



DESIGNER MASONRY CONTROL JOINTS SPECIFICATIONS

E2/AS1

Section 9.2 Masonry Veneers requires provision of control joints to accommodate longitudinal shrinkage stress

10.01

As per NZS 4210 & Firth doc – Veneer Construction Details
Max 6 metres straight wall or at 4 metres spacing
Edge of windows

Focus®/ Pioneer®/H10.01

As per Firth doc – Veneer Construction Details

Devonstone®/ Manorstone®

Max spacing of 6 metres on a straight wall (no windows)
1 control joint at window edge closest to middle of each wall
or if over 6 metres window edges closest to 4 metre spacing

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FIRTH DESIGNER MASONRY

Prior to laying:

1. Check colour is correct and all pallets are consistent
2. Check correct quantity of product has been delivered
3. Keep product dry until laid
4. Set out from a minimum of 3 pallets on each wall
5. Report any issues to Firth (0800 FIRTH 1; 0800 347841) prior to laying

*Efflorescence is a natural occurrence which may appear dependant on climatic conditions

*Firth recommends sealing dark colours to minimise instances of efflorescence and colour loss due to drying