

QUIK-TUBE® BUILDING FORMS

PRODUCT No. 6922

DIVISION 3

Maintenance of Concrete
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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

QUIKRETE® QUIK-TUBES® are ridged fiber building form tubes that eliminate the need to build wood forms

PRODUCT USE

QUIKRETE® QUIK-TUBES® are lightweight, single-use forms for a variety of concrete column applications, such as:

- Home or deck pilings
- Goal posts
- Fence posts
- Mailboxes or lamps
- Footings
- Use below grade and up to 3' above grade

QUIKRETE® QUIK-TUBES® are engineered from multiple layers of high-quality fiber laminated with an adhesive, with a special coating which resists moisture and facilitates even curing.

SIZES

• QUIKRETE® QUIK-TUBES® are available in 4' (1.2 M) lengths with 8" (203 mm), 10" (254 mm) or 12" (305 mm) diameters. Also available regionally in 10-foot (3 M) and 12-foot (3.7 M) lengths. The amount of concrete required for each size tube is illustrated in Table 1.

Table 1: QUIK-TUBE® Capacity

		Diameter of QUIK-TUBE®(in)			
Number of bags	depth	6"	8"	10"	12"
# of 60# bags	1 foot	1	1	2	2
# of 60# bags	2 feet	1	2	3	4
# of 60# bags	3 feet	2	3	4	6
# of 60# bags	4 feet	2	4	5	7
# of 80# bags	1 foot	1	1	1	2
# of 80# bags	2 feet	1	2	2	3
# of 80# bags	3 feet	1	2	3	4
# of 80# bags	4 feet	2	3	4	6

INSTALLATION

Cut QUIK-TUBE® to required length (or purchase pre-cut lengths). Dig a hole twice the diameter of the QUIK-TUBE® to be used. Place the tube in the hole, and refill the outside to secure the tube's position. Provide additional support (wooden collar or frame and side



braces) if tube extends two feet or more above the ground line. Fill the tube to the desired level with concrete. Rod the concrete to eliminate air pockets (Note: DO NOT use a mechanical vibrator when placing concrete.) Place beams or post anchors in wet concrete. Tube must remain stationary until concrete sets to avoid uneven placement. For footings, pre-cut QUIK-tube and prepare the hole in the same fashion. Place approximately 2" (50 mm) of gravel in the bottom of the hole. Drive one vertical rebar into the ground in the center of the hole, then pour a 4-6" (100-152 mm) footing. Place the QUIK-TUBE® on the footing and backfill or brace it vertically to hold in place. Fill the tube with concrete to the desired level, consolidating the concrete to remove air pockets. Place beam or post anchors in the wet concrete.

WARRANTY

The QUIKRETE® Companies warrant this product to be of merchantable quality when used or applied in accordance with the instructions herein. The product is not warranted as suitable for any purpose or use other than the general purpose for which it is intended. Liability under this warranty is limited to the replacement of its product (as purchased) found to be defective, or at the shipping companies' option, to refund the purchase price. In the event of a claim under this warranty, notice must be given to The QUIKRETE® Companies in writing. This limited warranty is issued and accepted in lieu of all other express warranties and expressly excludes liability for consequential damages.

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