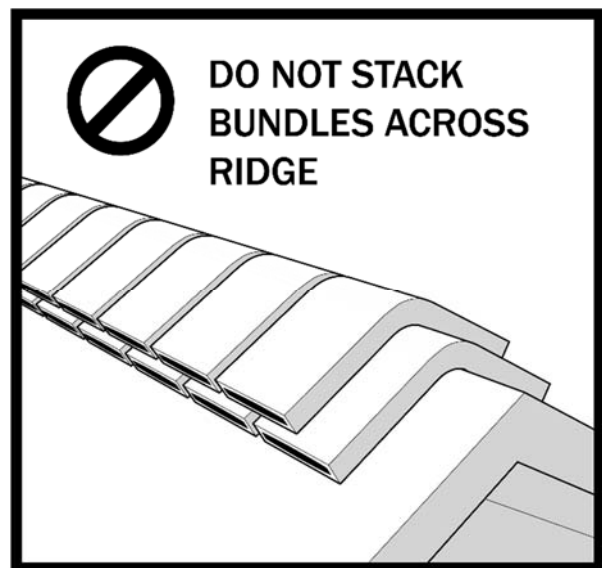
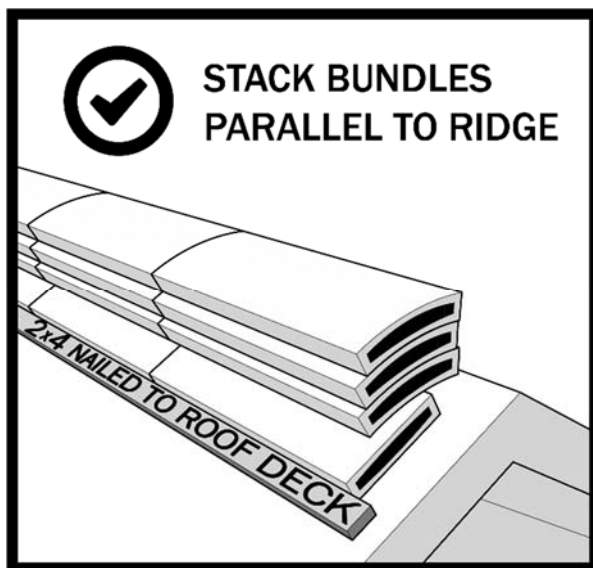


## **PROPER ROOF LOADING OF TAMKO FIBERGLASS/ASPHALT LAMINATED SHINGLES**

Adhering to the following guidelines when loading laminated shingle bundles on a roof prior to installation will help reduce shingle distortion after installation.

- When necessary to prevent bundles from sliding, nail a board to the roof deck where shingle bundles will be laid.
- The best practice is to lay laminated shingle bundles flat on the roof in their original packages.
- Avoid laying laminated shingle bundles over roof ridges or hips, through valleys, or across other slope transitions. Although this has been done historically with three-tab shingles, it is not recommended for laminated shingles, which are more difficult to bend across their length due to their two-layer construction.
- Make sure not to put too many bundles in one location; doing so can overload an area of the roof and cause damage to the underlying structure.
- Avoid stacking shingles in areas of the roof that may cause damage, such as valleys, ridges, hips, and other transitions.

The following illustrations provide examples of appropriate and inappropriate approaches to roof loading of laminated shingles.



Always use appropriate fall protection equipment and wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) when working with shingles on rooftops.

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