AS/NZS 4389.

Coordinate with the 0471 *Thermal insulation and pliable membranes* worksection. Do not call up welded safety mesh in more than one spot.

Insulation spacer

Product: [complete/delete]

Select a product that is fixed to the purlin and raises the roof sheeting to suit the required insulation thickness.

2.4 ROOF PLUMBING

Refer to NATSPEC TECHnote DES 011 for more information on rainwater harvesting.

General

Standard: To AS/NZS 3500.3.

Requirement: Provide the flashings, cappings, gutters, rainwater heads, outlets and downpipes required to complete the roof system.

Proprietary flashings and cappings

See SAA HB 39 Section 8 for recommended practice for metal flashing and cappings. Flashing materials include metallic coated steel, soft zinc, lead, copper, aluminium annealed sheet, bitumen (or polyethylene) coated aluminium, stainless steel, PVC, butyl rubber and neoprene rubber. Lead is not compatible with aluminium or aluminium/zinc coated steel. For malleable flashings, consider soft zinc or plastic sheet. Document proprietary profiles as proprietary items and special profiles on drawings. If sizes are not shown on the drawings document here.

Standard: To AS/NZS 2904.

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Material and colour: Match roof sheeting.

Rib notching: Match roof sheeting.

Flashing and capping types: [complete/delete]

List here or delete and refer to details. Flashing and capping types are available for all abutments and edge conditions. Refer to the *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual*.

Proprietary ridge and barge cappings

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Material and colour: Match roof sheeting.

Capping types: [complete/delete]

Ridge capping: Select from Fielders 350 mm Ridge Cap Roll Top or Low Profile Ridge.

Barges: Select from Fielders Barge Roll, Steel Fascia, Barge Capping, Curved Flashings or Edge Roll.

Hips: Select from *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual*.

Non-standard cappings: Refer to details. Custom folded flashings, cappings and gutters are available.

Eaves gutters

See SAA HB 39 Section 5 for recommended practice for metal rainwater drainage. See AS/NZS 3500.3 for method of sizing gutters and downpipes and SAA/SNZ HB 114 for worked examples. See AS/NZS 3500.3 clause 4.9 for support systems of roof drainage systems. Show particular requirements, if any, on the drawings. Show on the drawings the location of gutters, box gutters, overflows, valley gutters, rainwater heads and sumps. In high wind areas consider the degree of exposure of gutters and downpipes to wind actions and the need to provide additional fixings.

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Material: [complete/delete]

Colour: [complete/delete]

Eaves gutters: [complete/delete]

Contact Fielders at 1800 18 22 55 to check availability of gutters for the State and Territory of the project.

Select from the following:

- 125 Quarter Round.
- 150 Half Round.
- Ainsworth O.G.
- D gutter.
- Fascia Gutter.
- Half Round.
- Halfline®.
- Hi Front Quad.
- Hi-Ten O.G.
- Longline.
- Metal Fascia.
- Quad Gutter.
- Quarter Round Gutter.
- Urbis gutter.
- Flat Fascia.
- Quad 115.
- Fascia Cover.

See www.fielders.com.au/asp/guttering.aspx. You can use the Gutter Capacity tool to calculate eaves gutter capacity and determine the number of downpipes required. www.fielders.steeltalk.com.au/guttertool/selection.php.

Matching fascia/arge: Where the selected eaves gutter is a proprietary high front pattern forming part of a combined system of gutter, fascia and barge, provide the matching proprietary fascias and barge cappings to roof verges and edges.

Delete if not required.

Valley gutters

Product: Fielders proprietary valley gutter.

Box gutters

Specify here requirements not shown on the drawings. If there is more than one size of gutter list them separately against the designation used on the drawing. Internal box gutters are usually difficult to clean and replace.

Add requirements for siphonic systems separately, as appropriate.

Cross section dimensions: [complete/delete]

Sump size: [complete/delete]

Material and BMT: [complete/delete]

If different to gutters generally e.g. stainless steel.

Overflow spouts: [complete/delete]

External downpipes

If not shown on the drawings, document requirements here.

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Material: Downpipes

Select from the following to match roof: Copper, stainless steel, galvanized, Zinalume® and Colorbond®.

Colour: Downpipes

Match roofing or select from the Colorbond® roofing colour charts.

Profile: Downpipes

Select round or rectangular. All materials available in the same profiles as Colorbond®. Visit www.fielders.com.au/asp/Downpipes.aspx

Size: Downpipes

Select from Fielders Price List Manual. You can use the Gutter Capacity tool to determine the size and number of downpipes required. www.fielders.steeltalk.com.au/guttertool/selection.php.

Internal downpipes

Mainly for multi-storey applications. Acoustic insulation will not be required where downpipes are built into sound rated ducts. Where insulation is required, document selection in **SELECTIONS** of the *0471 Thermal insulation and pliable membranes* worksection or show on drawings.

Material: [complete/delete]

e.g. Cast iron to AS 1631 (may be bitumen-, epoxy-, or cement-coated if required), Copper to Type D AS 1432, Stainless steel type 304, PVC-U to AS/NZS 1260, PVC-U may not be acceptable for fire-resistance rating.

Size (mm): [complete/delete]

Document the nominal size if not shown on the drawings.

Rainheads

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Proprietary item or delete and refer to drawings.

Material: [complete/delete]

Colour: [complete/delete]

Pattern: [complete/delete]

Material: Select from Colorbond®, Zinalume®, Galvanized, copper and stainless steel.

Pattern: Select from: Ned Kelly, Half cylinder, Conical, Tapered, U-shaped, and Quarter round. See www.fielders.com.au/asp/rainheads.aspx

Vents

Product: Fielders Steel Roofing.

Material: [complete/delete]

Colour: [complete/delete]

Pattern: [complete/delete]

Material: Select from Colorbond®, Zinalume®, Galvanized, copper and stainless steel.

Pattern: Select from:

- Gable vents: Circular, Half round, Quarter round, Circular louvred, Ornate, Round top rectangular, Rectangular landscape, Rectangular portrait, Triangular.
- Roof vents: Cupola, Commercial ridge vents, Cowles, Flue caps and Vent pipe canopy.

See www.fielders.com.au/asp/vents.aspx

Hail guards

Box gutters: Provide grating over the whole of the profile.

Material: To match gutter.

Mesh: [complete/delete]

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Describe or refer to drawings.

Gratings

Gratings: Provide removable gratings over rainwater heads and sumps.

Type: [complete/delete]

e.g. Wire netting ball or hemispherical wire mesh dome. Document the metal and coating. Check if leaf screens in the following subclause are required.

Leaf screens

Leaf screens: Provide leaf screens to gutters.

Eaves gutters: Fielders WaterGate.

Rain heads: [complete/delete]

Box gutters: [complete/delete]

e.g. Plastic mesh or proprietary metal guards to match the gutter profile.

Plastic leaf guards are not permitted for bushfire-prone areas.

2.5 GLAZED ROOFING

Description

General: Sloped overhead glazing fixed to glazing bars or directly to the roof framing with the required trim, flashings and sealants.

Pane size tolerance: To AS/NZS 2208.

See AS/NZS 2208, Table 2.2 for specific tolerance limit requirements for glass of standard nominal thickness.

Certification: Required.

Certification provider: An organisation accredited by the Joint Accreditation System of Australia and New Zealand (JAS-ANZ).

To verify this, search for AS/NZS 2208 in the JAZ-ANZ directory at www.jas-anz.com.au/our-directory/certified-organisations.

Glass selection and installation: To AS 1288.

Material: [complete/delete]

Type: [complete/delete]

e.g. Toughened and laminated.

Thickness (mm): [complete/delete]

Nominate thickness for each lamination.

Surface film: [complete/delete]

Supports: [complete/delete]

Proprietary framing or patch fitting system.

Solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC): [complete/delete]

U-Value (W/m².K): [complete/delete]

Add SHGC and U-Value if required in BCA 3.12.1.3 or BCA J1.4.

2.6 PLASTIC SHEET ROOFING

Materials

Unplasticised polyvinyl chloride (PVC-U) sheet: To AS 4256.2.

Glass fibre reinforced polyester (GRP) sheet: To AS 4256.3.

Polycarbonate: To AS 4256.5.

Select either extruded PVC-U, GRP or specify the material required. BCA cites AS/NZS 4256.2:1994, AS/NZS 4256.3:1994 and AS/NZS 4256.5:1996.

Class or grade: [complete/delete]

e.g. For PVC-U, D (domestic), I (industrial); or for GRP, GP (general purpose), FR (fire retardant) or CR (chemical resistant); or for polycarbonate, Grade S (solid flat sheet), P (profiled sheet) or M (multi-layered) as noted in AS 4256.2, AS 4256.3 and AS 4256.5.

Type: [complete/delete]

e.g. For PVC-U, ST (surface treated), GP (general purpose); or for GRP, CT (surface tissue present), ST/SX (surface treated); or for polycarbonate, ST (surface treated), GP (general purpose); as noted in AS 4256.

Profile: [complete/delete]

Describe the profile or, if required to match adjacent roofing, use the proprietary name.

Colour: [complete/delete]

If applicable, use the manufacturer's name.

Fire performance: [complete/delete]

e.g. BCA Fire hazard properties – general if GRP (FR) is nominated.

Sealants: Neutral curing silicone or modified silane (MS) polymer based sealant to the roofing manufacturer's recommendations.

2.7 SKYLIGHTS

Standard

General: To AS 4285.

Description

General: A proprietary skylight system including framing, fixing, trim, seals, accessories and flashings.

Description: [complete/delete]

e.g. Domed, Barrel, Flat.

Product: [complete/delete]

Size (mm): [complete/delete]

Light shaft: [complete/delete]

Required/Not required or Refer to details.

Ceiling diffuser: [complete/delete]

Product or description.

Total system solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC): [complete/delete]

Total system U-Value (W/m²K): [complete/delete]

Add Total system SHGC and Total system U-Value if required in BCA 3.12.1.3 or BCA J1.4.

WERS for Skylights energy rating % heating: [complete/delete]

WERS for Skylights energy rating % cooling: [complete/delete]

The % heating and % cooling refers to the percentage improvement in performance of the window compared with using a base-case Generic Window 1 (3 mm clear glazing in a standard aluminium frame).

Contact Window Energy Rating Scheme operated by the Australian Window Association www.wers.net.

2.8 ROOF HATCHES

Description

General: A proprietary roof hatch system including framing, fixing, trim, seals, accessories and flashings.

Product: [complete/delete]

Contact Fielders for their recommended proprietary item.

Size (mm): [complete/delete]

2.9 ROOF WINDOWS

Type

General: A proprietary window system designed for non-vertical installation in roofs pitched between 15° and 85°, consisting of the following:

- Timber frame and sash, shop clear primed or prefinished.
- External anodised aluminium protective profiles.
- Sealed double glazing.
- Horizontally pivoted sash, 180° reversible, on patent friction hinges.
- Opening and locking by patent control bar.
- Ventilation flap.

Features: [complete/delete]

Features may include internal roller blind or venetian blind, internal removable insect screen, external awning blind, remote control of opening and locking, and remote control of internal blinds.

Total system solar heat gain coefficient SHGC: [complete/delete]

Total system U-Value (W/m²K): [complete/delete]

Add Total system SHGC and Total system U-Value where called for in BCA J1.4 or BCA 3.12.1.3.

WERS for Skylights energy rating % heating: [complete/delete]

WERS for Skylights energy rating % cooling: [complete/delete]

The % heating and % cooling refers to the percentage improvement in performance of the window compared with using a base-case Generic Window 1 (3 mm clear glazing in a standard aluminium frame).

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2.10 ROOF VENTILATORS

For electric fan powered ventilators, document the necessary electrical connection in the electrical services worksection. Document any particular requirements, material, type (e.g. static, wind driven, electric fan powered), size, etc. if not shown on the drawings. For roof mounted heat exhaust vents, see AS 2427. For design of smoke/heat venting systems, see AS 2665.

Description

General: A proprietary roof ventilator system including framing, fixing, trim, seals, accessories and flashings.

Product: [complete/delete]

Contact Fielders for their recommended proprietary item.

Size: [complete/delete]

Material: [complete/delete]

Throat diameter: [complete/delete]

Capacity: [complete/delete]

Options: [complete/delete]

e.g. Electrically controlled dampers.

Finish: Match adjacent roofing.

2.11 ROOF PLANT ACCESS

Description

General: A complete proprietary roof walkway system including fixings.

Product: Fielders Expa-tread aluminium concealed fixed walkway system.

Size: [complete/delete]

3 EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

Protection

General: Keep the roofing and rainwater system free of debris and loose material during construction, and leave them clean and unobstructed on completion. Repair damage to the roofing and rainwater system.

Touch up: If it is necessary to touch up minor damage to pre-painted metal roofing, do not overspray onto undamaged surfaces.

Thermal movement

Requirement: Allow for thermal movement in the roof installation and the structure, including movement in joints and fastenings.

Pan type sheets

Removal: Install sheets so that individual sheets can be removed without damage.

Curved corrugated sheet

General: Form by rolling from material recommended for curving or bull-nosing. Minimise crimping or creasing across the face of the sheet. Trim off crimped or creased edges and ends.

See www.fielders.com.au/asp/curving.aspx.

Metal separation

Make sure of compatibility or detail separation.

See AS 1562.1 Table 3.2 for guidance on the compatibility of metals. See also SAA HB 39 Section 2 on material selection. It is primarily a design responsibility that incompatible metals are not documented or shown to be in contact. Preferably show the separation method on the drawings.

Corrosion can result from water run-off between incompatible surfaces. See AS 1562.1 clause 3.7 and AS 1562.1 Table 3.3. There are two conditions to be avoided:

- Run-off from copper and copper alloys onto aluminium, zinc, galvanized, or aluminium/zinc-coated surfaces.
- Run-off from inert catchment surfaces such as glazed terracotta, prepainted steel, aluminium and aluminium/zinc onto galvanized surfaces.

In marine or high humidity environments, separate green hardwood from aluminium and coated steel.

Typical methods for metal separation include:

- Applying an anti-corrosion, low moisture transmission coating such as zinc or barium chromate primer or aluminium pigmented bituminous paint to contact surfaces.
- Inserting a separation layer such as polyethylene film, adhesive tape or bituminous felt.

Requirement: Prevent direct contact between incompatible metals, and between green hardwood or chemically treated timber and aluminium or coated steel, by one of the following methods:

- Applying an anti-corrosion, low moisture transmission coating to contact surfaces.
- Inserting a separation layer.

Tolerances

Requirement: To AS 1562.1 clause 4.2.

3.2 SHEET METAL ROOFING

Roof sheet installation

Set out point: [complete/delete]

Note the elevation that will allow laying to proceed from leeward to the windward of prevailing wind.

Fasteners: **PROPRIETARY ITEMS** in 0171 *General requirements* requires all products to be fixed to the manufacturer's recommendations.

For clarity, you may repeat the requirement here by changing the following *Optional* style text to *Normal* style text:

Fastener type, size, corrosion resistance class, and spacing: To the sheet metal roofing manufacturer's recommendations.

Swarf: Remove swarf and other debris as soon as it is deposited.

Accessories: Provide material with the same finish as roofing sheets.

Expansion joints: [complete/delete]

Provide expansion joints every 35 m in sheet length for roofs with concealed fixings and 24 m in sheet length for roofs with exposed fixings.

3.3 BUILDING ELEMENTS

Ridges and eaves

See AIA EDG DES 56, for information on birds and buildings.

Sheet ends: Treat as follows:

- Project sheets 50 mm into gutters.
- Close off ribs at bottom of sheets using mechanical means or with purpose-made fillers or end caps.
- Turn pans of sheets up at tops and down into gutters by mechanical means.
- Pre-cut notched eaves flashing and bird proofing if required.
- Close off ridges with purpose-made ridge fillers of closed cell polyethylene foam.

Ridge and barge

Capping: Finish off along ridge and verge lines with purpose-made ridge capping or barge rolls.

Sprung curved ridge

General: Lay the roofing sheets in single lengths from eaves to eaves by naturally curving the sheets over the ridge.

Ridge: Seal side laps at the ridge and extend the sealant to the point where the roof pitch equals the recommended pitch of the roofing profile.

This is possible only with certain sheeting profiles and roof slopes. Consult Fielders about recommended purlin spacings at the ridge to achieve the required curvature. Show the purlin locations on the drawings. See www.fielders.com.au/asp/curving.aspx

End laps

Movement joints: If the sheet length for screw fixed profiles exceeds 24 m provide a step joint.

Construction: To *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual*.

3.4 ROOF PLUMBING

Jointing sheet metal rainwater goods

See AS/NZS 3500.3 clause 2.7 for information on joint materials and products.

Butt joints: Make joints over a backing strip of the same material.

Soldered joints: Do not solder aluminium or aluminium/zinc-coated steel.

Sealing: Seal fasteners and mechanically fastened joints. Fill the holes of blind rivets with silicone sealant.

Jointing system: [complete/delete]

e.g. Blind rivet and seal as follows:

- For COLORBOND® STAINLESS: Stainless steel blind rivets with stainless steel mandrels.
- For ZINCALUME® and COLORBOND®: Aluminium blind rivets.

Flashings

Installation: Flash roof junctions, upstands, abutments and projections through the roof. Preform to required shapes if possible. Notch, scribe, flute or dress down as necessary to follow the profile of adjacent surfaces. Mitre angles and lap joints 150 mm in running lengths. Provide matching expansion joints at 6 m maximum intervals.

6 m corresponds to the manufacturing length. Movement at these joints would be less than 1 mm so all may not need to be fully-fledged expansion joints.

Upstands: Flash projections above or through the roof with two part flashings, consisting of a base flashing and a cover flashing, with at least 100 mm vertical overlap. Provide for independent movement between the roof and the projection.

Large penetrations in low pitch roofs: Extend the base flashing over the roofing ribs to the ridge to prevent ponding behind the penetrating element.

This situation often occurs with mechanical plant. Consider documenting it on the drawings.

Wall abutments: Where a roof abuts a wall, provide overflashing as follows:

- In masonry walls, planked cladding or concrete: Step in courses to the roof slope. Interleave with damp proof course, if any.

- Raking in masonry: Build into the full width of the outer leaf. Turn up within cavity, slope inward across the cavity and fix to or build into the inner leaf at least 75 mm above the roofing line.
- Raking in concrete: Turn 25 mm into joints or grooves, wedge at 200 mm centres with compatible material and point up.

Fixing to pipes: Solder or seal with neutral cured silicone rubber and either of the following:

- Secure with a clamping ring.
- Provide a proprietary flexible clamping shoe with attached metal surround flashing.

Gutters

Document the material, profile and size on the drawings or in a schedule. In high wind areas consider the degree of exposure of gutters and downpipes to wind actions and the need to provide additional fixings.

General: Prefabricate box gutters. Form stop ends, downpipe nozzles, bends and returns. Dress downpipe nozzles into outlets. Provide overflows to prevent back-flooding.

Gutter and sump support: Provide framing and lining to support valley gutters, box gutters and sumps. Line the whole area under the gutters and sumps.

Support: [complete/delete]

e.g. Proprietary metallic-coated adjustable strap and channel system.

Lining: [complete/delete]

e.g. Fielders Spanform®. 0.42 or 0.48.

Valley gutters: Profile to suit the valley boarding. Turn back both edges 180 x 6 mm radius. Nail or screw to the valley boarding at the top end to prevent the gutter creeping downwards.

Expansion joints in guttering longer than 30 m: Provide as follows:

- Type: [complete/delete]

e.g. As detailed or proprietary elastic expanding adhesive fixed type.

External downpipes

Document the material, profile and size on the drawings or in a schedule. In high wind areas consider the degree of exposure of gutters and downpipes to wind actions and the need to provide additional fixings.

General: Prefabricate downpipes to the required section and shape where possible. Connect heads to gutter outlets and, if applicable, connect feet to rainwater drains.

Access cover: Provide a removable watertight access cover at the foot of each downpipe stack.

Downpipe support: Provide supports and fixings for downpipes.

Internal downpipes

Jointing method: [complete/delete]

e.g. Sealant joint (or bolted gland joint) to AS 1631, Screwed fittings to AS 1589 (copper), Solvent cement jointing (PVC-U), etc.

Access: Provide access openings as follows:

- At each junction and bend.
- At the foot of each stack.
- At every second floor level.

Modify locations to suit the project.

Type of access opening: [complete/delete]

e.g. Cast iron inspection openings to AS 1631 (or AS/NZS 1260 for PVC-U, AS 1589 for copper).

Sound insulation: Mineral fibre pipe insulation 50 mm thick, spirally bound on with 1.5 mm wire at 150 mm pitch.

Delete if not required.

Building in: Where pipes are built into masonry or concrete, spiral wrap the pipe (and insulation, if any) with building paper.

Rainwater disposal

System: [complete/delete]

If not shown on the drawings, document method of disposal. Alternatives include Connection to stormwater drains, Discharge to rainwater tanks or Discharge to soakage pits.

3.5 GLAZED ROOFING

Installation

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Document and detail to the recommendations of the glazing bar manufacturer.

3.6 PLASTIC SHEET ROOFING

Installation

Standard: To AS 1562.3.

AS 1562.3 covers the installation of plastic cladding materials. See also SAA HB 39 Section 9. The BCA cites AS/NZS 1562.3:1996.

Fixing: [complete/delete]

e.g. Roofing screws with neoprene washers in oversized holes. Consult the manufacturer.

Fixing to timber: 30 mm minimum penetration.

3.7 SKYLIGHTS

Installation

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Specify and detail to the recommendations of the skylight manufacturer.

3.8 ROOF HATCHES

Installation

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Specify and detail to the recommendations of the roof hatch manufacturer.

3.9 ROOF WINDOWS

Installation

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Specify and detail to the recommendations of the roof window manufacturer.

3.10 ROOF VENTILATORS

Installation

Fixing: [complete/delete]

Specify and detail to the recommendations of the roof window manufacturer.

3.11 ROOF PLANT ACCESS

Walkway

Product: [complete/delete]

Installation: [complete/delete]

For ladders, platforms and balustrades, cross reference the appropriate worksection, e.g. the *0552 Metalwork – fabricated and 0341 Structural steel* worksections.

3.12 TESTING

0171 *General requirements* covers tests in **Definitions** and calls for an inspection and testing plan under **SUBMISSIONS, Tests**.

Site tests

Internal downpipes: Test each stack hydrostatically in stages, each test to run over two storeys high for two hours. Remedy defects and retest if necessary.

3.13 COMPLETION

Cleaning

Remove: Excess debris, metal swarf, solder, sealants and unused materials.

Exposed metal surfaces: Clean surfaces of substances that interfere with uniform weathering or oxidation.

Replace: Materials that have been damaged or deteriorated.

Roof plumbing: Clean out spoutings, gutters and rainwater pipes after completion of roof installation.

Warranties

Warranty period:

- Material warranty: [complete/delete]
- Watertight installation guarantee: [complete/delete]

Material warranties: Select from:

- Zinalume® and Colorbond® range: Up to 25 years.

Watertight installation guarantee: Select from:

- Concealed fixed profiles: Up to 20 years.
- Screw fixed profiles: Up to 5 years.

Conditions:

- Watertight Installation Guarantee conditions: Satisfactory inspection of the installation by Fielders.

Sample warranties are published in *Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual* Appendix A. or www.fielders.com.au/guarantees.asp.

Use only where warranties extending beyond the defects liability period are available for the particular system. Insert the required warranty period and terms, which should be negotiated beforehand. If the warranty is in the form of separate material and installation warranties, the signatures of both manufacturer and installer are required. Delete if not applicable.

REFERENCED DOCUMENTS

The following documents are incorporated into this worksection by reference:

AS 1170		Structural design actions
AS/NZS 1170.2	2011	Wind actions
AS 1288	2006	Glass in buildings - Selection and installation
AS 1562		Design and installation of sheet roof and wall cladding
AS 1562.1	1992	Metal
AS 1562.3	2006	Plastics
AS/NZS 2208	1996	Safety glazing materials in buildings
AS/NZS 2904	1995	Damp-proof courses and flashings
AS/NZS 3500		Plumbing and drainage
AS/NZS 3500.3	2015	Stormwater drainage
AS 4256		Plastic roof and wall cladding materials
AS 4256.2	2006	Unplasticized polyvinyl chloride (uPVC) building sheets
AS 4256.3	2006	Glass fibre reinforced polyester (GRP)
AS 4256.5	2006	Polycarbonate
AS 4285	2007	Skylights
AS/NZS 4389	2015	Safety mesh
Specifying Fielders	2016	Specifying Fielders Roofing and Walling Manual
ASTM A240/A240M	2016	Standard Specification for Chromium and Chromium-Nickel Stainless Steel Plate, Sheet, and Strip for Pressure Vessels and for General Applications

The following documents are mentioned only in the **Guidance** text:

AS 1170		Structural design actions
AS/NZS 1170.3	2003	Snow and ice actions
AS/NZS 1260	2009	PVC-U pipes and fittings for drain, waste and vent application
AS 1397	2011	Continuous hot-dip metallic coated steel sheet and strip - Coatings of zinc and zinc alloyed with aluminium and magnesium
AS 1432	2004	Copper tubes for plumbing, gasfitting and drainage applications
AS 1449	1994	Wrought alloy steels - Stainless and heat-resisting steel plate, sheet and strip
AS 1562		Design and installation of sheet roof and wall cladding
AS/NZS 1562.3	1996	Plastic
AS 1566	1997	Copper and copper alloys - Rolled flat products
AS 1589	2001	Copper and copper alloy waste fittings
AS 1631	1994	Cast grey and ductile iron non-pressure pipes and fittings
AS/NZS 1734	1997	Aluminium and aluminium alloys - Flat sheet, coiled sheet and plate
AS 2427	2004	Smoke/heat release vents
AS 2665	2001	Smoke/heat venting systems- Design, installation and commissioning
AS/NZS 2728	2013	Prefinished/prepainted sheet metal products for interior/exterior building applications - Performance requirements
AS 3959	2009	Construction of buildings in bushfire prone areas
AS 4256		Plastic roof and wall cladding materials
AS/NZS 4256.2	1994	Unplasticized polyvinyl chloride (uPVC) building sheets
AS/NZS 4256.3	1994	Glass fibre reinforced polyester (GRP)
AS/NZS 4256.5	1996	Polycarbonate
SAA HB 39	2015	Installation code for metal roof and wall cladding
SAA HB 106	1998	Guidelines for design of structures in snow areas

SAA/SNZ HB 114	1998	Guidelines for design of eaves and box gutters
AIA EDG DES 56	2003	Environmental Design Guide - Birds and buildings
BCA 3.12.1.3	2016	Acceptable construction - Energy efficiency - Building fabric - Roof lights
BCA J1.4	2016	Energy efficiency - Building fabric - Roof lights
BlueScope TB-01A	2013	Steel roofing products - Selection guide
NATSPEC DES 004	2005	Air, moisture and condensation
NATSPEC DES 011	2007	Rainwater harvesting
NATSPEC DES 018	2008	Bushfire protection
NATSPEC DES 031	2014	Specifying R-Values
NATSPEC GEN 006	2007	Product specifying and substitution
NATSPEC TR 01	2016	Specifying ESD