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PRODUCT MATRIX LEGEND









GREYS/BLACKS



BASIX RATING

LIGHT

MEDIUM



EXPOSURE GRADE



GENERAL PURPOSE

PR PROTECTED GRADE PGH Bricks & Pavers™ is one of Australia's largest clay brick manufacturers. It offers a broad range of bricks and pavers for residential, architectural and commercial applications on Australia's East coast.

PGH Bricks & Pavers[™] is committed to service excellence and has manufacturing capabilities in South Australia, Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland.

PGH Bricks & Pavers[™] has a long history and deep expertise in brickmaking excellence. The name first came into existence in 1958 when the building companies established by Maxwell Porter and David Galbraith (incorporated in 1899 and 1949 respectively) merged with Hanson Consolidated industries.

PGH Bricks & Pavers[™] was then part acquired by CSR in 1989, marking CSR's first foray into the brick industry. In May 2015, CSR and Boral formed a joint venture, Boral CSR Bricks Pty Ltd, which combined their brick operations along the east coast of

Australia. This partnership brought together the best of Boral and CSR's brick offering under the one brand of PGH Bricks & Pavers™. In November 2016, CSR acquired Boral's interest in the joint venture. PGH Bricks & Pavers[™] is now wholly owned by CSR.

CSR is one of Australia's oldest manufacturing companies, forming originally in 1855. Today it is a leading building products company in Australia and New Zealand with revenues over \$2.0 billion, and with around 3,000 employees, it is the name behind some of the market's most trusted and recognised building materials brand names.

SEE CSR.COM.AU FOR MORE INFORMATION

COVER IMAGE MORADA: CENIZA ARCHITECT: DIEPPE DESIGN **BUILDER: HP CONSTRUCTIONS**



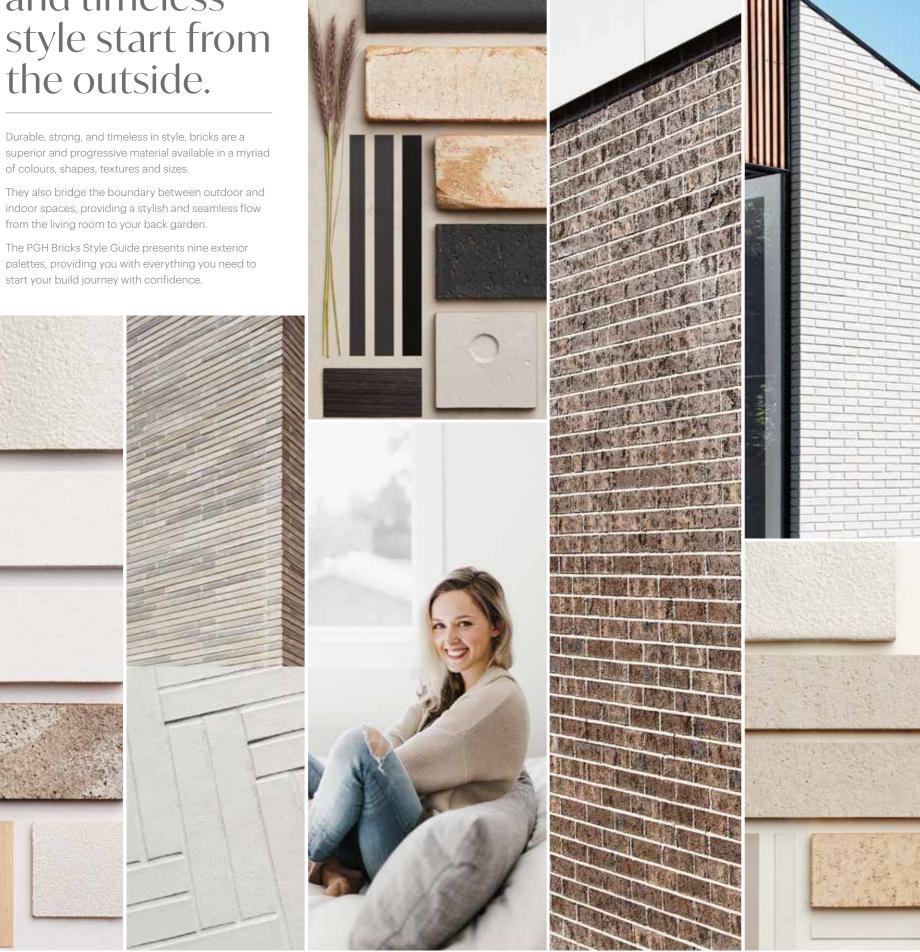
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Good design and timeless style start from the outside.

superior and progressive material available in a myriad of colours, shapes, textures and sizes.

indoor spaces, providing a stylish and seamless flow from the living room to your back garden.

palettes, providing you with everything you need to start your build journey with confidence.





ENDLESS STYLE FROM THE **OUTSIDE IN**

While bricks are a fundamental design element of a building's exterior, bringing them inside strengthens the connection between indoor and outdoor spaces, enlivening your home with texture, colour and interest

Brick Facings provide endless design flexibility to get the timeless beauty of brick integrated into any internal space. Often used on internal walls, splash-backs and feature walls, brick facings truly enhance the interior of

We invite you to explore the PGH Style Guide and take inspiration from nine new curated palettes, giving you the confidence to create a home that you will love forever.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO TAKE OUR STYLE QUIZ & DOWNLOAD THE STYLE GUIDE pghbricks.com.au/styles

NEUTRALS

















BE INSPIRED

BE SURE | BE YOU

Not everyone can name their personal style, but most people recognise it when they see it! Whether you are building or renovating, the PGH Style Guide will help you identify your unique style and express it with confidence in your home, from the outside all the way in.

Not sure if you want a Hamptons at Home look? Perhaps some Painted Whites? Or something a little more Dark & Stormy? Building can be overwhelming, and it's difficult to know where to start with so many decisions to make.

Construction professionals agree that deciding on the style for your home's exterior can mean making design decisions for your interior (like flooring, furnishings, fixtures and fittings) much easier.

You might find your drawn to the minimal and organic style of New Neutrals, or a lover of a raw authentic warehouse look like Modern Industrial or interested in a dark and opulent statement like Luxury Noir.

Whichever you choose, bricks are the perfect building material for creating your ideal home, and our nine exterior palettes will inspire you to have confidence in the selections you make and find happiness in your build journey.



Take the Style Quiz today, explore your style and unlock the endless possibilities of building with brick.











SCAN THE QR CODE TO TAKE THE QUIZ



WHY CHOOSE BRICKS?



SOLID INVESTMENT

Building with bricks equals fewer upfront costs and virtually no ongoing maintenance costs, as well as energy bill savings. When it's time to sell, brick rates well because it's trusted over newer cladding materials that haven't stood the test of time.



ENERGY EFFICIENT

Brick insulates in a way most materials do not. By following good design principles and combining bricks with insulation, your home will keep warm in winter and cool in summer, so you'll love coming home.



COLOUR & CHOICE

With our diverse range of sizes, shapes and textures, and over 180 colours, we have a brick to meet your needs. With smart design, blending of brick types and diverse bricklaying techniques, the options with bricks are truly endless.



STRONG & SAFE

Bricks are permanent. They're weather and age proof. Bricks don't get tired like other man made materials. They won't twist or warp, rot or decay, erode or dent. They are resistant to the extremes of the Australian climate and being non-combustible, they don't assist the spread of fire.



LOW MAINTENANCE

Bricks require virtually no upkeep or repairs, avoiding ongoing costs. Unlike other products, the colour is baked into the product so it lasts for a lifetime. Remember, render will need to be repainted over time, an important fact to consider when looking at the 'whole-of-life' cost of your



SOUND REDUCTION

The density of brick makes for a quiet home, with dramatically reduced external sound, such as aircraft, road traffic and noisy neighbours. Brick can also reduce noise transfer within the home when used on internal walls.





Style of your house

The material that your house is built from also forms the foundation (literally) of its aesthetic appeal. The colour, shape, size and texture of the bricks you choose will influence the overall look and feel of your house. Before you make your final decision, it's worth gathering ideas online, from display homes, websites and magazines. When renovating, consider how new bricks will appear alongside existing materials.

Many homeowners find it helpful to pull together a "mood board" of images of the styles of homes they are drawn to. Simply save images (either physically or digitally) of favourite buildings, bricks, trims and even interior ideas. As your mood board develops, it will often become apparent which style of home best suits your aesthetic and lifestyle.

Need a bit of help getting started? Take the PGH Bricks Style Quiz and immerse yourself in the creative process of design and building and sharpen your focus. Whichever your preference, bricks are the perfect building material for creating your ideal home, and our nine exterior and interior palettes will inspire you to have confidence and find happiness in your build journey.

TAKE OUR QUIZ & DISCOVER YOUR STYLE PGHBRICKS.COM.AU/STYLEQUIZ

Consider your **l**ocation

Bricks are graded to suit different environmental conditions. The location of your home will determine which grade you need. If you live near the coast or have high-saline soil, you may benefit from exposure grade bricks (EXP)* which have heightened resistance to salt attack. General purpose (GP) grade bricks are suited to all other building types and locations. Talk to your builder about any special environmental conditions you should be aware of.



COLOUR & TEXTURE

One of the big current trends in exteriors, textural elements can add character, charm and individuality to a home. Brick textures range from a smooth finish, which has a consistent surface and ceramic-like appearance with straight edges, to a more artisanstyle effect, with a dragged or ripped appearance for a weathered look.

You can even get glazed bricks that have a shiny ceramic tile look for feature walls (perfect for the mid-century design trend) or beautiful Crafted Sandstocks bricks that give a home an authentic raw beauty that no other material can achieve.

SIZE

Bricks are also available in a range of dimensions. Decisions about size may depend on factors such as the proportions of the house, the purpose of the bricks and the visual effect you need.

does it stack up

A bond is a pattern in which bricks are laid. The most commonly used bond is Stretcher bond, which consists of courses of full bricks where every course is offset half a brick from the course below. Stacked and Flemish are also popular bonds that can achieve alternative looks, or get creative with hitand-miss brickwork to achieve screening and allow natural light to shine through your space.

STRETCHER BOND STACKED BOND FLEMISH BOND

What holds it together

MORTAR COLOURS

An off-white mortar between darker coloured bricks will add contrast and highlight the shape of each brick, making the bricks the hero. However, matching the colour of the mortar with that of the brick will soften the brickwork and present a unified appearance. This is especially common with the use of lighter shades of bricks.

MORTAR JOINT FINISH

With the mortar joint, you can choose a round ironed, flush or struck finish, depending on whether you want to highlight or soften the effect of the brickwork. For instance, a raked joint will create shadowing for contrast and interest. A flush joint will minimise shadow with a flat, streamlined look.









OUR TOP TIPS FOR

CHOOSING YOUR BRICK

Bricks are strong, durable and a popular choice for new home builders and renovators.

With such a broad range of great options available, choosing bricks may seem overwhelming. Here are our top tips to guide you in confidently choosing the right brick for your home.

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HOW WE CAN HELP

We know that building and renovating can be a confusing and stressful experience. We want to ensure your experience is an enjoyable one, so we've provided a range of tools to help you along the journey.



VISUALISE YOUR DREAM SCHEME WITH IDESIGN BY CSR

iDesign by CSR enables you to mix and match PGH bricks and pavers with roof tiles and trims to create help you visualise the exterior of your dream home. Using the latest 3D technology, you will be able to view your combination of colours and textures on a variety of home designs in 360 degrees, across your desktop, tablet, phone or VR device. It's a great place to start when visualising what colour and textures work well together. Use our predefined styles or create your own. There are countless combinations to be made!

Visit: pgh.csridesign.com.au







SELECTION

VISIT OUR PGH SELECTION CENTRE

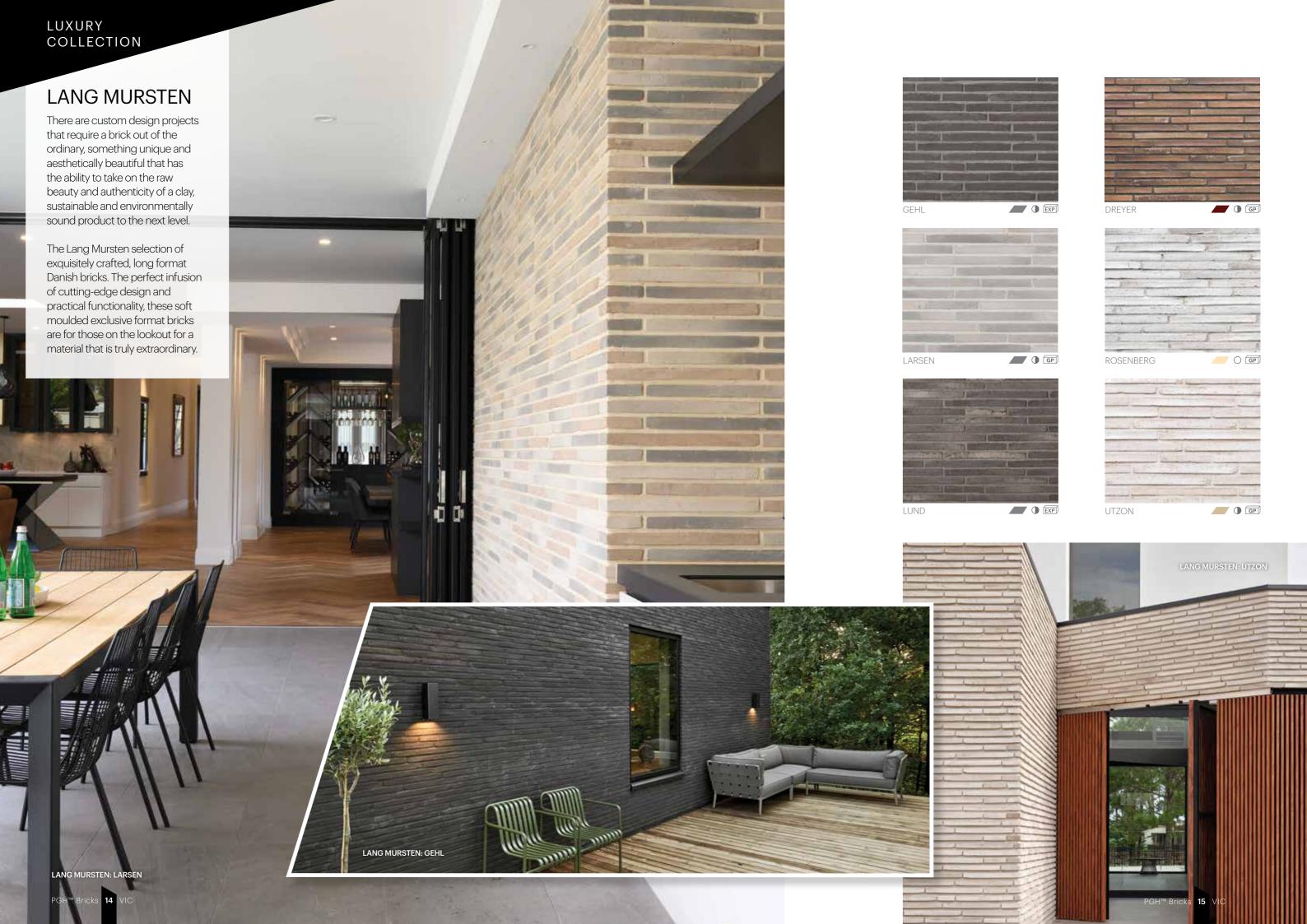
Our PGH™ Selection Centres are a perfect place to experience the look and feel of our products and seek expert advice in helping you choose your facade selection.

Make an appointment to see one of our Colour Consultants who will be able to assist you through your brick selection process. Given your facade is likely to be made up of 60% bricks, 30% roof and 10% gutter, we want to ensure you achieve the look you're after. We even have specially designed selection tools to make the selection of your whole exterior scheme easier. There is nothing like seeing colours and textures in real life. We have an array of bricks and pavers on display in our centres. When you've decided on your preferred brick, don't forget to ask for a sample to take home.

The pgh™ website: Your one stop shop for information and inspiration

The PGH™ website aims to educate, inspire and inform. Learn why bricks are a brilliant building material, get information on brick trends, be inspired by our photo gallery and see our extensive collection.

pghbricks.com.au



DRY PRESSED **ARCHITECTURAL**



Our Dry Pressed Architectural bricks represent PGH's highest pinnacle of luxury and style in Australian-made clay brick products.

Exquisitely produced at state-of-the-art brick-making facilities using a time-honoured dry pressed method, this range presents with exceptional consistency of strength, dimensional accuracy and colour all the way through the brick. Produced under high compression, dry clay is pressed into individual moulds, which creates a magnificent, solid colour-through brick with sharp, clean and accurate edges.

Highly sought after and specified by architects, developers, quality builders and discerning home owners, the PGH™ Dry Pressed Architectural range is the choice for superior showpieces and builds in residential and commercial applications.







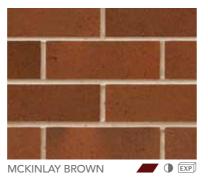


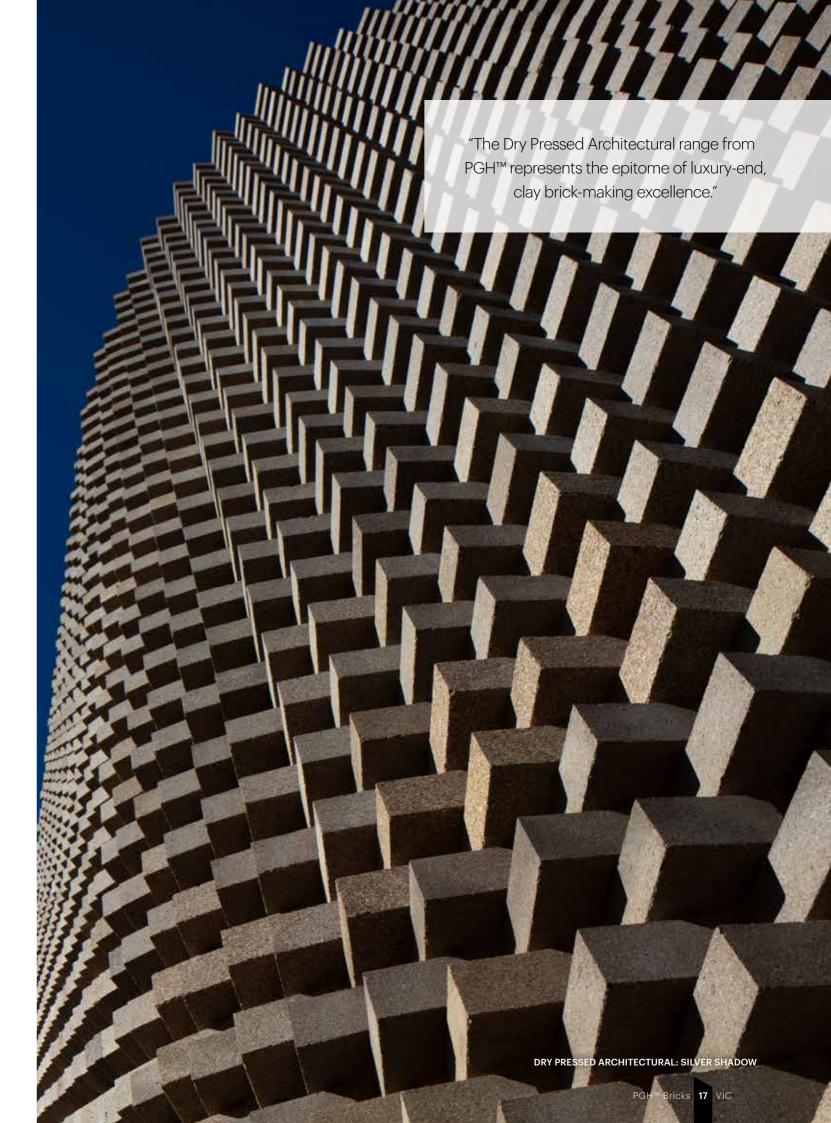




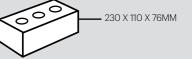




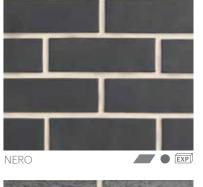




MORADA STANDARD











MORADA STANDARD FACINGS

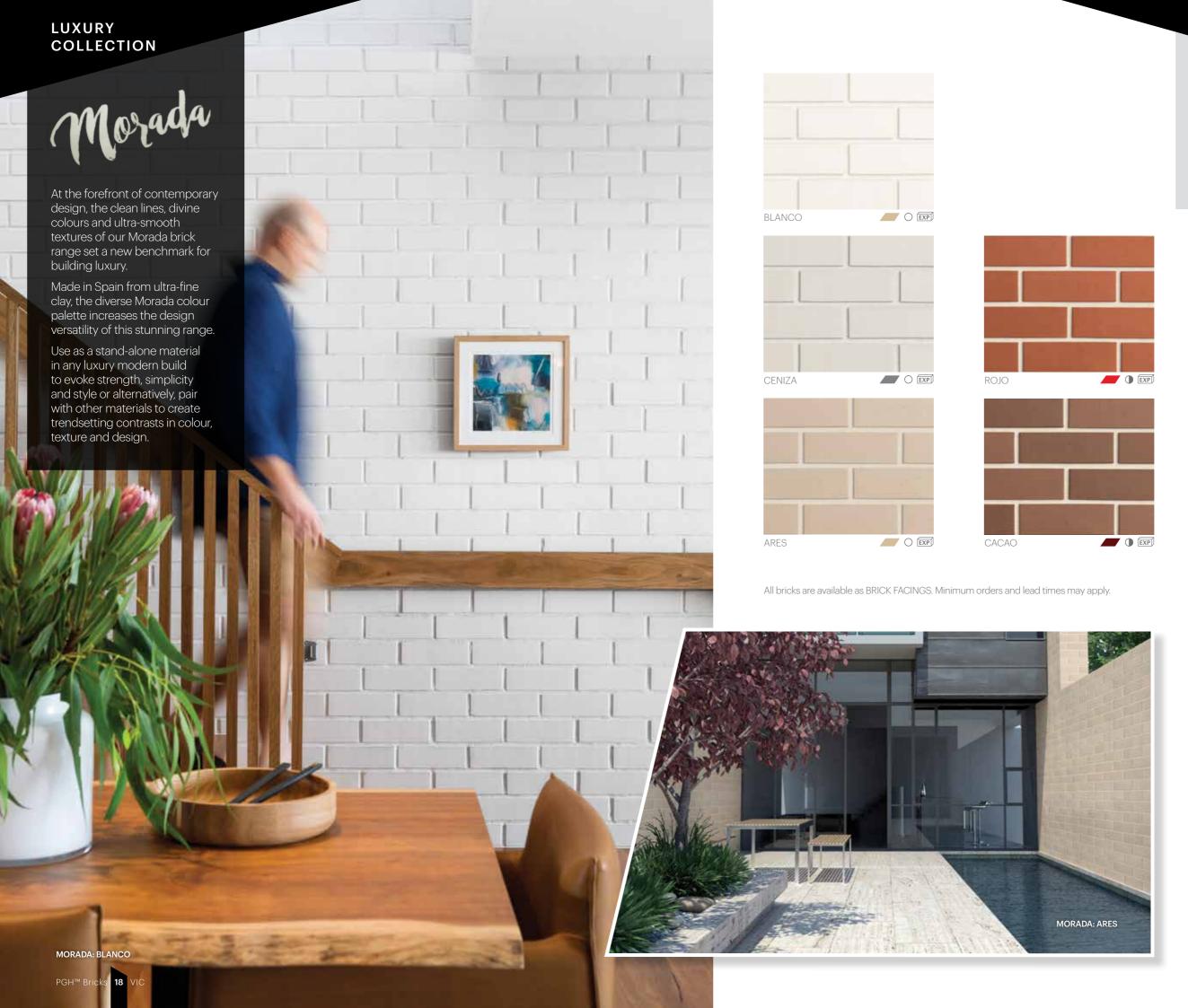




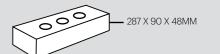
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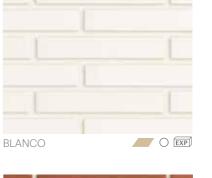
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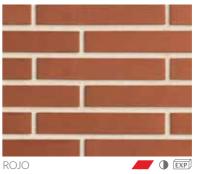
BRICK FACINGS ACHIEVE THE REAL BRICK LOOK INTERNALLY, WITHOUT THE WEIGHT AND SPACE LIMITATIONS.



MORADA LINEAR

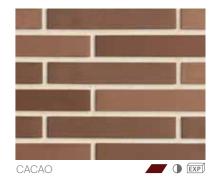






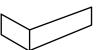
"The finest blends of European clays have been sourced to curate the Morada Collection of sophisticated neutrals with superior smooth and consistent finishes."





MORADA LINEAR





FACINGS



CORNER

FACE

GET THE BRICK LOOK INTERNALLY, WITHOUT THE WEIGHT AND SPACE LIMITATIONS.

All bricks are available as BRICK FACINGS. Minimum orders and lead times may apply.



MORADA: BLANCO LINEAR

MORADA: NERO LINEAR

LUXURY

COLLECTION

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CRAFTED SANDSTOCKS

Our Crafted Sandstock bricks honour an important part of our history, the traditional method of brick making. Only a handful of companies still make these 'Convict Bricks'.

PGH™ Crafted Sandstock bricks are timeless in their look and feel and deliver a statement of Australian tradition and authenticity.



Crafted Sandstocks made in NSW.



KINGSTON

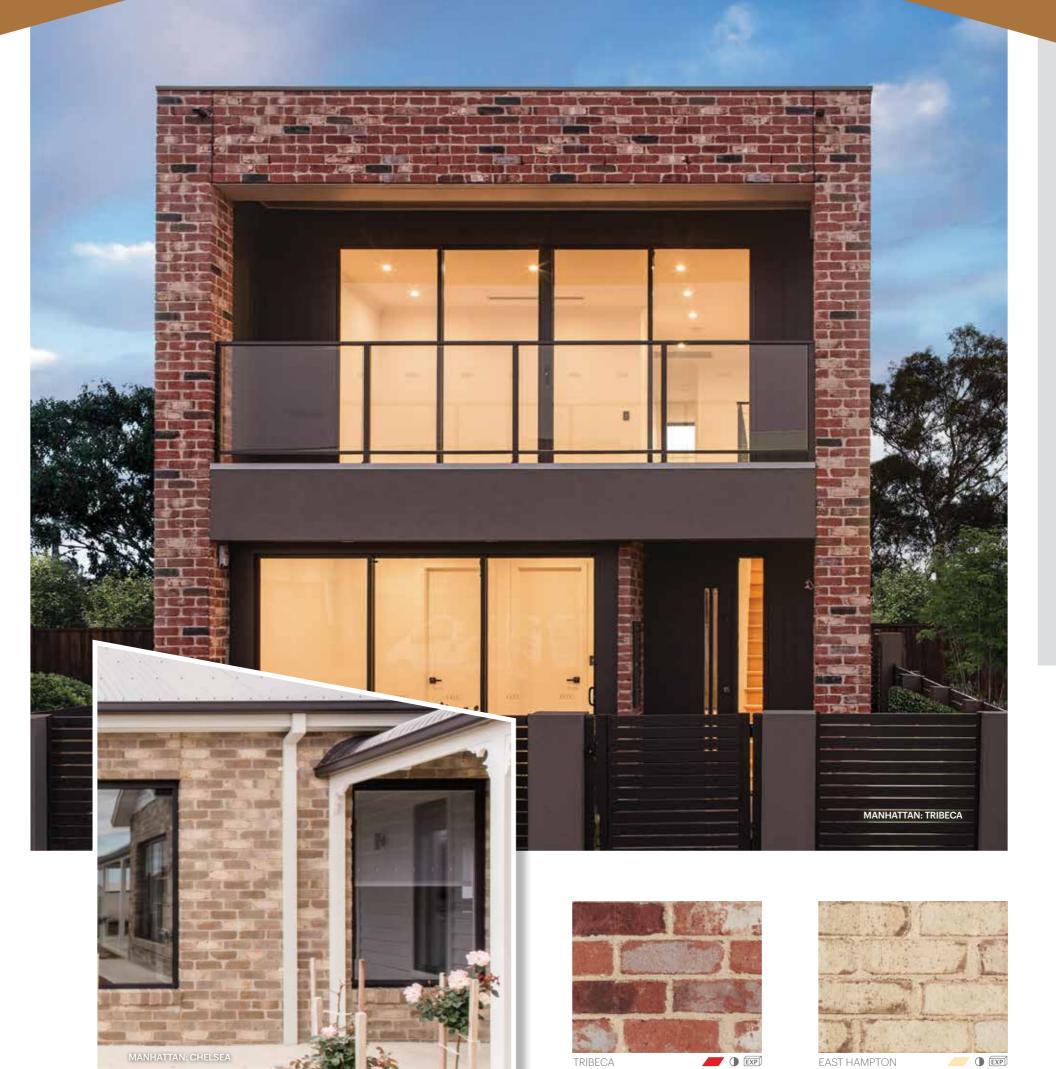


WINDSOR



REDCLIFFE





MANHATTAN

INDUSTRIAL CHIC BRICKS

The Industrial Chic movement has fuelled the inspiration behind the creation of our bespoke, locally made Manhattan range of recycled-look and feel bricks.

The urban and raw Manhattan range is signified by bricks that have been purpose-made to take on the weathered and tumbled imperfections of intended knots, scratches and nicks and colour blending designed to bring to life an edgy, exposed brick wall look and feel.

But unlike many recycled brick products, the Manhattan range has been produced with today's modern technological advancements behind the crafted manufacturing process, ensuring these bricks deliver consistent strength, durability and longevity as well as the benefits of Exposure Grading that actual recycled bricks may not have.

Manhattan range made in SA.



CHELSEA



EAST HAMPTON



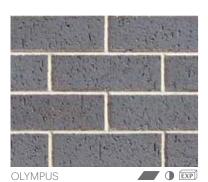
PREMIUM COLLECTION

METALLIC

The PGH™ Metallic range are a clay extruded, wirecut brick finished with a subtle metallic sheen to achieve a more opulent effect. Often used as the dominant façade surface in many modern residential designs, this popular brick can be used to achieve a diverse spectrum of design look and feels.



















SMOOTH

Known for beautiful clean lines and smooth-face textures, the PGH™ Smooth range represents just that. As a popular choice with architects and designers, the smooth texture and sharp lines create a strong, clean aesthetic for residential and commercial building projects.

*Made in NSW. | ^Made in SA.









PREMIUM COLLECTION

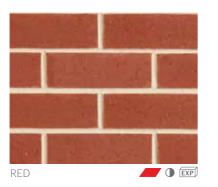
VELOUR

With a naturals colour palette to match the Smooth range, the PGH Velour range delivers the addition of texture. When light hits the velour surface it creates wonderful depth variation.

This style of brick can often be used as a complement to be paired with different textures such as concrete, stone or timber.







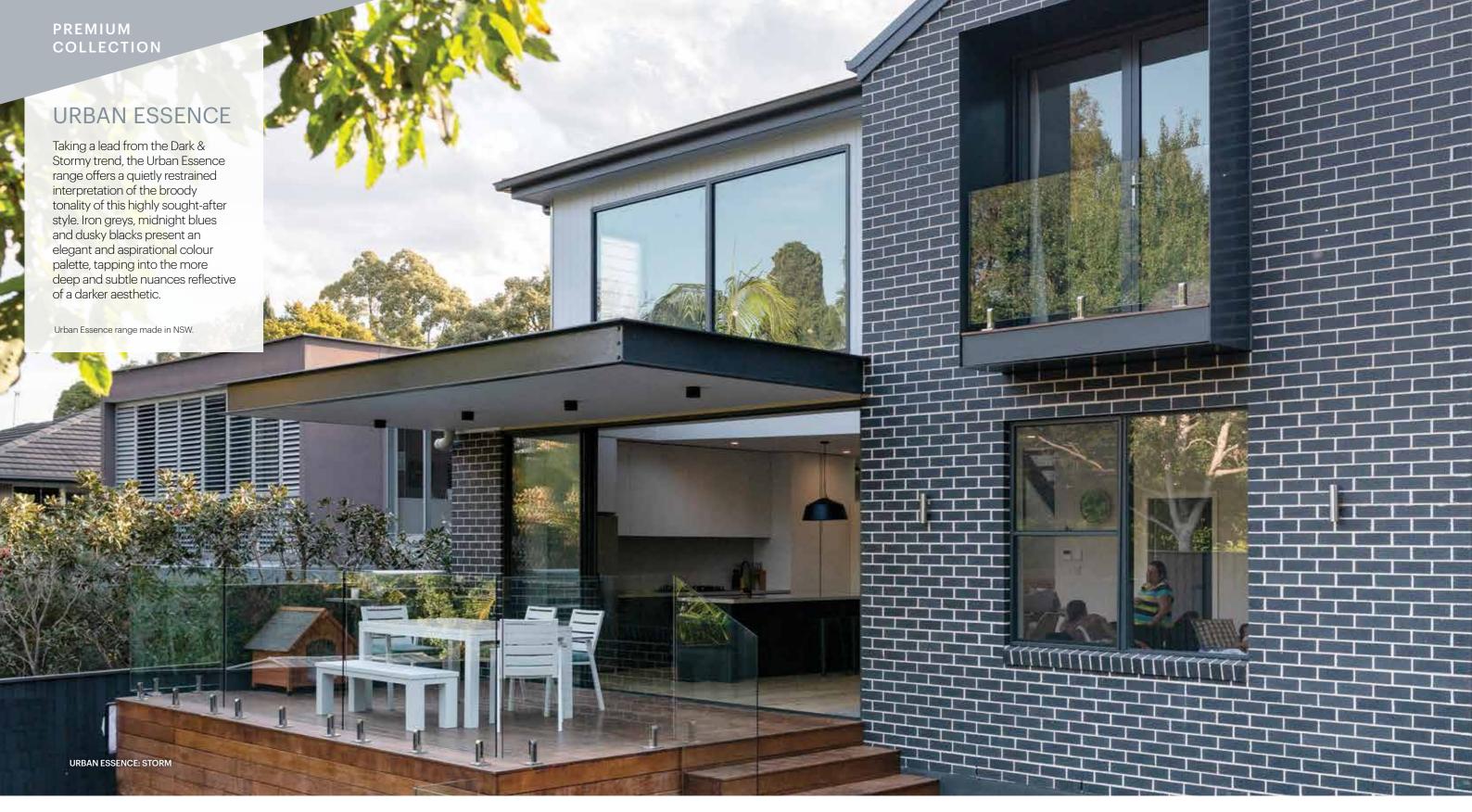




VELOUR: BROWN

DISTINCTIVELY MELBOURNE: HARTLANDS
MONIER CONCRETE MADISON ROOF TILES IN SOHO NIGHT

PREMIUM COLLECTION DISTINCTIVELY **MELBOURNE** The Distinctively Melbourne range offers a truly Victorian look and feel to any home. With a uniquely 'aged' look, these bricks can be used on both inner city builds and to achieve a richer, more resplendent statement. Often the choice for more of a majestic design. EAGLEMONT* ● EXP HARTLANDS* *Flashing (dark markings) is a common feature with this collection.















ASPECT

CLASSIC

COLLECTION

Delivering light to mid-toned, warm neutrals, the Aspect range presents a subtle wirecut texture to complement many different residential and commercial styles.

Made in New South Wales.









■ EXP

ELAN

Elan offers a full suite of elegant, formal bricks. From red to dark brown greys, this range with its subtle textures is the perfect upgrade for a new home or commercial project.



*Flashing (dark markings) is a common feature with this brick





A textured range offering both patterned and wire cut surface profiles in a selection of classic and organic shades, ideal for everyday living.





















● EXP



CLASSIC

COLLECTION

ESSENTIALS

A mainstream selection of traditional style, with colours

ranging from warm hues through to mid-tones with natural nuances.

ESSENTIALS: BLACK ASH

BRICK TIPS & FACTS

NATURAL VARIATIONS

The inherent beauty, appeal and distinctive look of clay bricks comes from the natural variations found in the raw materials used in the brick making process and may mean colour and texture variations will occur from time to time. Colours shown are indicative only and should not be used for final selection. Products ordered should be chosen from actual samples current at the time of order.

BLENDING AND CLEANING

It is essential that all bricks be carefully blended from at least three or four different packs/pallets at the time of laying to provide a consistent colour and texture. Your bricklayer is responsible for ensuring an even colour distribution.

Brick Cleaning

Brick cleaning is a specialist trade and should only be undertaken by a professional. The chemicals and high water pressures used can easily damage the product, if not done correctly. Different brick textures and colours often have different cleaning considerations. Dry brushing bricks periodically to remove residual mortar is an effective way to reduce the amount of effort required to clean bricks. Bricks should be cleaned within 2 to 14 days of laying.

Brick Cleaning Guides are available: pghbricks.com.au | thinkbrick.com.au Alternatively, please contact PGH™ on 13 15 79 or Think Brick Technical Hotline on 1300 667 617.

SOLAR ABSORPTANCE RATING (BASIX RATING)

When designing energy efficient buildings, the architects and consulting engineers need to be able to calculate the heat loss or gain of materials used to construct the buildings. This is why building materials are categorised into 3 categories: Light (L), Medium (M) and Dark (D). Light coloured being a low solar absorptance and Dark coloured being a higher solar absorptance.

BRICK DURABILITY

Salt Attack Resistance

Bricks are commonly classified into three categories for Salt Attack Resistance:

- 1. Exposure Grade (EXP) the product is suitable for a severe marine or saline environment. Exposure Grade bricks are less susceptible to salt attack. A severe marine environment is defined as: up to 1km from a surf coast or up to 100m from a non-surf coast.
- 2. General Purpose (GP) the product is suitable for general environmental conditions. These bricks should not be directly exposed to saline environments. For more information.
- 3. Protected Grade (PR) Suitable for use above the damp proof course provided they are protected at the top of the wall by appropriate roofs, eaves, copings or toppings.
- Internal walls
- Coated/Rendered externals walls
- Protected Grade units are not suitable for use in saline environments visit thinkbrick.com.au



CONTACT

PGH™ SELECTION CENTRES

Selecting PGH™ bricks has never been easier. At our large network of Selection Centres we offer many services such as colour scheming, product selection and echnical advice. Make an appointment today.

PGH™ BRICKS GEELONG

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PGH™ BRICKS MELTON

2-6 GATEWAY DRIVE, MELTON, VIC 3337 13 15 79

PGH™ BRICKS SCORESBY

191 GEORGE ST, WANTIRNA SOUTH, VIC 3152

PGH™ BRICKS THOMASTOWN

2 TRAWALLA AVE, THOMASTOWN, VIC 3074

If you are unable to visit one of our Selection Centres, visit our website to find a distributor near you, pghbricks.com.au or call us for details on 13 15 79.

STAY IN TOUCH









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