KING ABDULLAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (KAUST), THUWAL, SAUDI ARABIA





King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST), Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

Design Architect: Helmuth, Obata & Kassabaum.

General Contractor: Saudi Oger.
Cladding Supplier: NBK Keramic.
Cladding Engineer: API Engineering.
Cladding Substructure Overgaard Ltd.

Supplier:



DESCRIPTION

Is currently the world's largest terracotta facade project, with over 120,000m2 of terracotta tiles. Overgaard supplied the entire façade support system which comprised over 3 million various components and included in excess of 100 tonnes of aluminium profiles. The demands imposed by the five month intensive construction and supply schedule dictated the meticulous planning of supply, quality control and delivery logistics. The entire project was successfully air freighted to the site within the contracted period.

KEY ATTRIBUTES

- Milling and supply of over 70 tonnes of system profiles.
- · Manufacture, assembly and supply of 1.5 million various system parts.
- Approximately 120,000 m² of NBK terracotta facade.
- · Largest structure to be fully clad in terracotta.
- · All parts sent by airfreight to job site.
- Date of Completion: 2009.







