

Compare Art Thatch™ Synthetic Thatch to Natural

Over the long term, synthetic thatch is more cost effective and less expensive than natural thatching materials.

In the early days of artificial thatch, it was more expensive than natural thatch products. The cost is much more affordable now. Art Thatch™ is a modern synthetic roof thatching that is much closer in price and look to the traditional reed and palm materials used for exotic roofing. And Art Thatch™ has a significant cost savings advantage in the long term due to fire proofing, durability and warranty.

Quick Facts About Art Thatch™ vs Natural Thatch

Here's a brief look at the cost advantage and environmental impact of switching to artificial thatch.

Art Thatch™	Natural Thatch
100% Renewable	100% Renewable
Biodegradable, can go in landfills	Biodegradable, can go in landfills
Can be recycled	Only composts well in tropical climates
Runoff harmless to plants, animals, & water	Runoff harmless to plants, animals, & water
Cost to fire proof is \$0 a square foot	Cost to fire proof up to \$3 a square foot
Lasts 20 years in all climates	Lasts 2-7 years based on climate conditions
Impervious to moisture, insects, birds & pests	Prone to damage from insects, birds & pests
No repair or replacement of sheets needed	Sheets often replaced & repaired as damaged
Quick and easy to install	Quick and easy to install

The marginal price difference between Art Thatch™ and natural thatching is more than made up for in the long term by the cost savings in maintenance and replacement. The highest quality natural thatch only lasts up to 7 years, based on climate conditions. Palm and reed roofs require regular maintenance and replacement adds substantial labor costs and disruption to the daily operations.

Compare to Art Thatch™ artificial thatching, which has a roof life span of 20 years in any climate; more than double the life span of a roof using natural palm and reed thatching materials. Which translates to a major savings on repeat install time and labor for companies and their facilities.

Art Thatch™ synthetic roofing materials are offered in non-fire rated and Class A fire rated, a large savings over natural thatch which is flammable by nature and can cost up to \$3 a square foot to be fire retarded.

We strive to offer the most affordable, aesthetically pleasing, and environmentally friendly synthetic thatch roofing on the market. We've sourced our Polypropylene (PP) artificial thatch roofing products to be not only economical, but the most attractive and eco-responsible copy of nature possible. We've simulated nature so that you can protect it.

Whatever your project's style or budget, whether it's an outdoors or interior application, if your client is commercial or residential, you can depend on Art Thatch™ to provide product that's attractive, economical, and eco-friendly.