RENDERED WOODSTONE BUILDIN SWIFT BOX

SPECIES: BIRDS

MATERIAL: WOODSTONE

DIMENSIONS (MM): 44CM X 14CM X 15CM (TO SUIT UK BRICK

SIZES)



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MANUFACTURE: Manufactured in size to work with UK standard brick dimensions (the height of 2 standard courses of bricks and the same length as 2 standard bricks, to reduce or eliminate the cutting of bricks when installing) and is built into the wall.

MADE FROM: Durable WoodStone - a mixture of wood fibre and concrete.

ENTRANCE: The entrance hole protrudes by 20mm making it simple to render when installed, just showing a neat round circle with the slotted hole in it.

SITING: The entrance hole is central in height, so with the two nest pans inside, it can be fitted either way up. This block is placed on the outside skin of brick/blockwork and will protrude 50mm in the cavity.

This block can be fitted in cavity walls if the cavity is wide enough to avoid the back of the box touching the inside skin of brickwork, which could cause thermal bridging. The cavity really needs to be a minimum of 100mm wide.

INSTALLATION: Install in the gable end on the north or east side of the building, three courses down from the top. It must be a minimum of 4m from the ground. Ensure the flight path to the nesting box is kept clear of trees or shrubs.

Swifts like to breed in colonies, so it is, therefore, advisable to install several boxes together. Allow at least 40 centimetres between each box.

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