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The installation of H & E Smith Eco-Glazed Brick Slips in conjunction with Mapei tiling products

To a suitably stable substate such as tile backer board or sand/cement render apply **Mapei KERAFLEX MAXI S1** standard setting tile adhesive, using a 10mm notched trowel.

To the applied adhesive bed install the brick slips using a twisting sliding motion to ensure that full coverage is achieved, before inserting the recommended 10mm spacer.

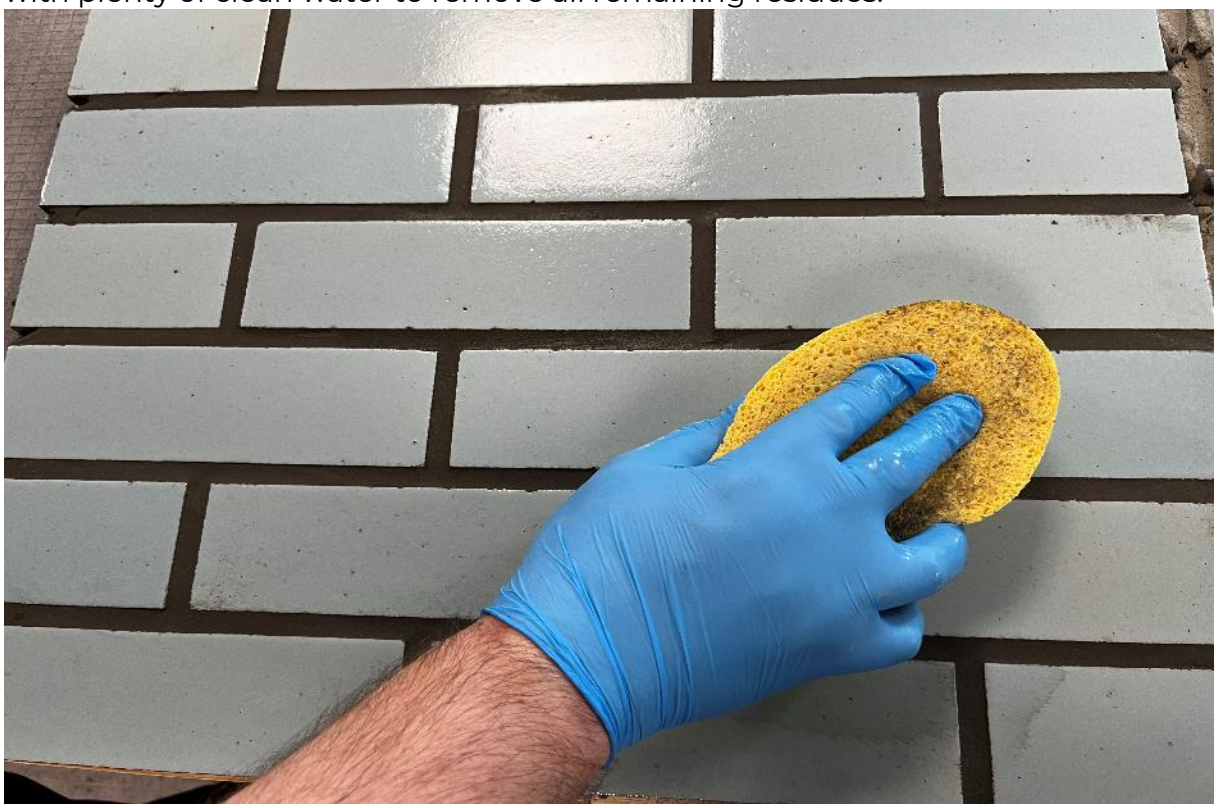
Brick slips should be periodically removed to ensure that 100% coverage is achieved.

Allow the adhesive to cure for a minimum of 24 hours before commencing grouting using **Mapei ULTRACOLOR PLUS** grout, mixing fully in line with the product guidelines. Using a suitable rubber grout float, ensure the grout joints are fully infilled while removing as much excess from the surface of the brick slips while the product is still fresh.

Once the applied grout has started to stiffen within the joints (after approximately 15-20 minutes), use a damp cellulose grouting sponge to strike the grout joints to the desired smooth finish before removing the excess grout from the surface of the tiles. It is recommended to use 2 buckets of water during the cleaning process to enable the sponge to be cleaned thoroughly between each pass. Ensure that the sponge is thoroughly wrung out before being applied to the grouted surface to ensure excess water isn't added to the applied grout.

Once cured any remaining grout residue can be removed with the aid of **Mapei ULTRACARE KERANET EASY** cement based grout residue remover.

Allow the product to dwell on the surface of the tiles for 2-3 minutes before being removed using a damp cellulose grouting sponge. Thoroughly clean the area with plenty of clean water to remove all remaining residues.



Completed installation

All recommendations should be read in conjunction with current H&E Smith and Mapei Data Sheets, and the relevant British Standards.

Contractors should ensure that all substrates are of suitably stable construction to receive the intended finish.

For further information on the Mapei products mentioned within this document, please contact Mapei UK Technical Services.