

# Talosa Prime



SSQ Talosa roofing slate, known for its subtly rippled, riven surface, rich and enduring blue-black hue, and signature lengthwise grain.



# Product information



## Product profile

Talosa Prime slate is recognized for its coarse, authentic texture and its naturally rich blue-black shade, which is an inherent quality of the stone. This colour remains stable over time, showing remarkable resistance to fading even under intense sunlight.

Quarried from one of the largest and most consistent slate sources in North-West Spain, nestled in the Cabrera mountain region, Talosa Prime benefits from uninterrupted veins of top-tier slate. SSQ's decades-long relationship with this site has enabled the supply of roofing slate known for its exceptional strength and reliability.

Talosa Prime slate complies with EN 12326 standards, carries the UKCA certification, and has achieved a classification of 'W1-T1-S1'.

\* Test results are available on request

## Guarantee

Each slate is supported by a 75-year guarantee, reflecting its proven quality and long-term performance.\*\*

\*\* Guarantees to be requested within 6 months of the date of completion of the roof.

Minimum headlap for fixing slates with nails or hooks according to BS 5534: 2014+A2:2018 Code of Practice for Slating and Tiling  
Moderate exposure (< 56.5 l/m<sup>2</sup> per spell)\*

Size (mm)	Rafter pitch								
	20°	22.5°	25°	27.5°	30°	35°	40°	45°	80°
500 x 250	-	-	120	100	80	70	60	55	50

Severe exposure (≥ 56.5 l/m<sup>2</sup> per spell)\*

Size (mm)	Rafter pitch								
	20°	22.5°	25°	27.5°	30°	35°	40°	45°	80°
500 x 250	-	-	-	130	100	90	80	70	65

## Size and weight

Size (mm)	Thickness (mm)	Weight per 1000 (kg)
500 x 250	5 - 7	2100
500 x 250	6 - 8	2730

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## Coverage

### Nail fixing method

Size (mm)	Lap (mm)								
	50	65	75	80	90	100	110	115	120
	Number of slates/m <sup>2</sup>								
500 x 250	17.8	18.4	18.8	19.0	19.5	20.0	20.5	20.8	21.0

(NB: No allowance has been made for wastage\*)

### Hook fixing method

Size (mm)	Lap (mm)								
	50	65	75	80	90	100	110	115	120
	Number of slates/m <sup>2</sup>								
500 x 250	17.8	18.4	18.8	19.0	19.5	20.0	20.5	20.8	21.0

(NB: No allowance has been made for wastage\*)

\* Please refer to the **SSQ Natural Roofing Slate Design and Fixing Guide** for full details (available on [www.ssqgroup.com](http://www.ssqgroup.com)).



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