

**Applying or Mixing Algae-Resistant
(AR) Shingles with Non-AR Shingles**

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To Whom It May Concern:

CertainTeed does not recommend mixing AR with non-AR shingles on the same roof plane for the following reasons:

- The AR product will resist algae growth and the non- AR product will not, thus creating an unsightly, patchwork roof after a few years.
- There is a slight color difference between the two shingles due to the grey cast of the copper algae-resistant granules. This appearance variation is immediately visible at time of installation. With darker-colored shingles, the appearance variation will be far more apparent.

CertainTeed's *Asphalt Shingle Limited Warranty* applies only to manufacturing defects in the material. The warranty does not cover claims resulting from mixing AR and non-AR products together as this would not constitute as a manufacturing defect.

Sincerely,

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