Installation guidelines

ROCKCLOSE®

Tools required
- Insulation saw
- Tape measure

Fixing and application

ROCKWOOL ROCKCLOSE® is suitable for vertical and horizontal applications and is designed to be installed as work proceeds, between the outer masonry leaf and closing inner leaf prior to fitting of window and door frames. The product can be easily cut on site as required, but always ensure the 100mm DPC lap is retained.

- Where more than one length is required, the adjoining lengths of insulation are simply tightly butt jointed together.
- The upper piece must be installed with the 100mm DPC overlap at the bottom, dressed over the DPC face of the lower piece.
- DPC side laps: The DPC overlaps the insulation by 40mm on each side. On the cavity side, the DPC should extend into the cavity along the inside face of the outer leaf. On the opening side, the DPC should be formed against the window/door frame and sill in the traditional method.
- Installation must follow normal good practice for the detailing of DPCs, as set out in BS EN 1996-2: 2006, BS 8000-3: 2001 & BS 8215.

Health & safety

The mechanical effect of fibres in contact with skin may cause temporary itching.

- Cover exposed skin
- When working in unventilated area wear disposable face mask.
- Rinse in cold water before washing.
- Clean area using vacuum equipment.
- Ventilate working area if possible.
- Waste should be disposed of according to local regulations.
- Wear goggles when working overhead.