

WASTE FACTOR

add 5% – 10% extra* for waste and breakage.

*5% on the lower end when the tile are extruded and the project is not too far and adding a couple of pallets of tile will be easy and shipping won't cost very much *if you are a few tile short.*

*7-1/2% if the tile are extruded and the project is far OR if the tile are molded and the project is near

*10% when the tile are molded AND the project is far.

SHIPPING

As you are probably aware, it's easier (and sometimes cheaper) to get a dedicated truckload shipped ½ way (or all the way) across the country than to move 7 pallets the same distance.

I have a theory; *the* number ^{of} railroad tracks the truck crosses is the #1 determining factor regarding breakage while the materials are in transit. #2 factor is jobsite handling.

When I get a freight quote from the "logistics" companies I deal with I add 15% (or more) to the freight quote because the cost for shipping will probably change and also to cover the cost and liability of arranging shipping. You may be able to get a better rate than I quote to you so please feel free to arrange your own shipping.

TYPICAL QUANTITIES

Modular tile

1" thick x 2-1/4" tall x 7-5/8" long (most). 7 per square foot of wall surface. 4.5 tile per linear foot of wall height.

Modular rail

1 course high (2.67" per course including mortar joint) x 12' long (18 tile). Each rail covers 2.67 square feet of wall surface area.

Oversize Tile**

1" thick x 2-3/4" tall x 7-5/8" long (most). 5.63 per square foot. 3.75 per linear foot of wall height.

Oversize rail

1 course high (3.2" per course including mortar joint) x 12' long (18 tile). Each rail covers 3.2 square feet of wall surface.

****Actually it's more accurate to say Modular Oversize – modular being the key, in that both Modular and Modular Oversize fit into the architectural modules of 16, 48 and 96 inches (with the intention of reducing waste).**