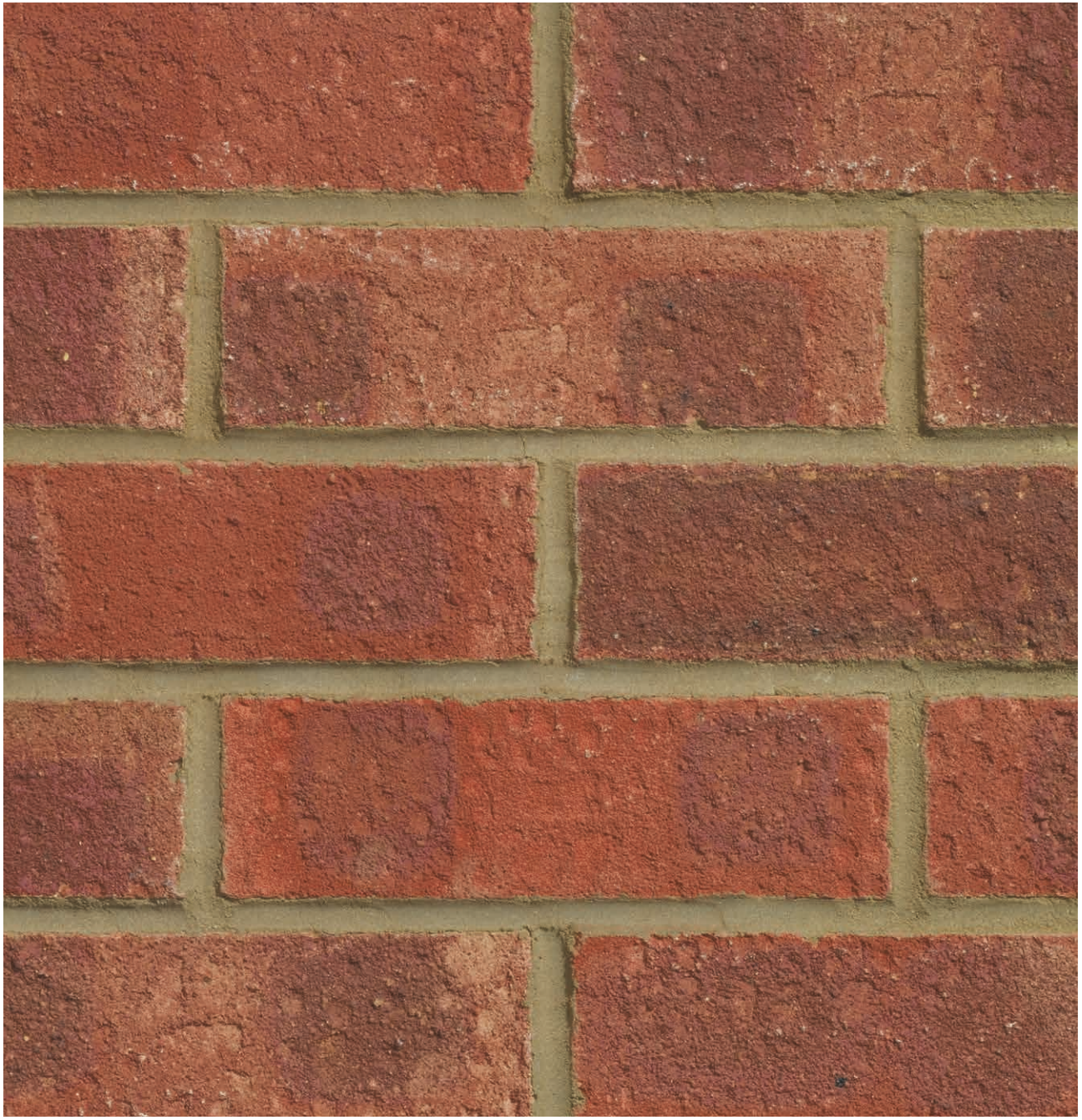

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THE ORIGINAL
LONDON
BRICK
Tudor 73mm

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Manufactured to BS EN 771-1

Brick type
Category II, U, Clay Masonry Unit

Standard work size
215 x 102.5 x 73mm

Dimensional tolerances
Tolerance category: T1
Range category: R1

Compressive strength
≥ 25N/mm²

Water absorption
≤ 23%

Durability
F1

Active soluble salts content
S2

Configuration
Frogged 13-18% Voids

Dry weight per brick
2.30kg

Pack Size
360

Factory
Whittlesey

BES 6001
Responsible Sourcing
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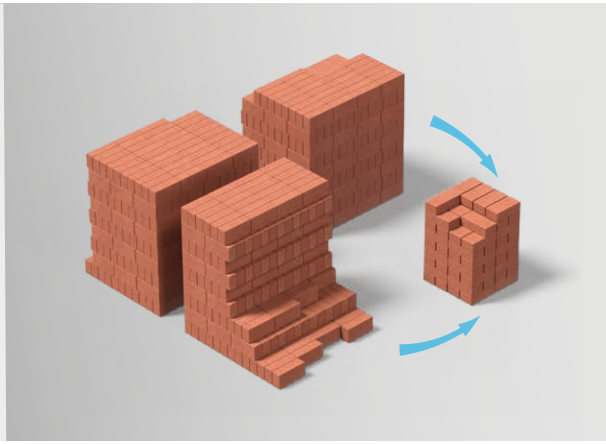
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Best practice brick handling

Make life easier with these simple tips which can save you time and money on your build.

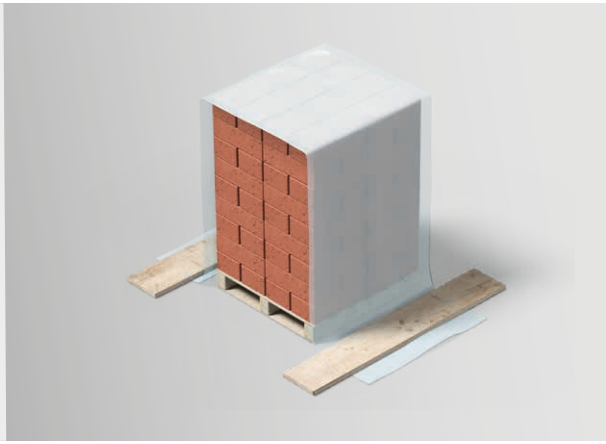
Blending bricks

Bricks should be loaded-out from a minimum of 3 packs and it is advisable to draw from the packs in vertical rather than horizontal slices. Doing this helps avoid colour patchiness or banding in the brickwork.



Brick storage

Bricks should be stored on a level, free-draining surface that is protected from the elements. Polythene wrapping provides protection from the weather; if this is removed for inspection it needs to be replaced or alternative protection needs to be provided.



Protection of newly built brickwork

When work stops or is interrupted by inclement weather conditions, brickwork should be protected immediately with polythene sheeting that is held in place with a suitable fixing. If new brickwork is not protected, lime stains, efflorescence and patchy mortar colour can occur. It should also be noted that the laying of brickwork should be discontinued when the temperature falls below 3°C or when frost is imminent.



Mortar and bricklaying

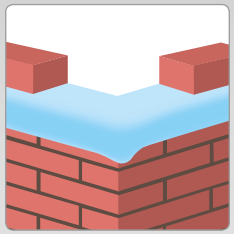
Do not build at or near freezing conditions.

Lay London bricks frog upwards for maximum strength and density, and also for maximum rain penetration protection; when neither is required, as in most low-rise dwellings, bricks may be laid frog down.

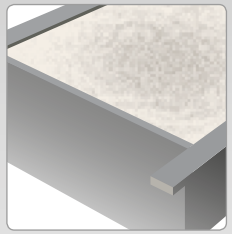
General brickwork form DPC level to eaves level of domestic construction.

Internal and external from DPC to eaves: (Class M4 Designation iii) 1 : 6 Portland Cement : sand + plasticiser or 1 : 1 : 6 Portland Cement : lime : sand + plasticiser.

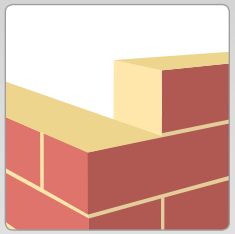
Note: For rendered brickwork use sulphate-resisting cement.



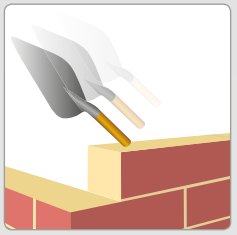
Protect recently constructed brickwork from inclement weather.



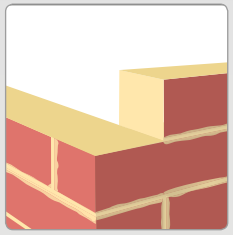
Batch materials in measured volumes.



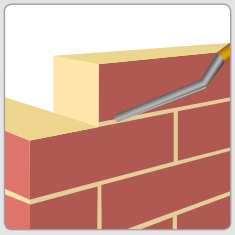
Fill all joints.



Avoid over tapping newly laid bricks.



Avoid mortar stains.



Finish mortar joints with an appropriate tool.