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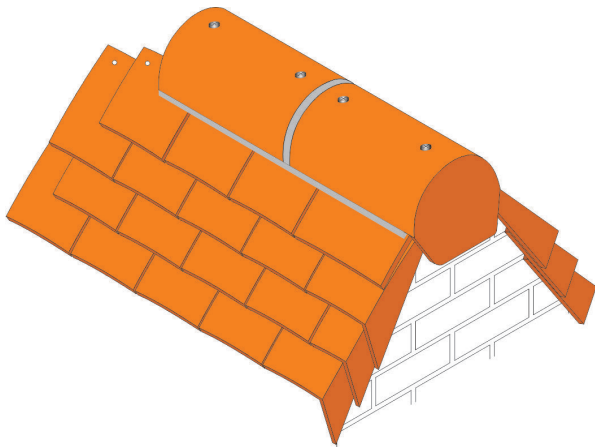
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# Technical Notes

## End Ridges and Hips

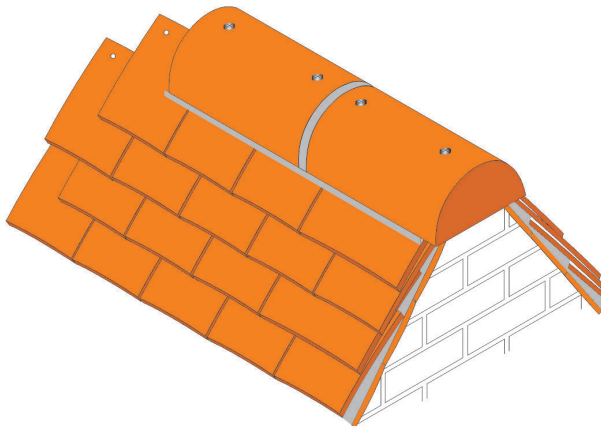
Sandtoft produces a range of end ridges to suit its ridge and hip tiles. These are available in clay, Duracoat and concrete.

The following illustrations show examples of end ridges:



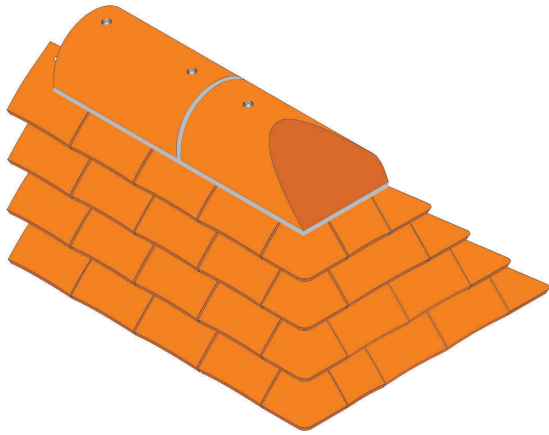
### Block end:

These are used at gables, usually with cloaked verge tiles or dry verge systems such as Multiverge or 20/20 verge.



### Gable stop end:

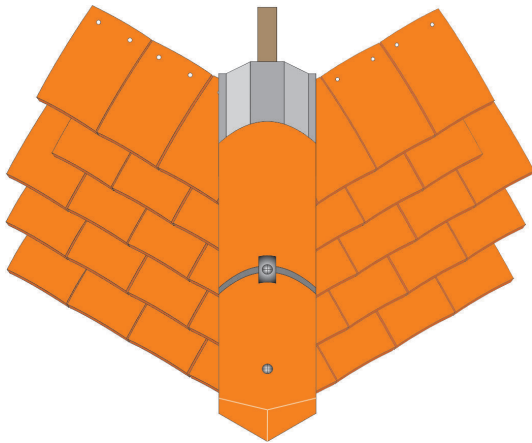
These are used at gables, usually with bedded verge tiles.



## Hip end:

These are used on the ridge, where the ridge meets 2 hips. Suitable for use with plain tiles with bonnet, arris or mitred hips.

Also suitable for use with BritLock slates and BritSlates with mitred hips.



## Hip starter ridge:

These are used on the hip at the eaves. Normally used with Roll Hip but could also be used with bedded hips.

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