



TECHNICAL BULLETIN

INSTALLATION OF ROOFTOP SOLAR/PV EQUIPMENT RELATIVE TO MALARKEY WARRANTIES

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Malarkey Roofing Products® allows the installation of compatible solar and/or photovoltaic (PV) panels, cells, and similar rooftop appurtenances on warranted roofing projects, but certain conditions apply:

1. Malarkey roofing shingles and accessories are warranted to be free of manufacturing defects when installed in compliance with our latest published installation instructions.
2. Installation of solar/PV systems must also strictly adhere to those of the PV manufacturer. The ability of the roofing surface to shed water as intended must not be compromised.
3. The solar/PV equipment, related flashings, and installation are not covered by a Malarkey warranty nor is any damage to the underlying roofing system during its installation. Damage resulting from installation of a solar/PV system does not constitute a manufacturing defect and is not covered by the warranty.

Should leaks result and Malarkey is able to determine the cause is related to a manufacturing defect, full warranty coverage would apply. Refer to our *Shingle & Accessory Warranty* for complete details.

Malarkey recommends homeowners have their roofing contractor review any proposed solar mounting penetration details as well as the installation methods intended for use prior to initiating the work. Solar/PV assemblies being considered in coastal areas should contact Malarkey Technical Services for approval of those systems. These consultations will be useful for avoiding potential problems when integrating solar/PV equipment with the Malarkey roofing system.

Malarkey Technical Services is available from 7:00 am to 5:00 pm, Pacific Time. Call (800) 545-1191 or (503) 283-1191, or email us at technicalinquiries@malarkeyroofing.com.