

The Benefits of Using Seal-A-Ridge[®] vs. Cut-Up 3-Tab Shingles as Ridge Cap







	Seal-A-Ridge® Ridge Cap Shingles	Typical Cut-Up 3-Tabs as Ridge Cap
Exposure	6 -²/₃″	5″
# of pieces to install per average 100' of hip & ridge	180	240 – 60 more pieces (33% more) to hand-cut and install; 120 more nails (2 per piece)
Pre-perforated to avoid time-consuming cuts	Yes	No – Each piece hand-cut/trimmed before installation
Factory color-blended to complement GAF shingles	Yes	No – May result in a poor finished appearance, especially on visible hips
ASTM D3161 Class F (110 mph) as Ridge Cap	Yes	No – Typically 60 mph
25-Year StainGuard Plus Algae Protection Limited Warranty*	Yes	No
Eligible component of the GAF WindProven System**	Yes	No
Eligible for Lifetime Limited Warranty***	Yes	No – Typical 25 year limited warranty

Note: For regional availability, visit gaf.com/ridgecapavailability

*25-year StainGuard PlusTM Algae Protection Limited Warranty against blue-green algae discoloration is available only on products sold in packages bearing the StainGuard PlusTM logo. See GAF Shingle & Accessory Limited Warranty for complete coverage and restrictions, and qualifying products.

**15-year WindProven™ limited wind warranty on GAF Shingles with LayerLock™ Technology requires the use of GAF Starter Strips, Roof Deck Protection, Ridge Cap Shingles, and Leak Barrier or Attic Ventilation. See GAF Roofing System Limited Warranty for complete coverage and restrictions. Visit gaf.com/LRS for qualifying GAF products. For installations not eligible for the GAF Roofing System Limited Warranty, see the GAF Shingle & Accessory Limited Warranty.

† Lifetime refers to the length of warranty coverage provided and means as long as the original individual owner(s) of a single-family detached residence [or eligible second owner(s)] owns the property where the qualifying GAF products are installed. For other owners/structures, Lifetime coverage is not applicable. Lifetime coverage on shingles requires the use of GAF Lifetime shingles only. See GAF Shingle & Accessory Limited Warranty for complete coverage and restrictions. Lifetime coverage on shingles and accessories requires use of any GAF Lifetime Shingle and any 3 qualifying GAF accessories. See GAF Roofing System Limited Warranty for complete coverage and restrictions. Visit gaf.com/LRS for qualifying GAF product