

NELISSEN COLLECTION

#### **NELISSEN BRICKS**

Premium quality Belgian bricks in more than 26 countries for more than 95 years.

Nelissen Bricks, a Belgian brick manufacturer based in the heart of Belgium, is specialized in the production of hand-moulded bricks for more than 95 years, and reaches the highest level in terms of quality and colour shades. The innovation that lies within our company and our unwavering commitment to serve all customers are key to our international success. Nowadays, we have become a major player in more than 26 countries, with a yearly turnover of more than 26 million Euro, and manufacturing quantities

Customer innovation, customer centricity and co-creation, some of Nelissen Bricks' core values, are an affirmation of the dedication exhibited by our team in providing a consistently high level of service to our customers.

that exceed 150 million bricks/year.

We hope we can inspire you by presenting our extensive range of bricks available in over 100 different colours and 7 different sizes.

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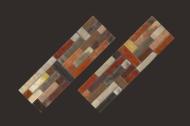






"If a building becomes architecture, then it is art."

- Arne Jacobsen



# HAND MOULDED FACING BRICKS

Hand-moulded facing bricks have a unique shape and colour. Previously, hand-moulded bricks were actually shaped by hand, but today they are manufactured with the most modern equipment and technologies.

Our workmanship allows us to produce this typical hand-moulded brick with irregular surface, varied hues and sandy veins.



#### WASSERSTRICH

Wasserstrich bricks combine the roughness of hand-moulded bricks with an extrusion pressed brick without sanded coating.

These bricks owe their name to a special technique applied during the manufacturing. Instead of sand in the mould, a small jet of water ("Wasserstrich") is sprayed into the trays in order to get the clay bricks out of the moulds.

This process highlights the natural colour of the clay, giving the facing brick a soft, nuanced tone.



#### SIZES

When entering one of the Nelissen showrooms, the great variety of bricks in different sizes and colours catches the eye.

The size may seem less important than the colour or finishing, but it still deserves some attention.

In the bigger picture, the size of the facing brick also determines the personality of your project.

#### MOD WV RF 4 N7 MOD 50 MOD 65 WV 50 WV 65 N70/4 N70/5 ±190x90x50 ±190x90x65 ±210x100x40 ±210x100x50 ±215x100x65 ±240x70x40 ±240x70x50

#### EVERY CENTIMETER COUNTS

#### **DISCOVER**



The N70 is not just 3 cm slimmer, but also 3 cm longer than the traditional facing brick in Waal size: +/- 240 x 70 x 50 mm.

Herewith, Nelissen Bricks demonstrates how 3 cm can make a world of difference. Another addition to the N70 range is the N70/5: an extra slim version with a height of 4 cm.

The N70/5 is available in Maranello, Autrique, Veneto, Grafit, Cassis, Arte sintered and Lava.

The N70/4 is available in Roca.

more architectural freedom more character more insulation





less mortar less space loss less environmental impact



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#### JOINTS

#### NORMAL LOOK - WITH JOINT

In traditional masonry, joints of 10 mm to 12 mm are common, but that does not mean there are no other options. Choosing the correct joint colour is not an easy task. The joint can cover up to 25% of the façade and thus largely determines the appearance of the façade. Adding a light colour for example highlights the colour of the bricks whereas a dark colour gives the façade a darker look. Another possibility is working tone on tone, which makes the façade more colour-intense.

To know what effect the colour of the joints will have on your wall, we invite you to check out the joint module on our website www.nelissen.be.

#### **GLUED LOOK**

A trend that becomes more and more popular is the gluing of bricks. With glued facing bricks, the façade gets all the attention, since there are no visible joints. Glued walls give the impression only to consist of stacked bricks.

Do you want a modern, austere architecture with clean lines? Then you should certainly consider this processing method. Compared with a joint, the colour of the facing brick will be much more intense.

Glued walls have a higher strength than traditional walls. Glued facing bricks have three advantages: no efflorescence, no scaling and a higher durability.

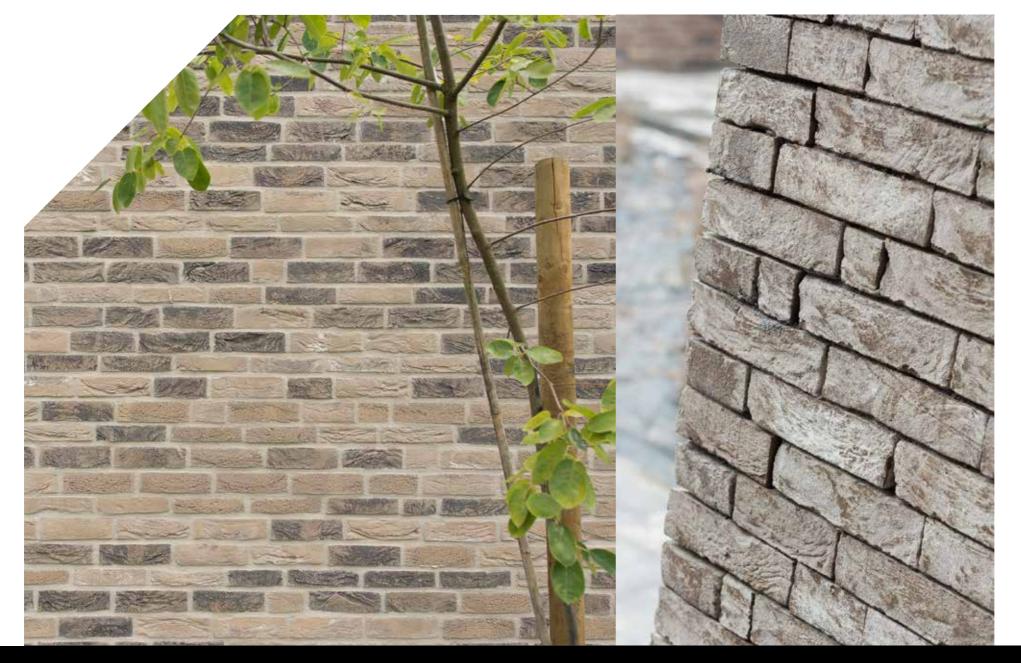
All facing bricks can be glued using the correct mortar. In most projects, the colour of the mortar is adjusted to the brick.

#### THIN JOINT WITH THIN BED MORTAR

A good alternative for glued facing bricks is working with thin bed mortar. This provides the same result as glued facing bricks.

The bricks are at the centre of attention and the colour of the bricks gets the proper attention. The massive walls with great expressiveness give the project a modern and tight look. It is cemented in the normal way but the joint is only 5 mm to 6 mm as opposed to a traditional joint of  $\pm 10 \text{ mm}$ .

It is also possible to use thin-bed mortar that can be adapted to the colour of the facing brick.







"Architecture starts where you carefully put two bricks together.

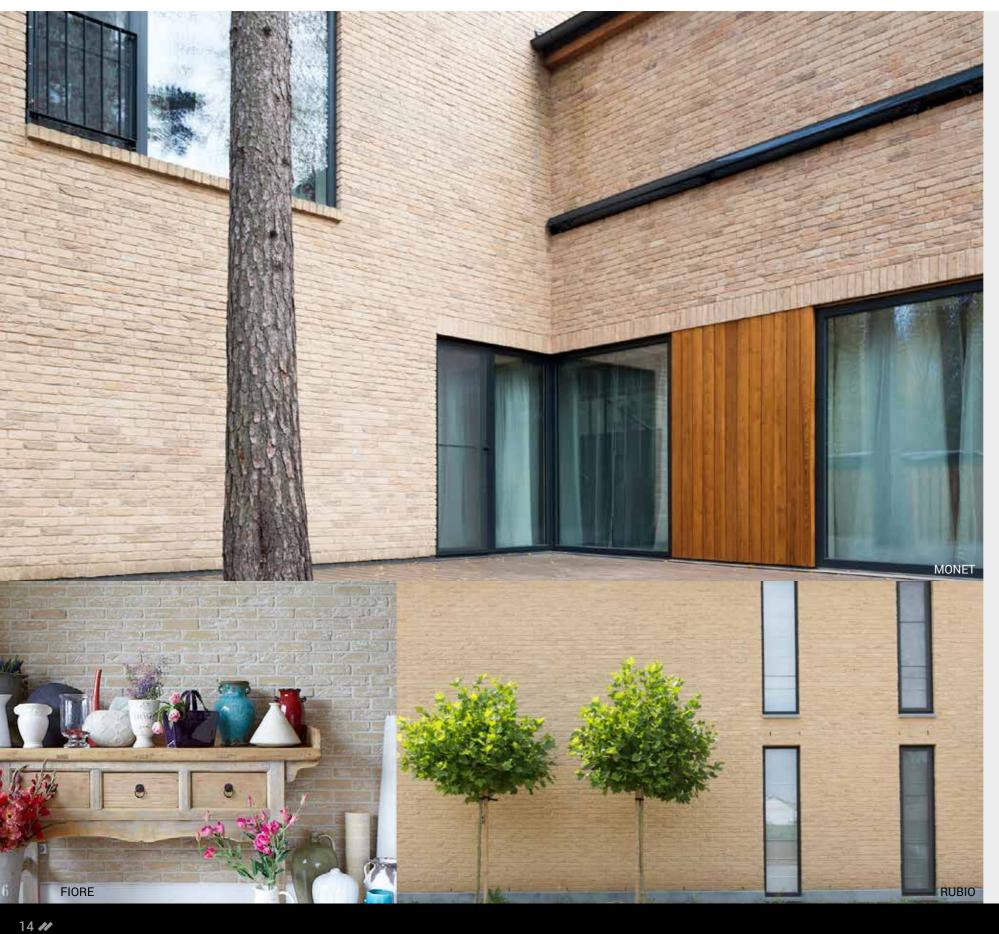
There it begins."

- Ludwig Mies Van Der Rohe



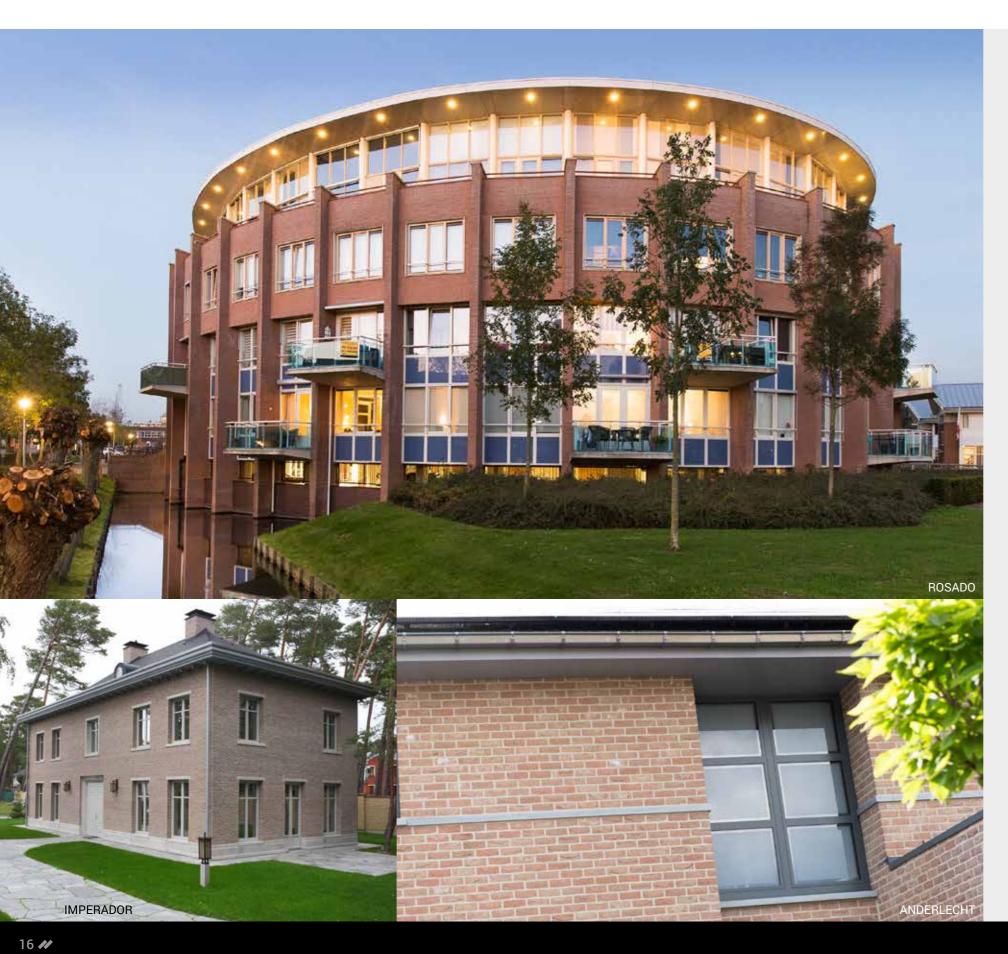
### PASTEL

Light facing bricks in nuanced soft pastel shades. For a refined façade.





### PASTEL





ANDERLECHT



ROSADO



IMPERADOR

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Warm facing bricks with characteristic nuances. For a timeless façade full of character.





MARANELLO



SANTORINI



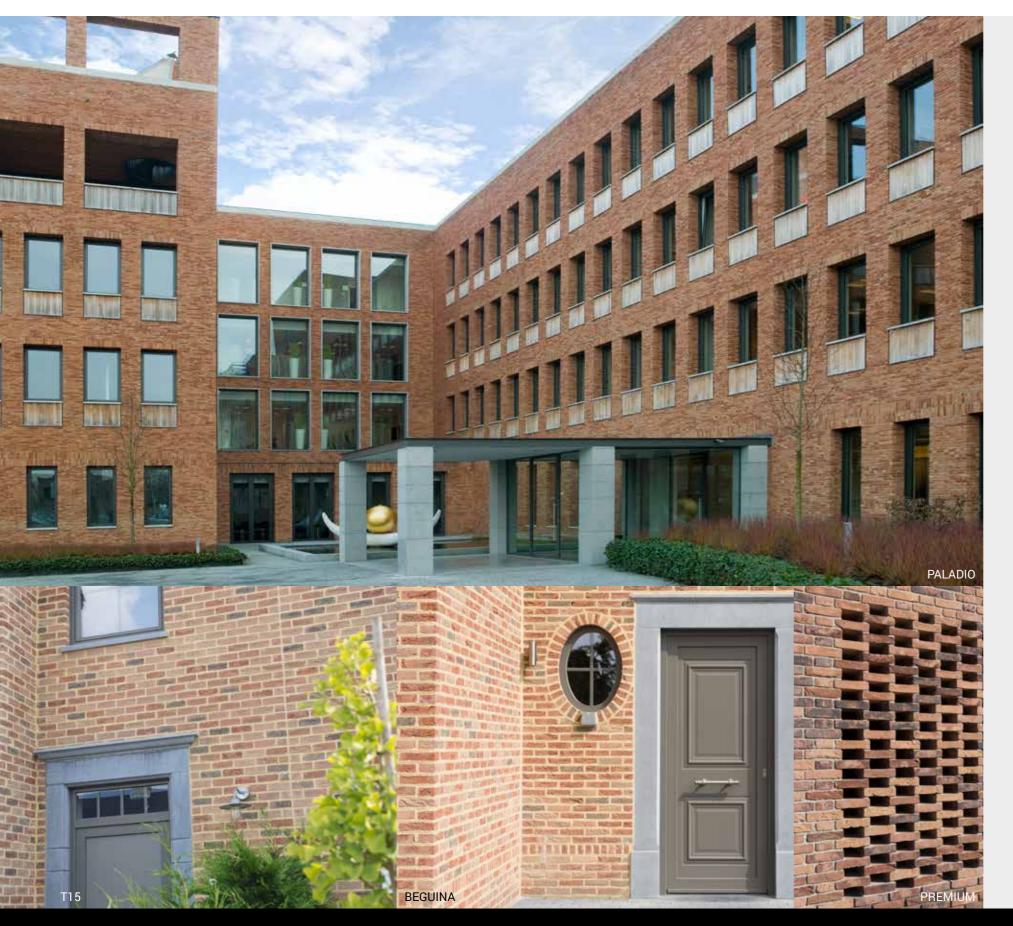
VALETTA



SIENA



GOYA





MAGNOLIA



T15



BEGUINA



PREMIUM



PALADIO







ROBINIA



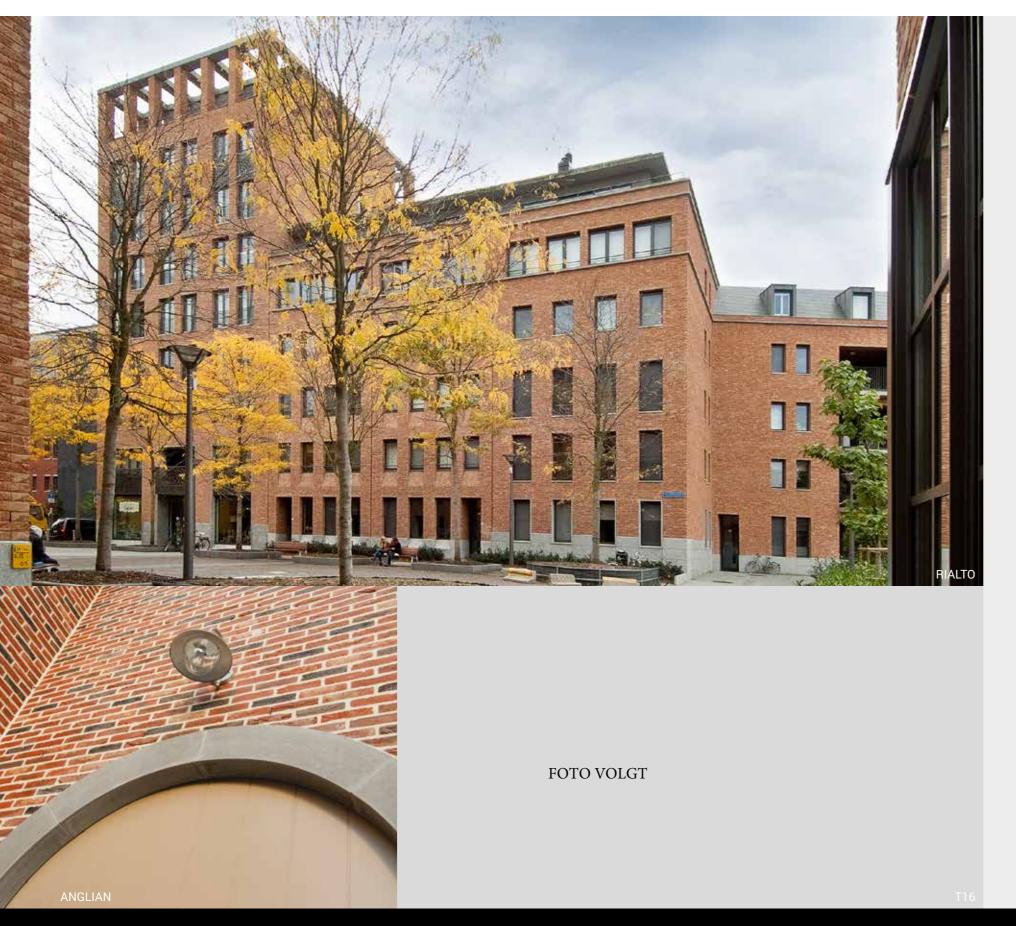
CAPRI



NEO BAROCK



FAMENNE





T16



RIALTO



VERONA



ANGLIAN

### **PASSION**

Fiery shades that bring the passion in your façade.





KLAMPSTEEN KESSELT



ROSSO



WIJNEGEM



SPANISH RED

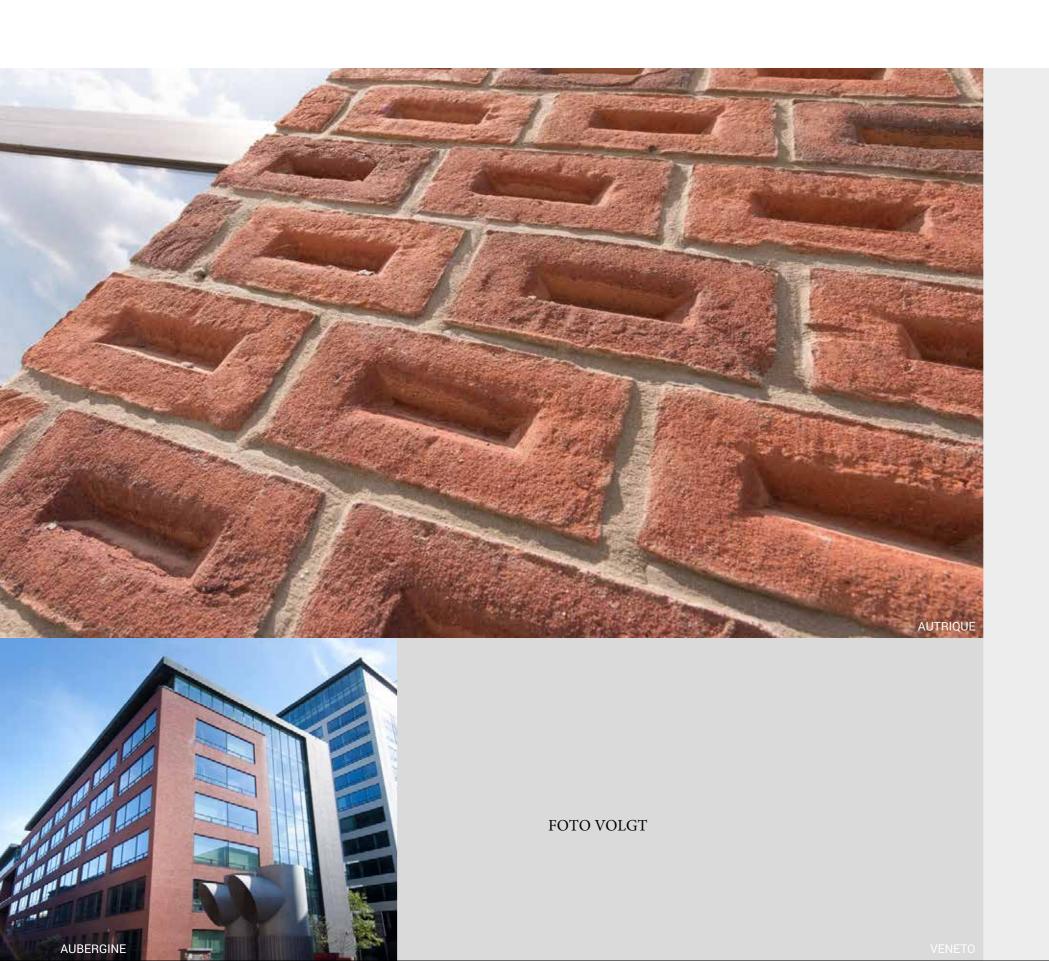


TRAFALGAR

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# **PASSION**

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ROSINA



AUTRIQUE



AUBERGINE



VENETO

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# OBSCURO

Dark facing bricks. For a façade with just that little bit more.





BRAVO



NERO



ETNA



NITRO

# OBSCURO





MAAS-BRICK



DALI



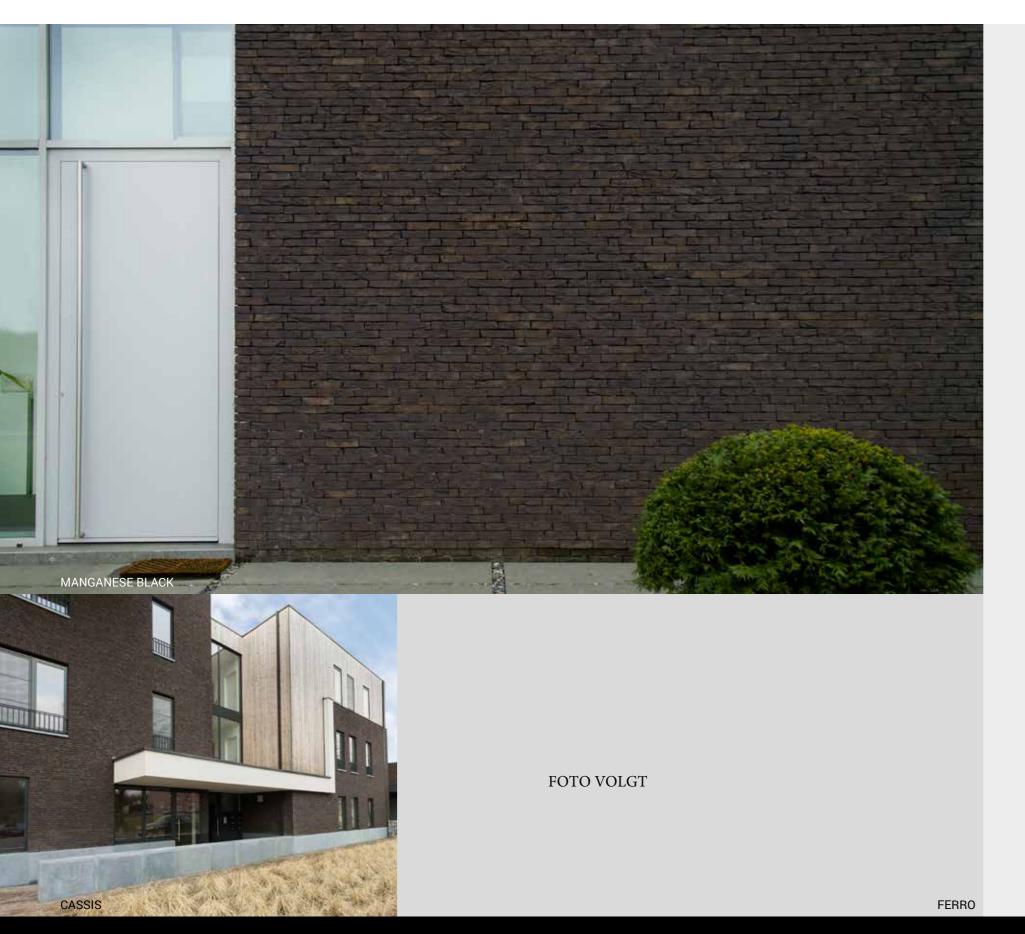
MORENO



MURIA

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# OBSCURO





GRAFIT



MANGANESE BLACK



FERRO



CASSIS

FOTO VOLGT





BRETAGNA



CAP GRIS NEZ



VINALMONT

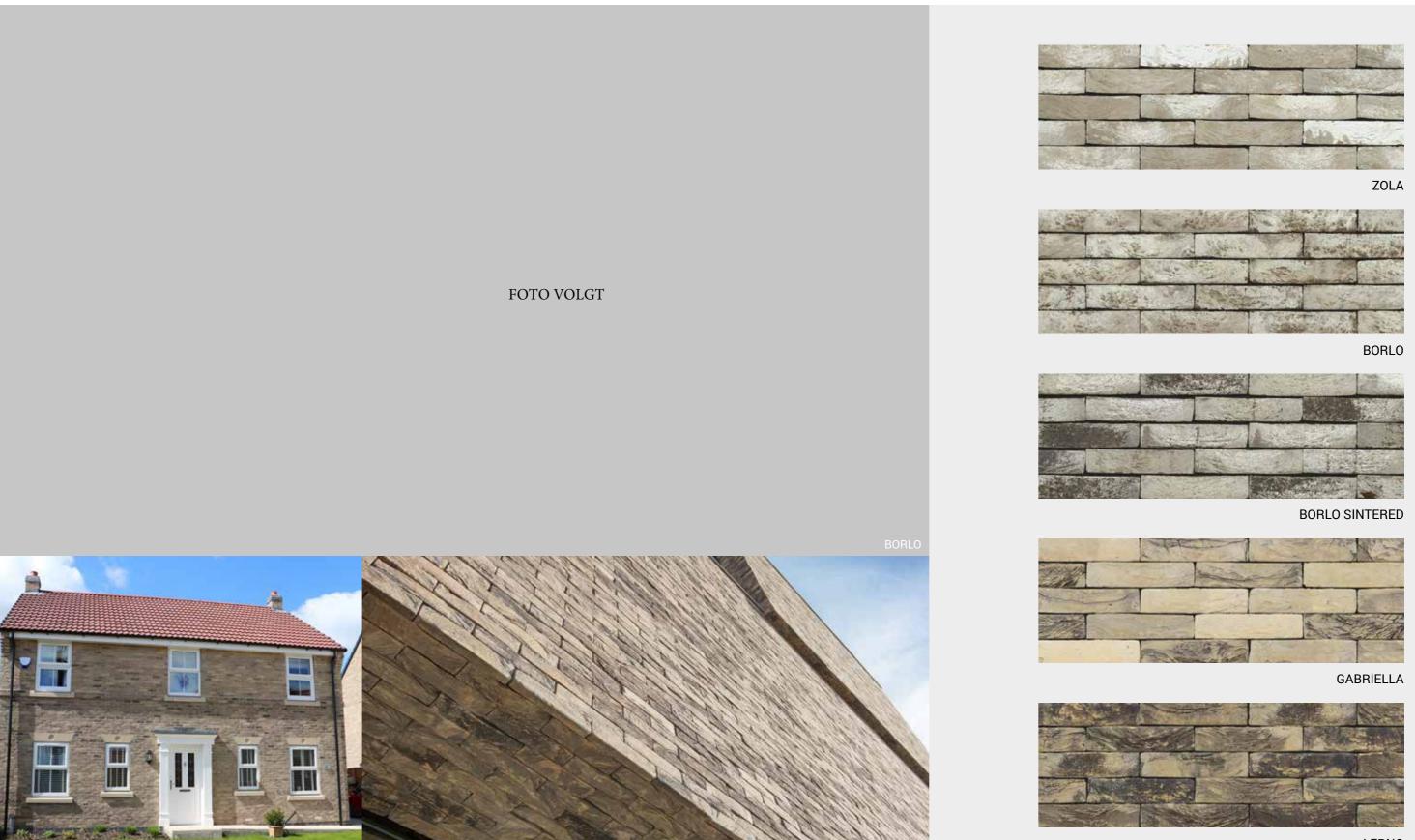


ARTE



MANGANESE BLACK

### **GRIGIO**

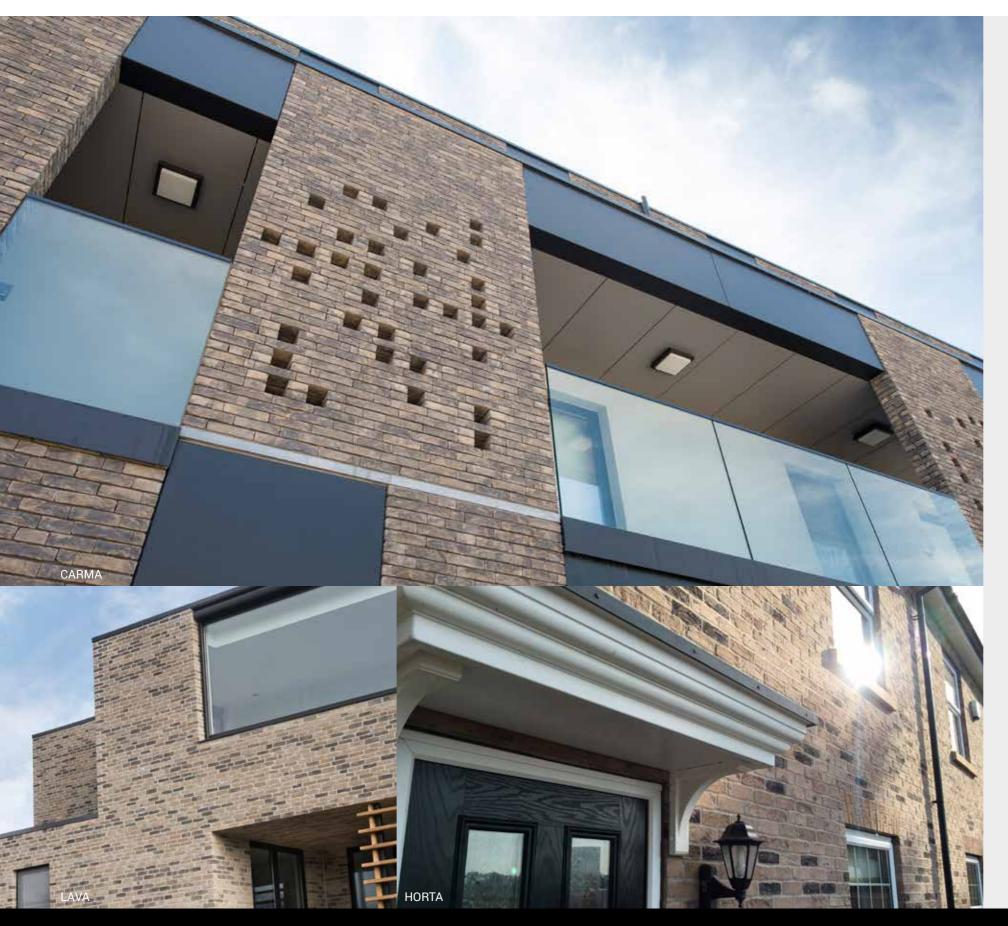


LERNO

GABRIELLA

LERNO

# **GRIGIO**





CARMA



LAVA



HORTA



ROCA

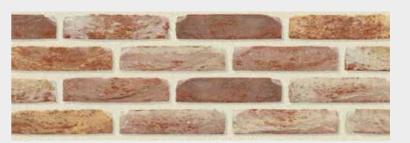
# CLASSICO

A brick with a unique look that cannot be distinguished from old bricks. For that real authentic feeling.





OLD-TERDUINEN



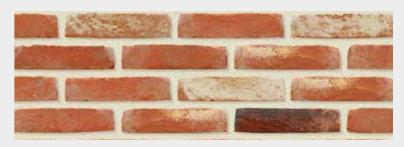
OLD-HASPENGOUW



OLD-GOTHIC



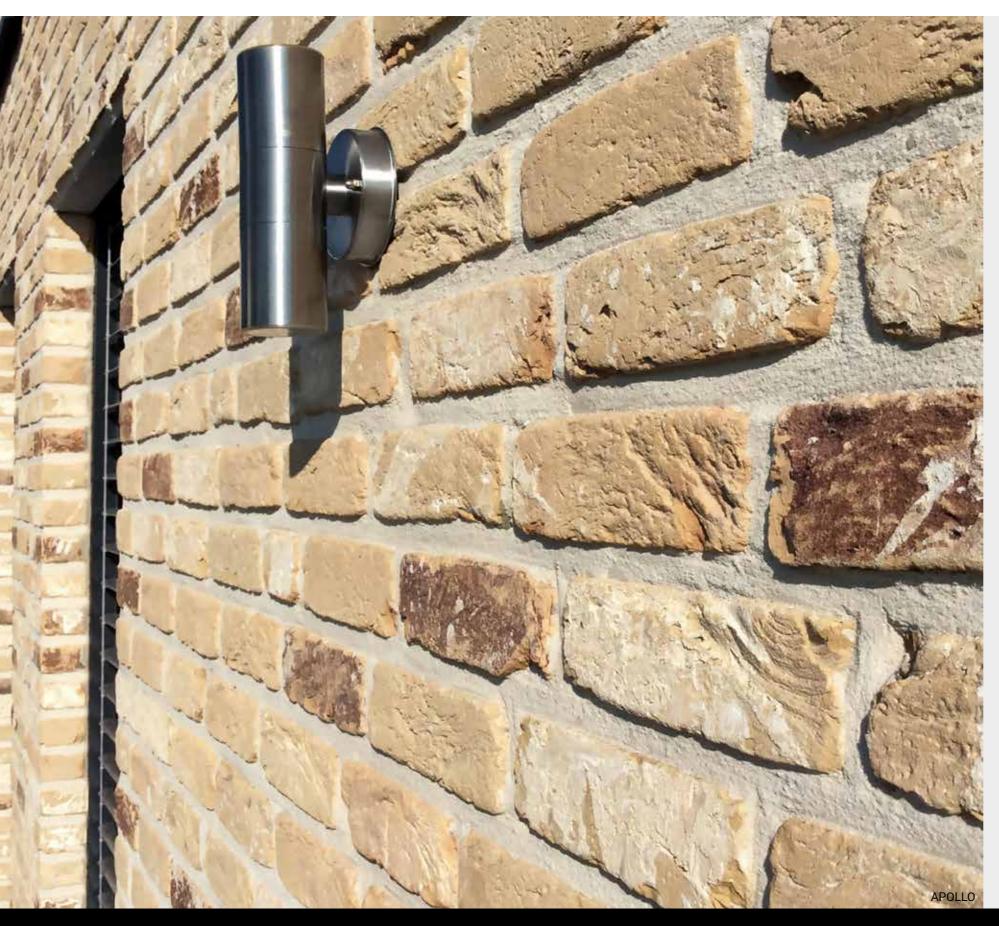
BELLE ÉPOQUE DE MARCHE



OLD-LIMBURG

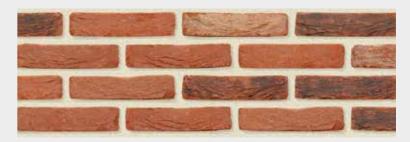
#### **HAMMERED**

Authentic bricks. For a distinctive façade.

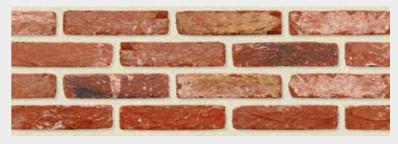




APOLLO



HERA



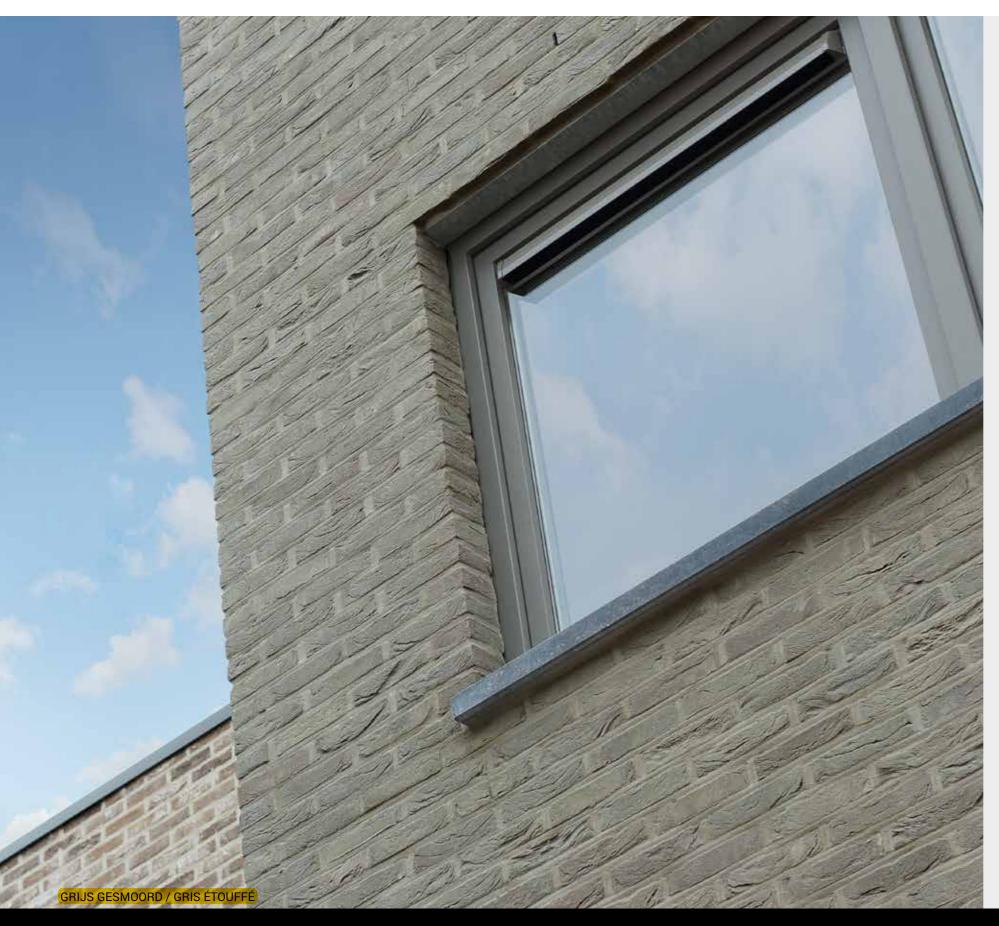
PALLAS



ARES

### **OXYGENLESS**

A brick with a pure gray shades. Gives your home a warm and creative vibe.





**GREEN-GREY BRAISED** 



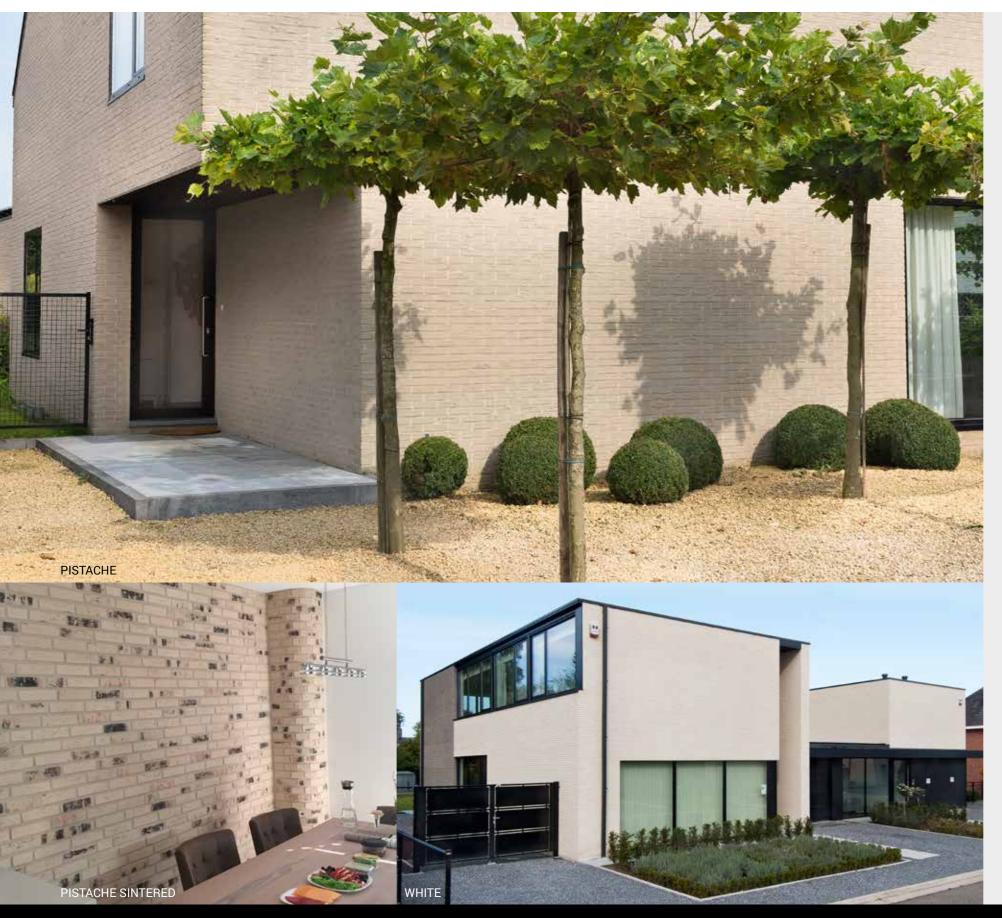
GREY BRAISED



ANTHRACITE BRAISED

### RODRUZA

A modern, tight look? Then the Rodruza range is without any doubt your thing!

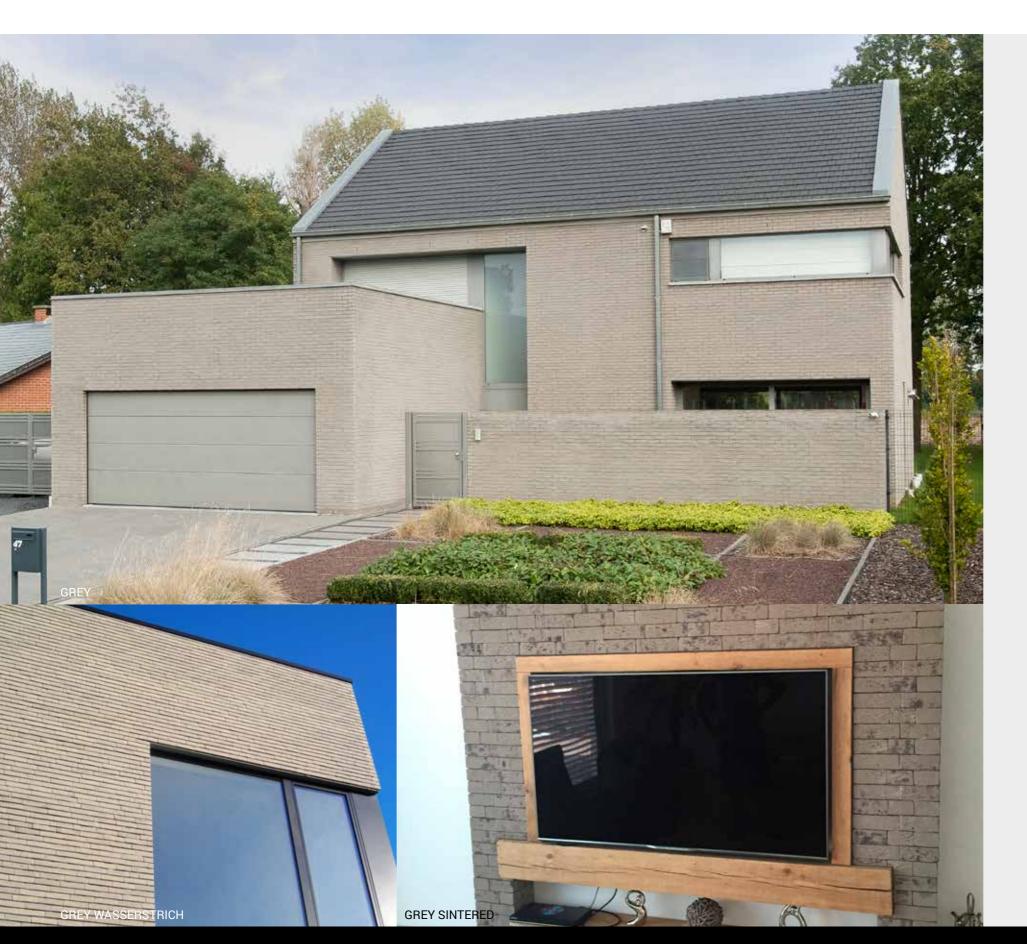




PISTACHE SINTERED

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# RODRUZA





GREY



GREY SINTERED



JEKER



BLACK



BLACK SINTERED

# RODRUZA



NASSAU BONT



DOES



KLEURIGE KLINKER



SPAARNE





NEDERRIJN



HONTE



ALEMS BONT



ALEMS RED

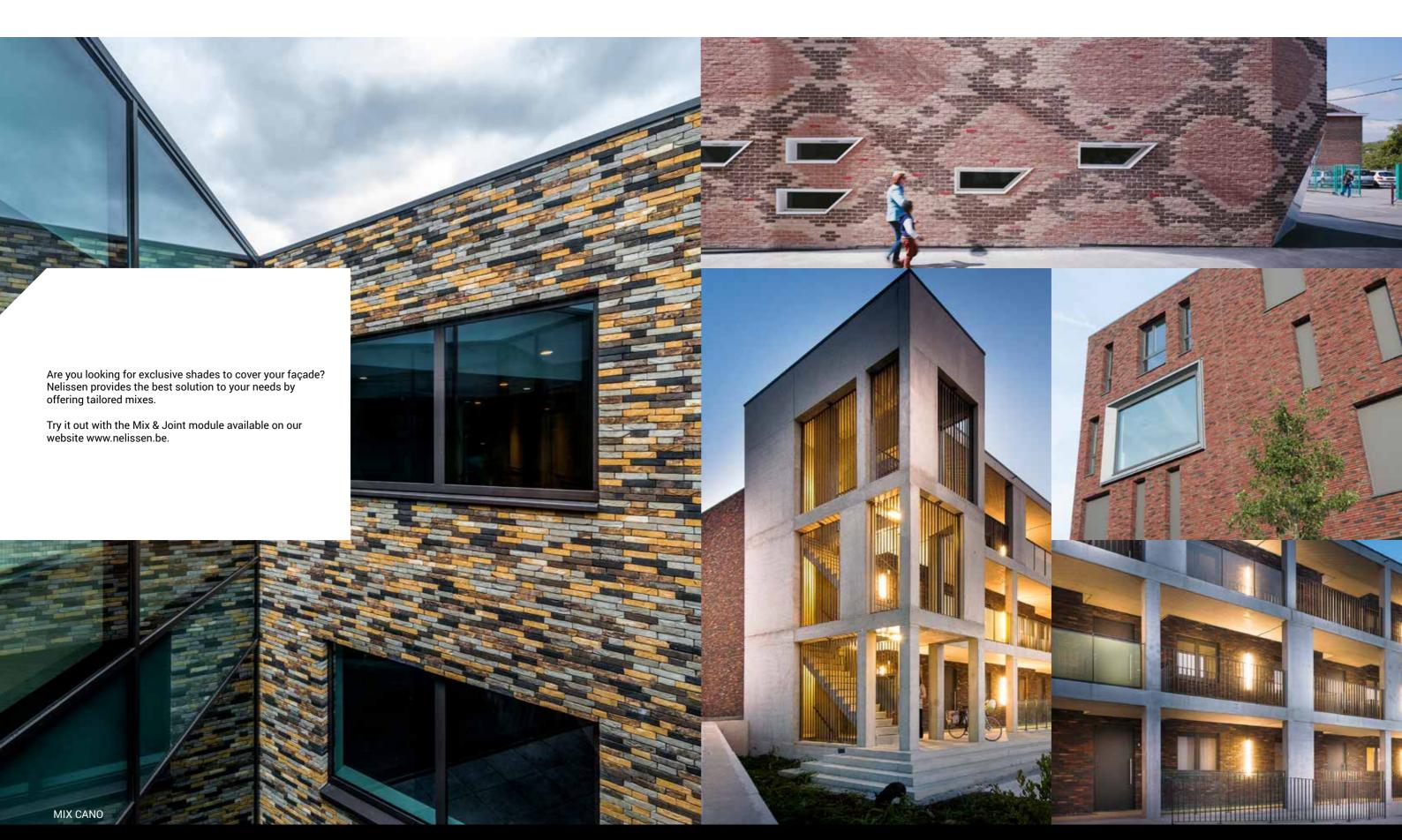


" Even a brick wants to be something."

- Louis Kahn



### BE INVENTIVE



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#### NELISSEN EXCLUSIVE

STEENSTRIPS IN INTERIEUR

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#### BRICK SLIPS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR DESIGN

Brick slips allow you to give an existing façade a complete "makeover". Slips are cut out of the original facing bricks on request. Therefore they have the same characteristics and quality as full bricks. On top of that they offer some extra advantages: they are lighter and easier to process. Brick slips are merely approximately 2 cm thick.

Brick slips are always glued with specially designated (mortar) glue. Due to the thinness of a brick slip, the normal detailing of windows and doors can be maintained when applying these bricks. We also offer special corner strips that can be applied for the corner cut on walls, window and door openings.

#### SPECIALS

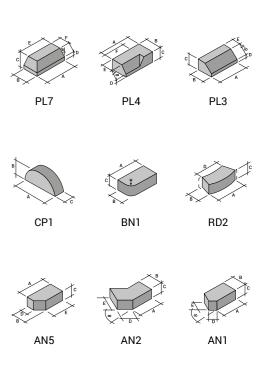
#### MOULDED BRICKS

A moulded brick is a brick that has a different profile compared to a standard brick. These bricks provide special effects on the façade; this makes it possible to spend extra attention to a project. On the basis of a correct outline we manufacture the most complicated bricks.

Unlike the ordinary standard bricks, produced by machines, the moulded bricks are still made by hand. For the following standard models the moulds are already available. Moulded bricks between 50 mm and 65 mm can be obtained at short notice in almost any colour of the wide range. Other sizes and measurements are delivered within 6 to 8 weeks after order date.







#### ECO

#### AN ECOLOGICAL APPROACH FOR THE FUTURE

Nelissen uses a 100% natural product: Löss. The clay is mined in our own quarry. Then it is transported via conveyor belts to the factories, where the clay is processed ecologically. The clay is therefore an important part of our environmentally friendly approach.

Where can you find that ecological approach in the production process of Nelissen? That process is rather considered a recycling process. We don't spill anything! The same applies for the life cycle of a facing brick. Clay is processed into bricks. Those bricks are used to build houses that remain intact for at least 100 years. Furthermore the bricks are recycled again after degradation. That way they serve as foundation material.

By constantly improving our operations and processes, we want to minimize the environmental impact resulting from our production process. Our activities are in accordance with the following guidelines: minimum noise and dust nuisance on the environment, optimal waste management and an efficient use of energy, raw materials and water.

That is how Nelissen contributes to an ecologically built future for the next generations.

#### QUALITY

Nelissen Bricks is committed to deliver the highest quality and works in accordance with the management system certified according to ISO 9001 (quality) and ISO 14001 (environment). Bricks produced in the production unit in Lanaken, are certified by:













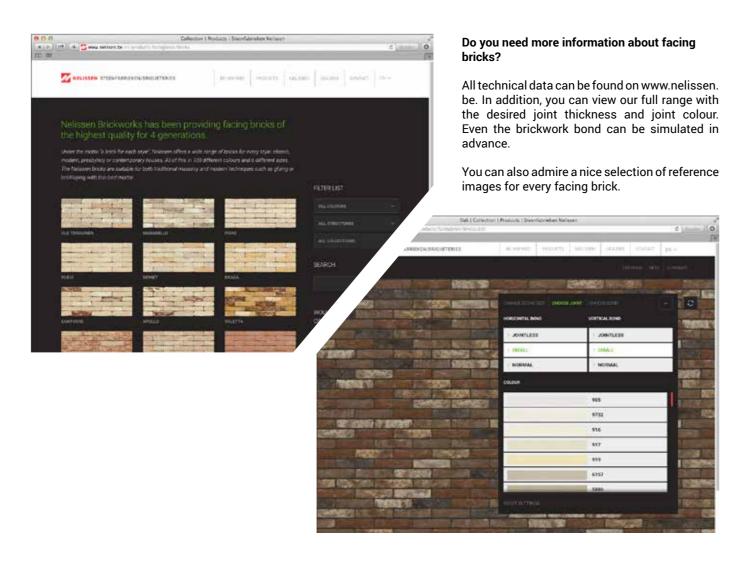


The bricks from the Rodruza range produced by the Zandberg and Rossum production units, comply with the following certifications:



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#### SERVICE

We hope we can inspire you with our collection and we especially hope that we can contribute to the realization of your dream project.

Would you like to see a particular brick with your own eyes? Be sure to visit one of our show-rooms. Our experienced staff will help you with pleasure. We also offer free samples of your favourite bricks.

Would you prefer to see a brick applied in an existing home? Please do not hesitate to request our extensive reference list by using the contact form on our website, or by contacting us directly through email at info@nelissen.be or by phone at +32 12 44 02 44.



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"Nothing defines
home design more
than the personality
of the inhabitant."

- Apartemento





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