

## EARN NZGBC HOMESTAR CREDITS WITH METROTILE

### MAT-1 Sustainable Materials Credit Summary

#### What is Homestar?

Homestar is a tool from the New Zealand Green Building Council that provides an assessment of achievement within categories and credits that provide solutions to improving the health, comfort, sustainability, and quality of New Zealand dwellings. Homestar is divided into seven categories and within each category are credits that address specific areas. Metrotile's products fall into the 'Materials' category and the MAT-1 Sustainable Materials specific area for this category.

#### MAT-1 Sustainable Metrotile Credits

The MAT-1 credit awards up to 10 points for the use of Sustainable Materials, with the points achieved based on the number of eligible material categories (up to two points per category) and the means of compliance (e.g. reuse, recycled content, eco-label or responsible sourcing).

Points are awarded for a material category where at least 50% of the total material content is compliant, based on the unit of measurement for that category. The criteria allows for a mixture of compliant materials to achieve the required percentage. A summary of our qualification for points under this credit, and assuming that the 50% criteria is met, is as follows:

#### Metrotile is eligible for the following material category:

- Non-timber roof cladding (measured in square meters)

#### Metrotile is eligible for 1.5 points in this category (providing >50% used for roof cladding) by:

- Having all of our roofing profiles in both Textured and Satin finishes (where applicable) third party certified by Thinkstep and UL in accordance with the ISO 14025 standard.

In summary, with our product specific, cradle to gate Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) in accordance with ISO 14025: Metrotile's products may support projects to gain up to 1.5 points under the MAT-1 Sustainable Materials Credit in accordance with the Homestar Technical Manual V4.1.

Please see our website to learn more about our sustainability processes and values and also to view our Environmental Product Declaration.

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