

## Rough-hewn facing tiles.

### Preparation before installing:

• The surfaces to be covered will NOT be of plaster or painted and if they are installed on rendering the surface must be even and recently finished. If the rendering is old check that adherence is good and clean it.

### Material to be used:

Rough-hewn facing tile PLB-400 or Smooth facing tile PLL-400.  
Accessories: The ML-40 moulding frames and highlights facades with rough-hewn facing tiles that require this effect.

### Recommended products:

- Use COLA-SAS tile cement.
- Never use plaster as mortar.
- Elastic tile cement (for facades of more than 30 m<sup>2</sup>).
- Silicon for sealing expansion joints.

### Installation:

- Begin tiling from the bottom.
- The pieces of the first course must be fitted with the help of a ruler whose height will vary depending on whether the tiling is to begin at floor level or a few centimetres higher.
- Normally they will be installed in breaking-joints formation, which means that the row must begin with a piece cut in half. Use a portable grinder.
- If the façade is 30 m<sup>2</sup> or more the expansion joints must be taken into account in order to avoid cracks caused by heat variations, and the facing tiles will be installed with elastic tile cement. In this case we do not use Cola-SAS.
- We recommend white, grey or beige silicon for sealing expansion joints.
- Make sure that the tile cement does not leak through the joints during installation. If the tiles get stained clean them as soon as possible with water and a brush.

