

Thin Brick Do It Yourself Installation Kit

Engineering Services

Technical Bulletin

Everything you need to install General Shale Thin Brick yourself is all right here. Following our simple installation guidelines using the 'fast adhesive' method, you can add genuine brick accents to any indoor project

Kit includes materials for 21-28 sq. ft.

Included:

- 4 tubes Power Grab[™] adhesive
- Pointing Mortar for joints (just add water)
- 100= 3/8" spacers for joint alignment
- Grout bag for mortar joints
- · Carpenter's Pencil

- Joint tool
- Complete installation instructions
- Caulk gun
- 5-gallon bucket
- Drop Cloth



No sag adhesive for attaching thin brick units to drywall. One tube covers approx. 10-15 sq. ft.



Quikrete™ mortar mix for jointing; just add water and mix. Two 10 lb. bags will cover approximately 25-35 sq. ft.



The pail your kit comes in is used to mix your jointing mortar



Caulk gun for adhesive



Mortar jointing tool



Grout bag is used to apply mortar between brick joints



Thin brick installation instructions. The "fast adhesive" method is simplest for indoor projects.



3/8" spacers for maintaining consistent joint size. 100 spacers enough for indoor project.



A drop cloth or plastic tarp to protect floors and carpets.



Carpenters pencil

Other things you will need include:



General Shale thin brick units of your choice; available in a wide variety of colors. One box of flats covers 7 sq. ft. Corner units are also available.

Items that may be helpful:



A masons or carpenters level



A small grinder for scoring and cutting brick. Some people have used Dremel[™] tools or you can rent a wet tile saw at a rental center.



Work gloves



If you have standard sheet rock walls you can use the "fast adhesive" method however we recommend applying a sealer/primer such as Zinsser™ to help



Stiff bristle masonry brush for clean down.

Note: Actual components in your kit may vary from what is noted above.