## Straw-bale construction

## A building method that uses bales of straw



Project author or developer: **(USA/GB/IT)** 

Where:

IT / Italie / Province de Rome

Website:

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Straw-bale construction (USA/GB/IT) is a building method that uses bales of straw (commonly wheat, rice, rye and oats straw) as structural elements, building insulation, or both. This construction method is commonly used in natural building or "brown" construction projects. Advantages of straw-bale construction over conventional building systems include the renewable nature of straw, cost, easy availability, and high insulation value.

