



SAKRETE BUILDERS' TUBES

Prefabricated, cylindrical, fibre tube form designed to produce round concrete supports. Pour concrete directly into the tube for a quick, neat, easy and inexpensive form. SAKRETE Builders' Tubes are designed for one-time use, below-grade, but may be poured up to 1 m (3 ft) above the ground-line (see Bracing section below for above-ground use). A special coating resists moisture and facilitates even curing.

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Professional finish
- Inexpensive time-saver
- Available in various sizes

USES

Ideal for constructing concrete columns for footings, piers, deck supports, fences, basket ball posts, backyard play areas, mail boxes and lamp posts. Also used for storage, shipping and for display purposes (covered with carpet or paint).

PROCEDURES

Surface Preparation: Dig hole to the required depth. Extend below frost line.

Placing: Place the tube in the hole and back-fill with dirt, around the outside of the tube, to secure. NOTE: Tubes are marked "UP" with an arrow and should be placed that way. Failure to do so may cause the joints to leak and tube could collapse even if it is in the ground. Continue placing and secure all the tubes.

Bracing: SAKRETE Builders' Tubes are designed for below-grade use, but may be poured to 1 m (3 ft) above the ground-line. If the tube extends more than 61 cm (2 ft) above the ground-line, provide additional support with a collar or wooden frame and side braces.

Filling: Be sure tube is dry and level vertically before filling with concrete, and remains stationary until the concrete sets. NOTE: Do not use a mechanical vibrator when placing concrete in the SAKRETE Builders' Tubes.

Stripping: SAKRETE Builders' Tubes are designed to be left in place. They are not designed to be stripped. Should you desire to strip the forms, be sure to use a reliable release-agent before pouring the concrete. Remove the forms as soon as possible after a 24 hour curing period. Carefully cut the form vertically, using a knife or power-saw and remove form. NOTE: No warranty is extended on the finished concrete surface.

PAINTING

SAKRETE Builders' Tubes may be painted.

YIELD

FAST & EASY CALCULATIONS (approximate)

Tube Diametre	ft ³ per 30 cm (12") Length
6"	0.20
8"	0.35
10"	0.55
12"	0.80

Tube Diametre	# of 30 KG (66 lb) Bags Required per Length	
	30 cm (12")	1.2 m (48")
6"	0.375	1.5
8"	0.75	3.0
10"	1.25	4.5
12"	1.625	6.5

PACKAGING

Sizes Available:		
Diametres	Length	UPC
8"	1.2 m (4 ft)	055226040088
6"	2.4 m (8 ft)	055226061083
8"	2.4 m (8 ft)	055226020080
10"	2.4 m (8 ft)	055226020103
12"	2.4 m (8 ft)	055226020127

Tubes are nested in sets of 3. For example, a 6" set would consist of tubes of 5.5", 6" and 6.5" diametres.

STORAGE & SHELF LIFE

Material should be stored in a dry, covered area, protected from the elements. For temporary storage, place tubes vertically on an elevated platform at least 10 cm (4") off the ground and under cover, allowing circulation of air through the tubes.

WEBSITE

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