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Understanding Square Metres and Lineal Metres

M² (Square Metres)
Applies to flat area - Calculate Height x Width

LM (Lineal Metres)
Applies to corners - Calculate the total Length of areas requiring corner pieces
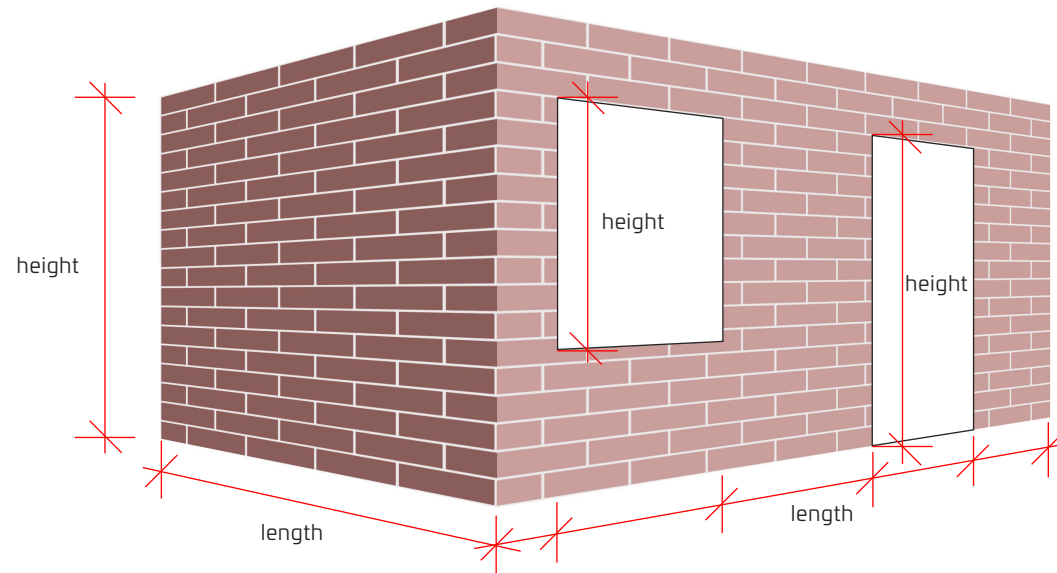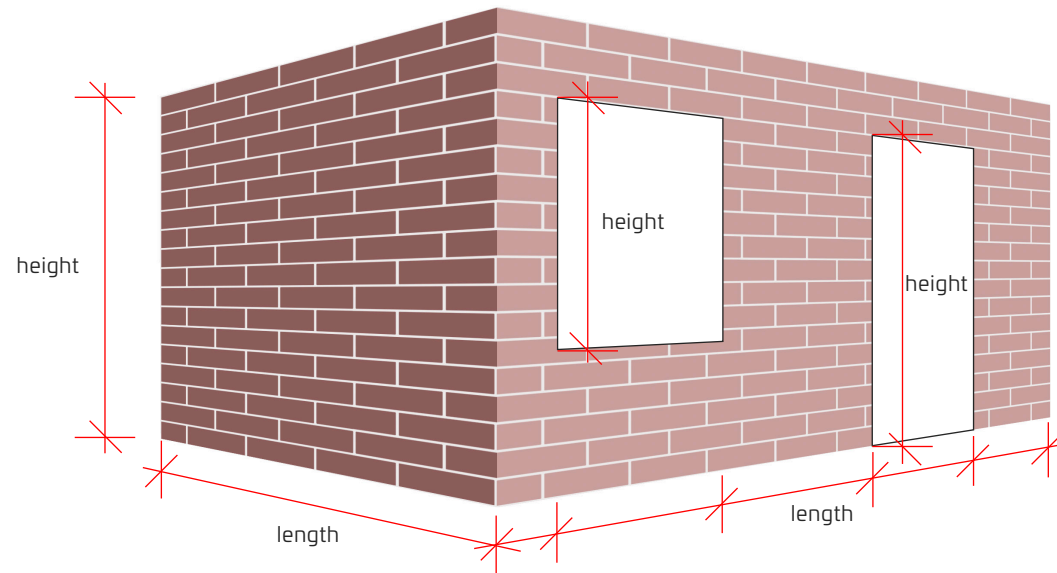
Deductions
Deduct m² or L/m that do not require stone

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Formula

Total Stone Required
= (Wall area) – (area of Openings) – (area covered by corners)
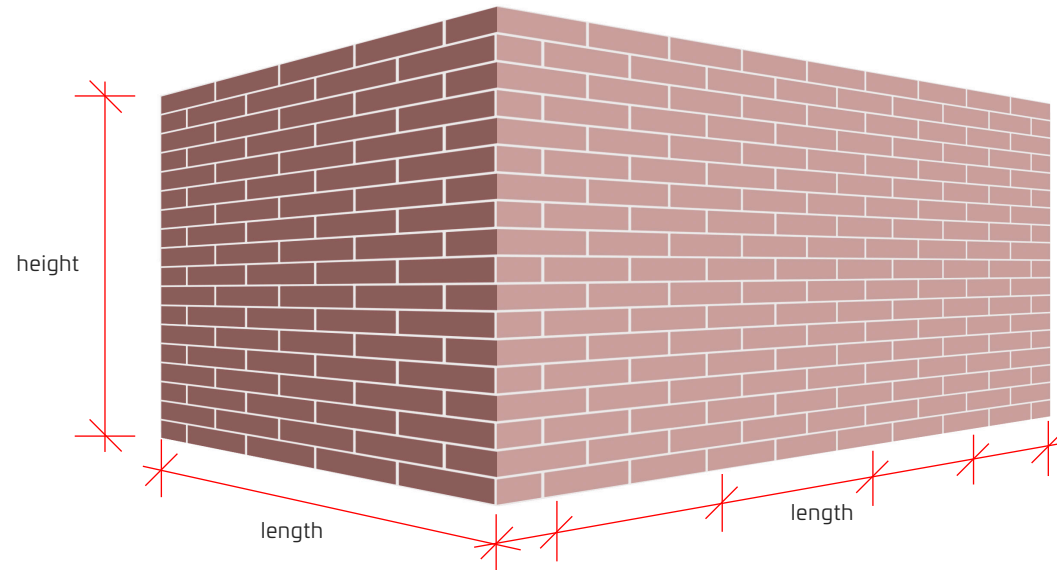

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Formula

Total Stone Required
= (Wall area) – (area of Openings) – (area covered by corners)

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Total Stone Required
= (wall area) – (window + door area) – (wall area covered by corners)

Formula:
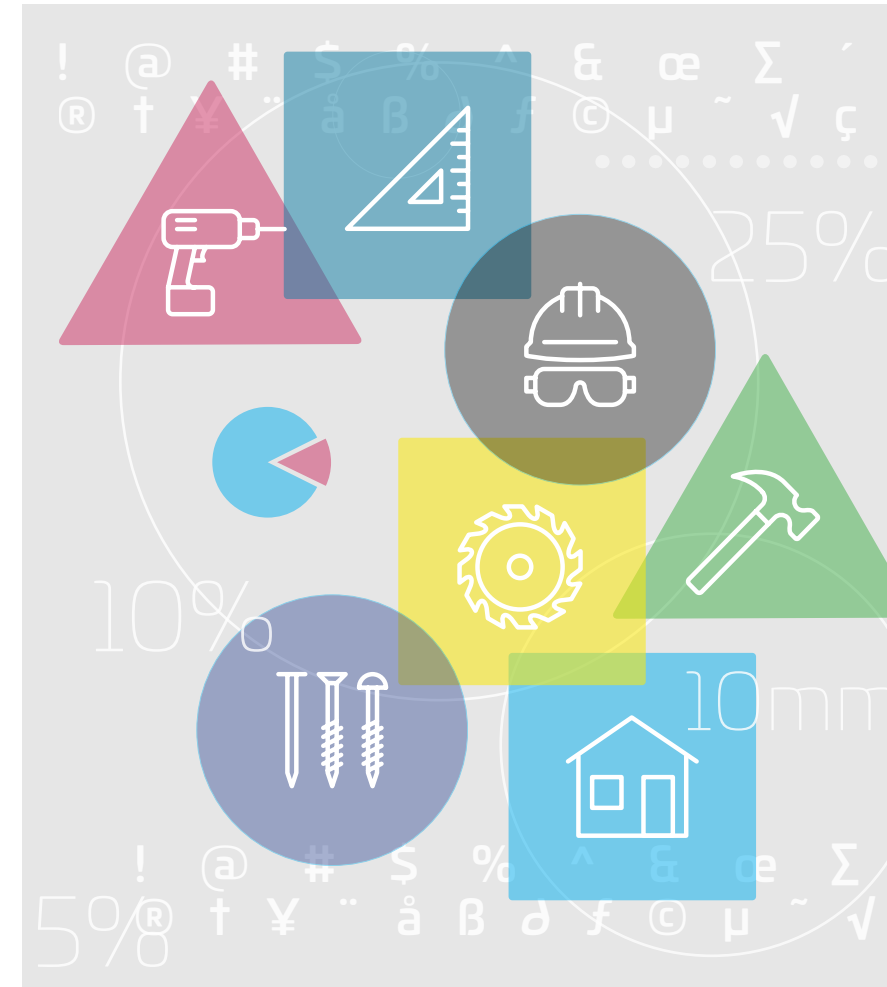Area covered by Corners = lineal metres of Corners x 0.2

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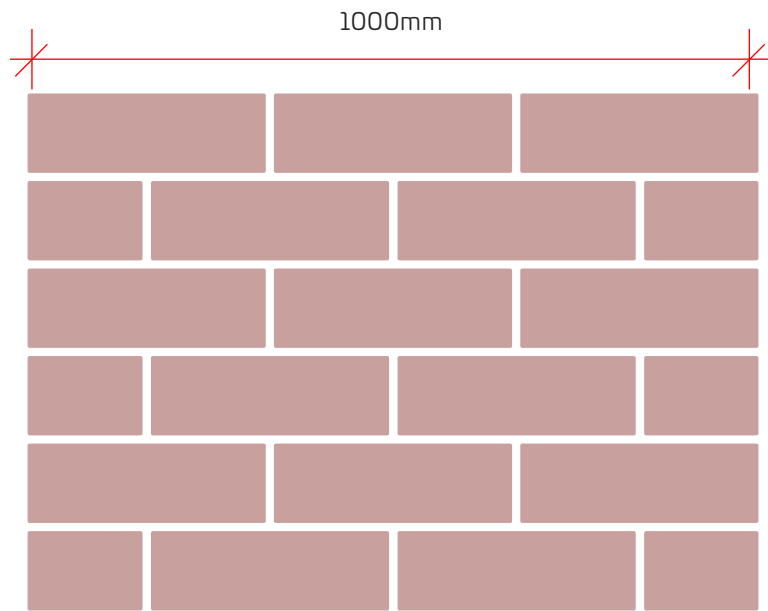
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Why Allow 5% for Waste?

- Allows for good selection of CraftStone sizes and shapes for a professional finish
- Eliminates the risk of finishing the job with similar colour or sized pieces

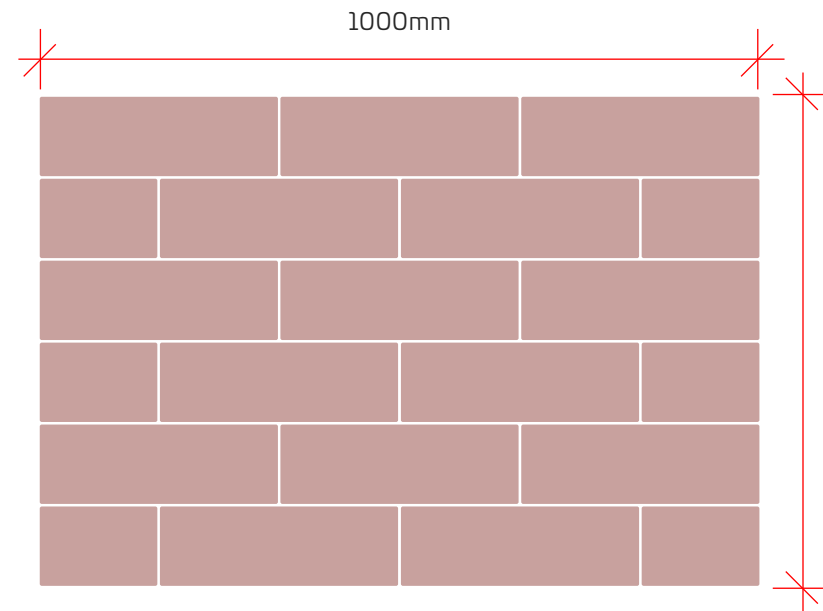**Why Allow 10-25% for Tight Fitting?**

- CraftStone is sold based on using a 10mm mortar joint
- When stone is fitted with no mortar joint, it requires more stone per square metre
- Always ask customers what type of mortar joint they desire
- Standard 10mm
- Tight Fitted

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Why Allow 10-25% Extra for Tight Fitting?

1000mm

1000mm

Standard 10mm

Tight fitted

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Why Allow 10-25% Extra for Tight Fitting?

Profile	Standard Joint	Tight Fitted Joint
CraftBricks Cottage	5%	N/A
Vintage Ledgestone	5%	N/A
Classic Ledgestone	5%	N/A
Lime Stone	5%	N/A
Mountain Ledgestone	5%	20%
Stacked Ledgestone	5%	20%
Medieval Castle Stone	5%	N/A
SandStone	5%	N/A
River Rock	5%	N/A
Quarry Stone	5%	25%

- Allow 5% for wastage across all profiles
- Allow 10-25% for tight fitted joints – refer to table
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