Outdoor Solutions

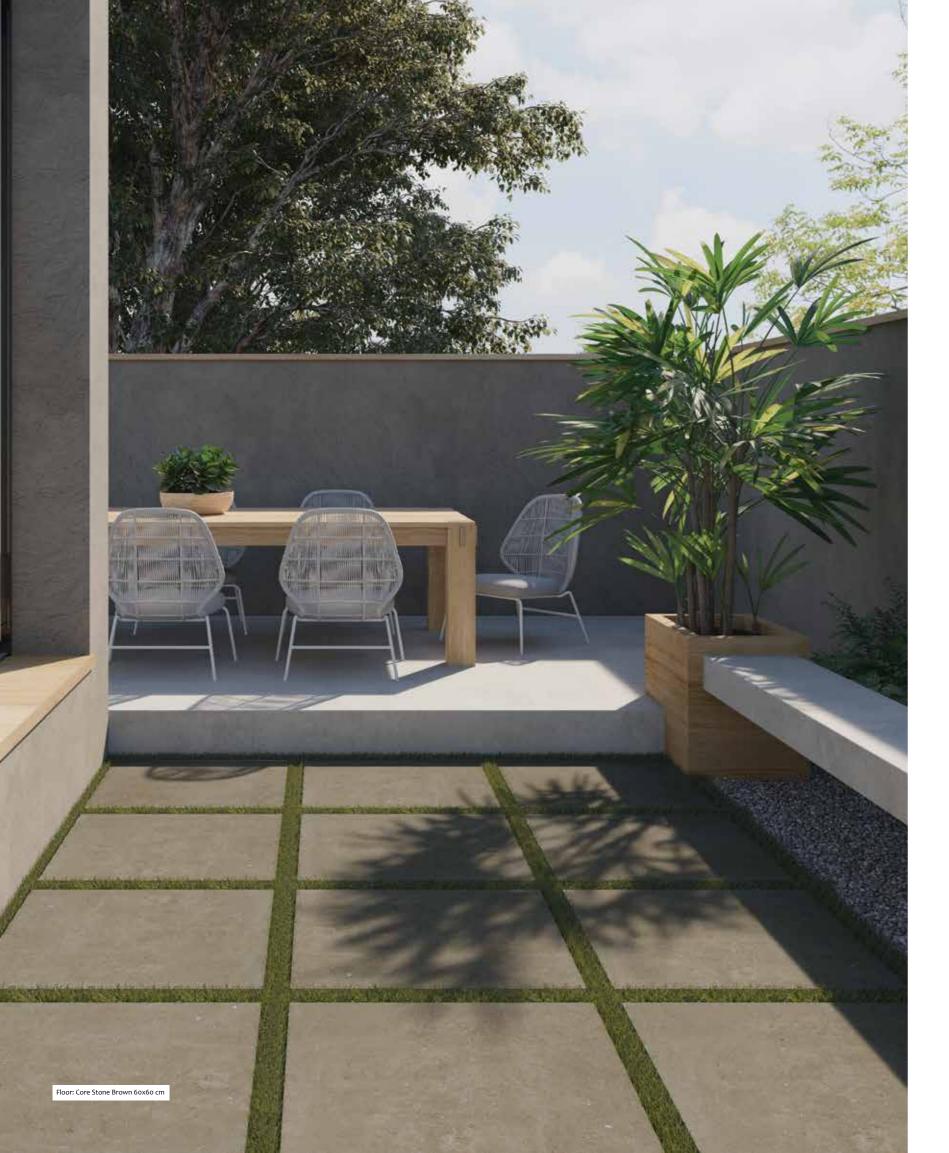
Porcelain Tiles







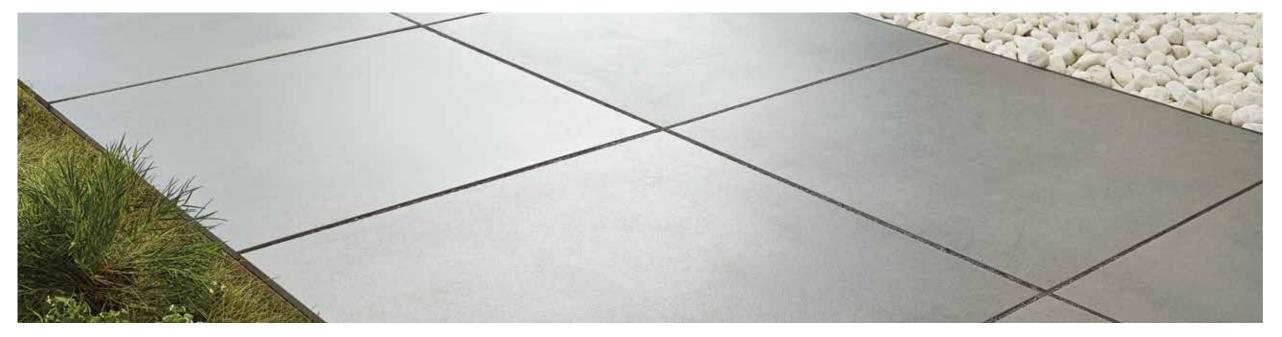




Redefining Outdoor Living with Porcelain

Give your outdoor spaces a new look. Sustainable and adaptable, porcelain tiles are the ideal choice to design or revamp gardens, patios, terraces, driveways or pool areas. The different installation possibilities allows the material to blend in with its surrounding landscape.

You can choose a 20mm solution, an antislip normal thickness tile, or a special antislip A+B+C product. Imagine your outdoor space.



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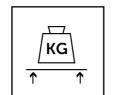


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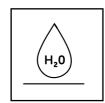
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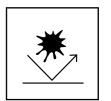
BENDING AND BREAKING STRENGTH RESISTANT



WATER
ABSORPTION
RESISTANT



FROST AND FIRE RESISTANT



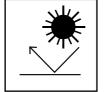
STAIN RESISTANT



THERMAL SHOCK RESISTANT



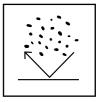
SLIP RESISTANCE R11 - C(A+B+C)



NO
DISCOLOURING
WITH EXPOSURE
TO LIGHT



MOULDS, MOSS AND VEROIGRIS RESISTANT



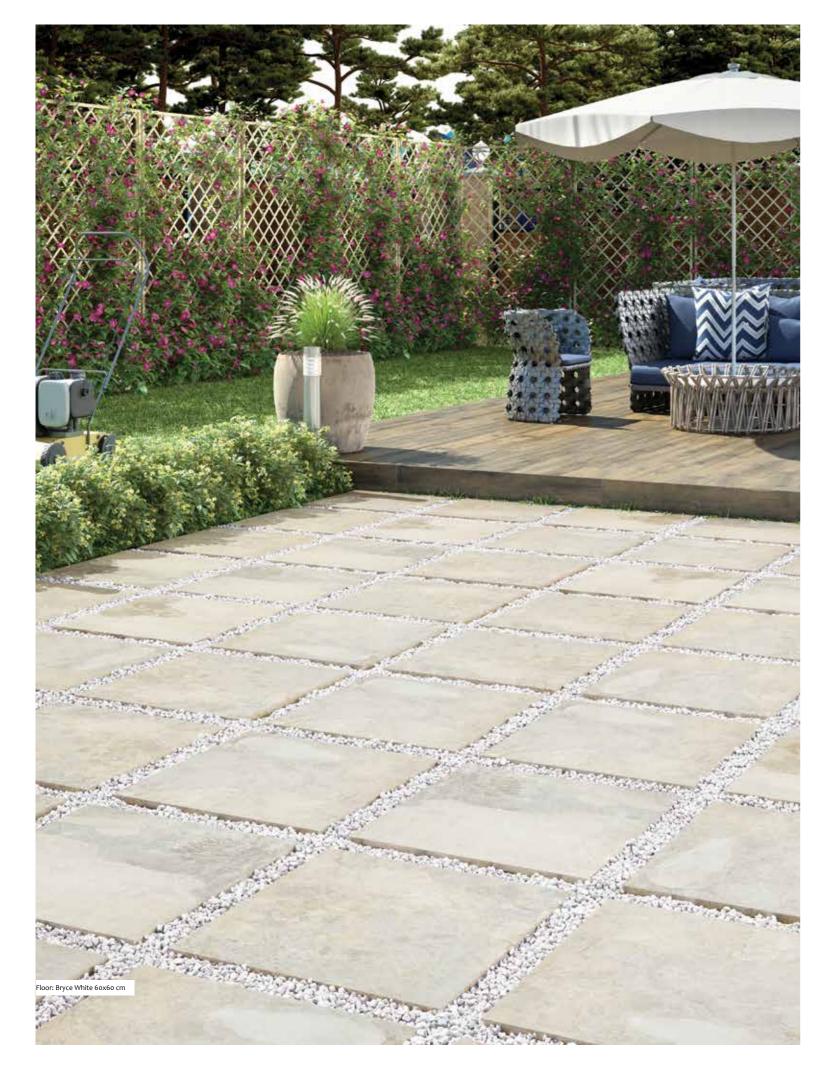
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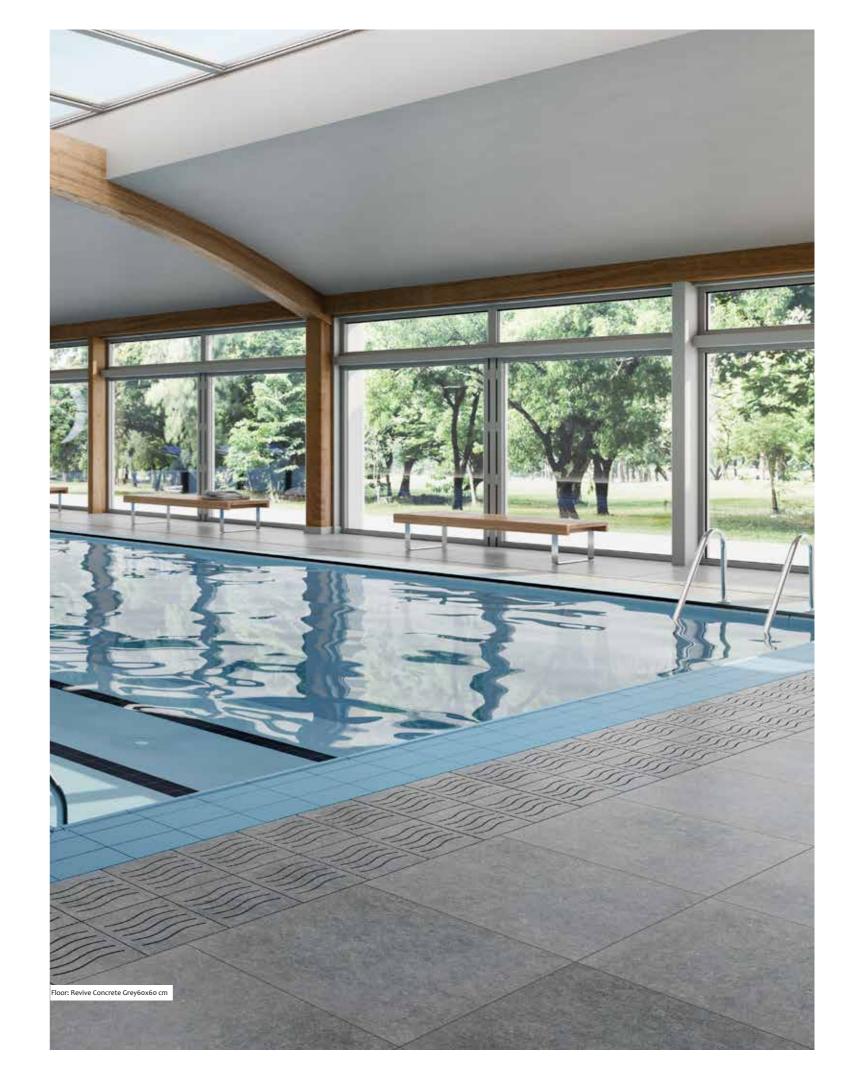


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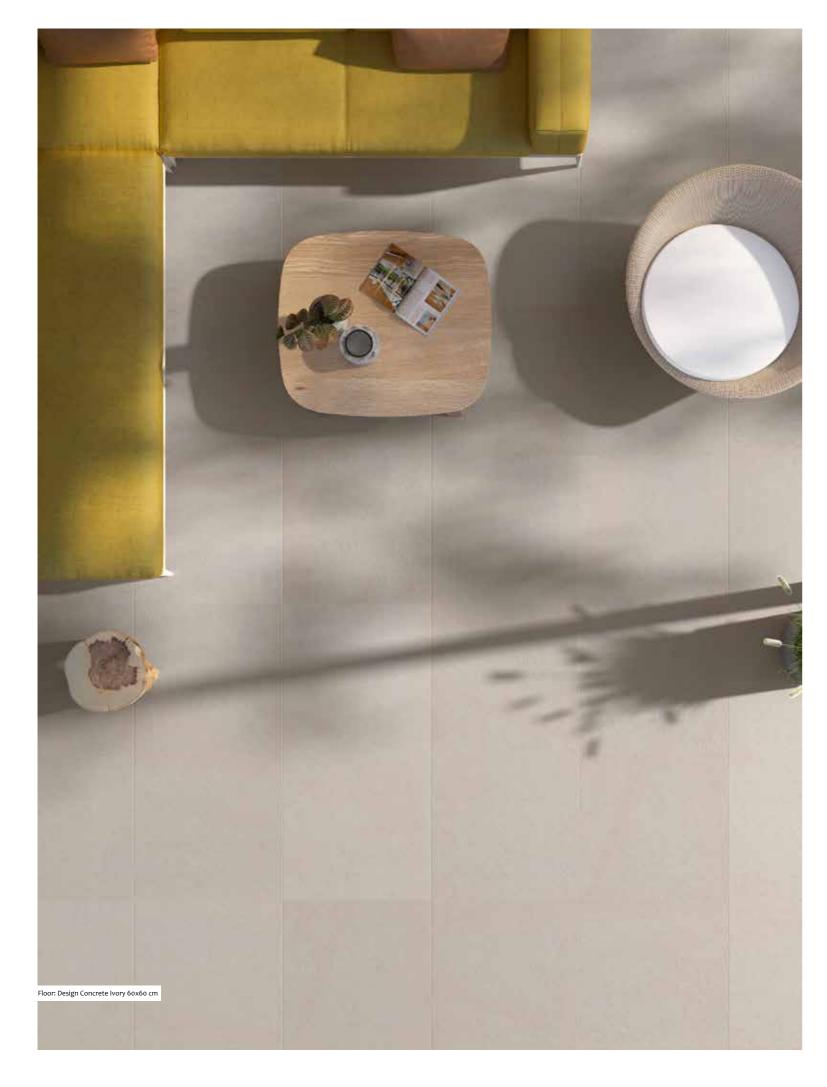














APPLICATIONS











Dry laying on grass

Dry laying on gravel

Laying as raised paving

The extra thick tiles are ideal for installation on any outdoor areas such as :







House exterior garden



Terrace





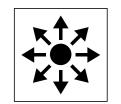


Cafes / Restaurants



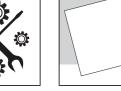
Public gardens

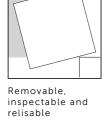
PRACTICAL PLUS FACTORS



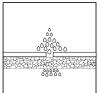
Versatile



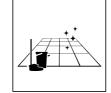




Effective oranange



Matching indoor and outdoor pavngs



Need no treatment and is easy to clean



Paths convenent for more than one person



DIRECT INSTALLATION ON GRASS

Ideal for: Gardens, gazebos, walkways.

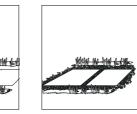
- 1- Remove the soil below the area where the sheet will be laid to a thickness of about 5-6 cm
- 2- apply gravel to a thickness of about 3-4 cm and compact the foundation
 3- Rest the sheets with at least 1 cm of gap on the gravel bed and use a rubber hammer to eliminate any unevenness.

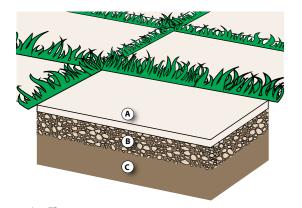


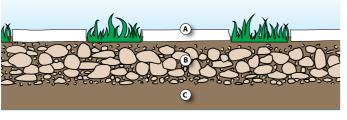












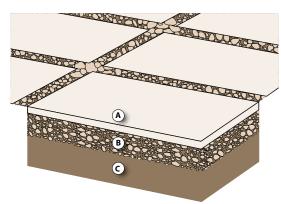
LAYING DIRECTLY ON GRASS Laying with open joints

B. Fine gravel or sandy laying bed
C. Ground

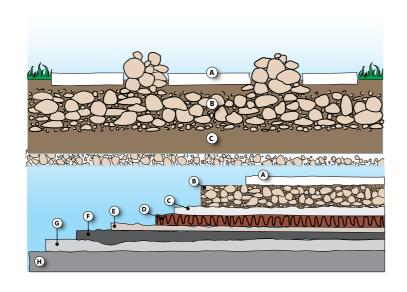
INSTALLATION ON GRAVEL AND SAND

Ideal for: gardens, patios, courtyards, pedestrian walkways, beach resorts, perimeter areas in pools.

- 1- Compact the level of the resting layer (sand or gravel) 2- Lay the sheet on the bed of gravel or sand, maintaining a minimum gap of 1 cm or wider
- 3- Use a rubber hammer to eliminate any unevenness 4- Fill in the joints between the sheets with gravel or sand to provide greater stability to the surface



- Fine gravel or sandy laying bed
 Concrete screed (may include electro welded mesh)
- D. Reinforcement layer
- Loose stone foundation (gravel)





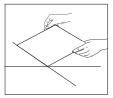


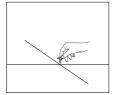
INSTALLATION ON SCREED WITH ADHESIVE

Ideal for: Terraces, indoor areas, high traffic areas

- 1- Creat a screed to the proper standard, which may or may not be waterproofed depending on requirement.
 2- Apply the adhesive evenly(apply to both the screed and the slab if heavy loads are expected).
 3- Lay the slabs using cross spacers to creat suitable joints (for unrectified products, a joint of at least 5 mm is requird).
 4- Creat expansion and separation joints suitable forthe location and the size of the area to be coverd.



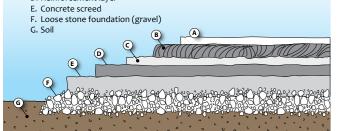


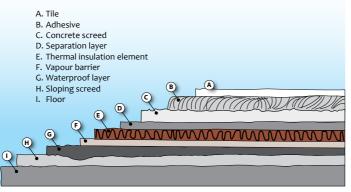




Examples of laying on a soil with adhesive

- A. Tile
- B. Adhesive
- C. Concrete screed(may include electro welded mesh)
- D. Reinforcement layer





Example of laying on a cement with adhesive

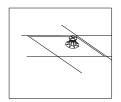


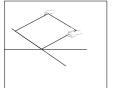


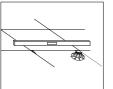
INSTALLATION ON FIXED OR ADJUSTABLE FEET

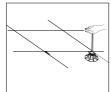
Ideal for: Offices, Terrace, places to hide pipes or cables.

- 1- Check that the substrate is flat, firm, rigid and able to support the weight of the paving without deformation.
- 2- Choose suitable pedestals, polypropylene feet and other system are available in the market 3-Give the surface of the paving a suitable gradint to ensure effective stormwater drainage
- 4- Follow the instruction of the choosen system



















Klima is a new generation ceramic that, thanks to special materials, is able to absorb and repel heat according to individual needs. Suitable for both indoor and outdoor applications, for flooring or external walls, to achieve maximum comfort with minimum energy impact.





OUTDOOR USE

When installed on outdoor flooring, Klima repels the heat from sunlight, resisting high temperatures. Even with significant sun exposure, the surface is not burning hot and floor remains cool and pleasant to walk on with bare feet.



INDOOR USE

When applied on indoor flooring, Klima retains room heat and releases it over the entire surface, producing a warmer feel than a standard floor. Ideal for surfaces that provide a wood-like effect, imparting a warmth and a comfort to be experienced.



On external ventilated façades, Klima helps limit heat dispersion while maintaining a steady indoor temperature. An innovative solution that

helps reduce room energy demands.

Borgogna Stone







borgogna stone greige

Bryce



















bryce anthracite

Sizes

60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"





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borgogna stone greige	AGBo6BRGSGRGZMLT5R	60x60	bryce anthracite	Ao6GZBYC-ANo.M2T5R	60x60
borgogna stone beige	AGBo6BRGSBEEZMLT5R	60x60	bryce white	Ao6GZBYC-WHo.M2T5R	60x60
			bryce gold	Ao6GZBYC-GLD.M2T5R	60x60
coral stone light grey	Ao6GCLNA-LGY.A6X7R	60x60	core stone grey	Ao6GZCES-GYo.MoT5R	60x60
coral stone grey	Ao6GCLNA-GRY.A6X7R	60x60	core stone anthracite	Ao6GZCES-ANo.MoT5R	60x60
coral stone ivory	Ao6GCLNA-IVO.A6X7R	60x60	core stone beige	A06GZCES-BEo.MoT5R	60x60
coral stone beige	Ao6GCLNA-BEE.A6X7R	60x60	core stone brown	Ao6GZCES-BRo.MoT5R	60x60

20mm thickness

Coral Stone









CORAL STONE LIGHT GREY

CORAL STONE GREY





CORAL STONE IVORY

CORAL STONE BEIGE

Core Stone











core stone grey

core stone anthracite

core stone beige

core stone brown

Design Concrete











design concrete light grey

design concrete dark grey

design concrete ivory

design concrete nut

Fashion Stone





















fashion stone ivory

fashion stone light grey

fashion stone grey





fashion stone beige

fashion stone clay

Revive Concrete











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revive concrete active white

revive concrete concrete grey

revive concrete graphite grey

revive concrete pitch black







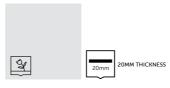
revive concrete cloud grey

revive concrete blade beige

revive concrete summer sand

Sizes

60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"



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design concrete light grey	Ao6GZDCC-LGY.M2T5R	60x60	design concrete ivory	Ao6GZDCC-IVo.M2T5R	60x60	
design concrete dark grey	Ao6GZDCC-DGY.M2T5R	60x60	design concrete nut	Ao6GZDCC-NTo.M2T5R	60x60	
fashion stone light grey	Ao6GFNSE-LIG.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete active white	AGBo6REVCACWZMLT5R	60x60	
fashion stone grey	Ao6GFNSE-GRY.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete concrete grey	AGBo6REVCCRGZMLT5R	60x60	
fashion stone black	Ao6GFNSE-BLK.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete cloud grey	AGBo6REVCCGYZMLT5R	60x60	
fashion stone ivory	Ao6GFNSE-IVO.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete graphite grey	AGBo6REVCGPGZMLT5R	60x60	
fashion stone beige	Ao6GFNSE-BEE.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete blade beige	AGBo6REVCBDBZMLT5R	60x60	
fashion stone clay	Ao6GFNSE-CLA.MYX7R	60x60	revive concrete pitch black	AGBo6REVCPBKZMLT5R	60x60	
			revive concrete summer sand	AGBo6REVCSMSZMLT5R	60x60	

Salento











Surface 2.0 Outdoor









surface 2.0 outdoor cool grey

surface 2.0 outdoor mid grey

surface 2.0 outdoor ash

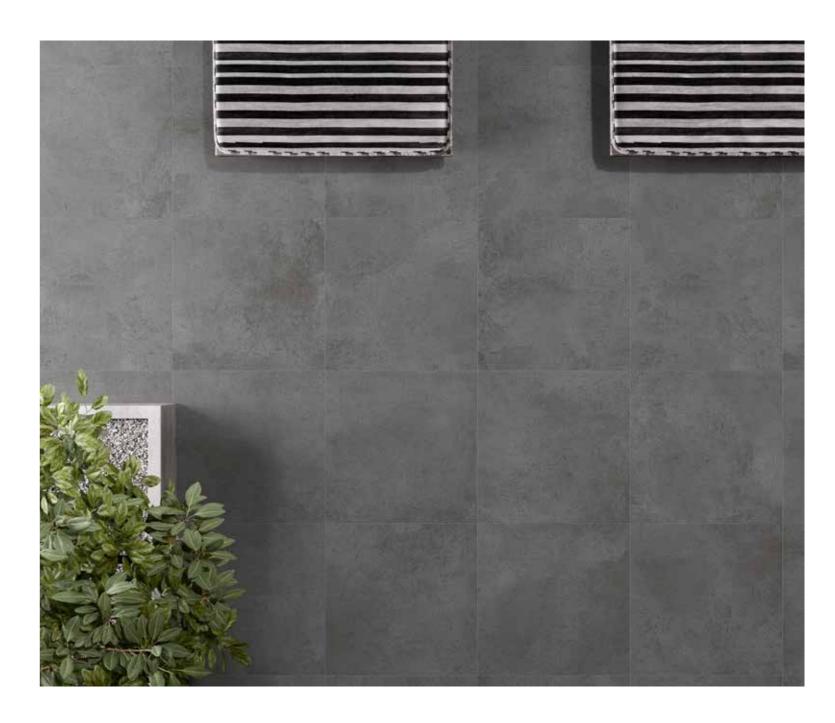
surface 2.0 outdoor night





surface 2.0 outdoor sand

surface 2.0 outdoor copper

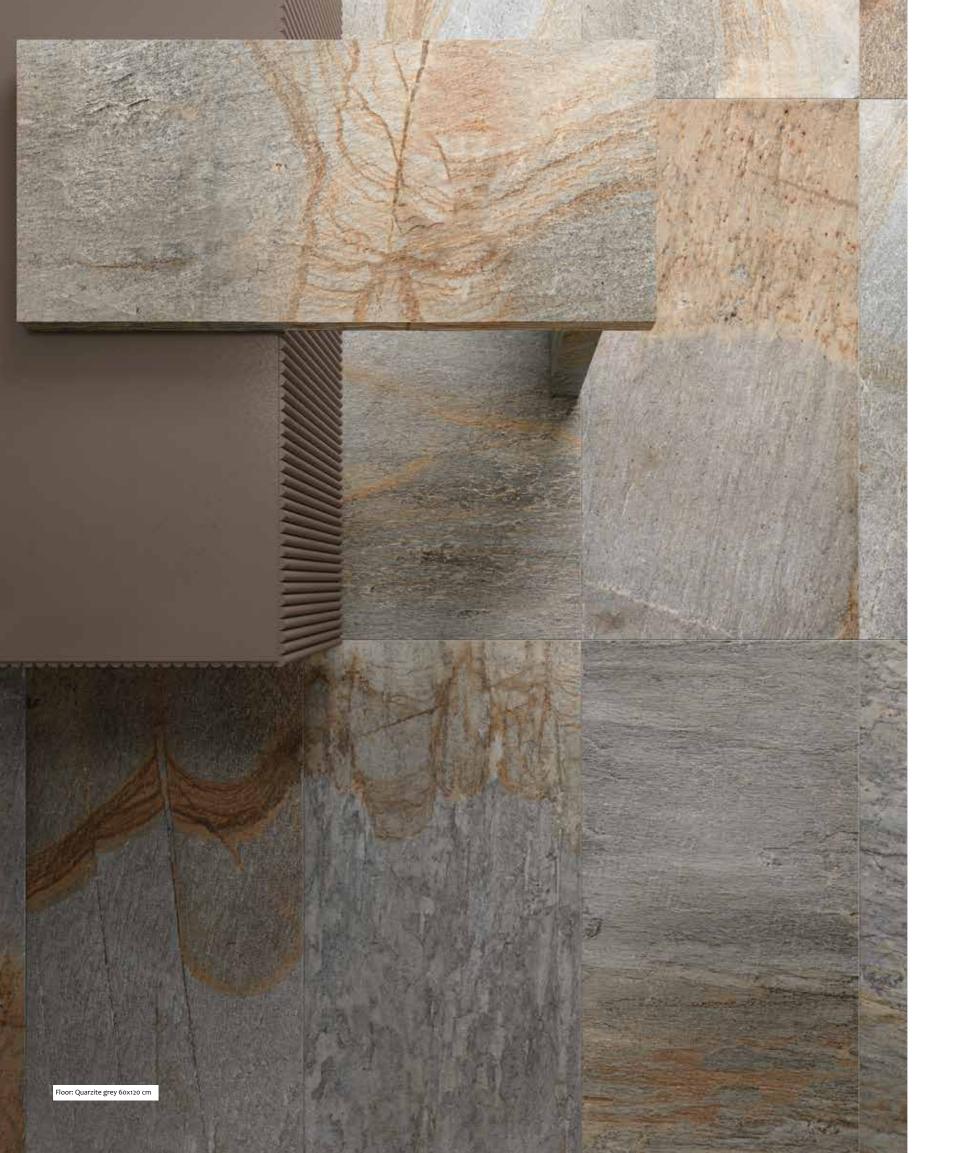


Sizes

60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"



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Name	Code	Size(CM)
salento beige	Ao6GSLTO-BEE.A6X7R	60x60
salento brown	Ao6GSLTO-BRN.A6X7R	60x60
salento grey	Ao6GSLTO-GRY.A6X7R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor cool grey	Ao6GZSUR-CGY.MoT5R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor mid grey	Ao6GZSUR-MGY.MoT5R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor ash	Ao6GZSUR-ASo.MoT5R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor night	Ao6GZSUR-NTo.MoT5R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor sand	Ao6GZSUR-SNo.MoT5R	60x60
surface 2.0 outdoor copper	Ao6GZSUR-CPo.MoT5R	60x60

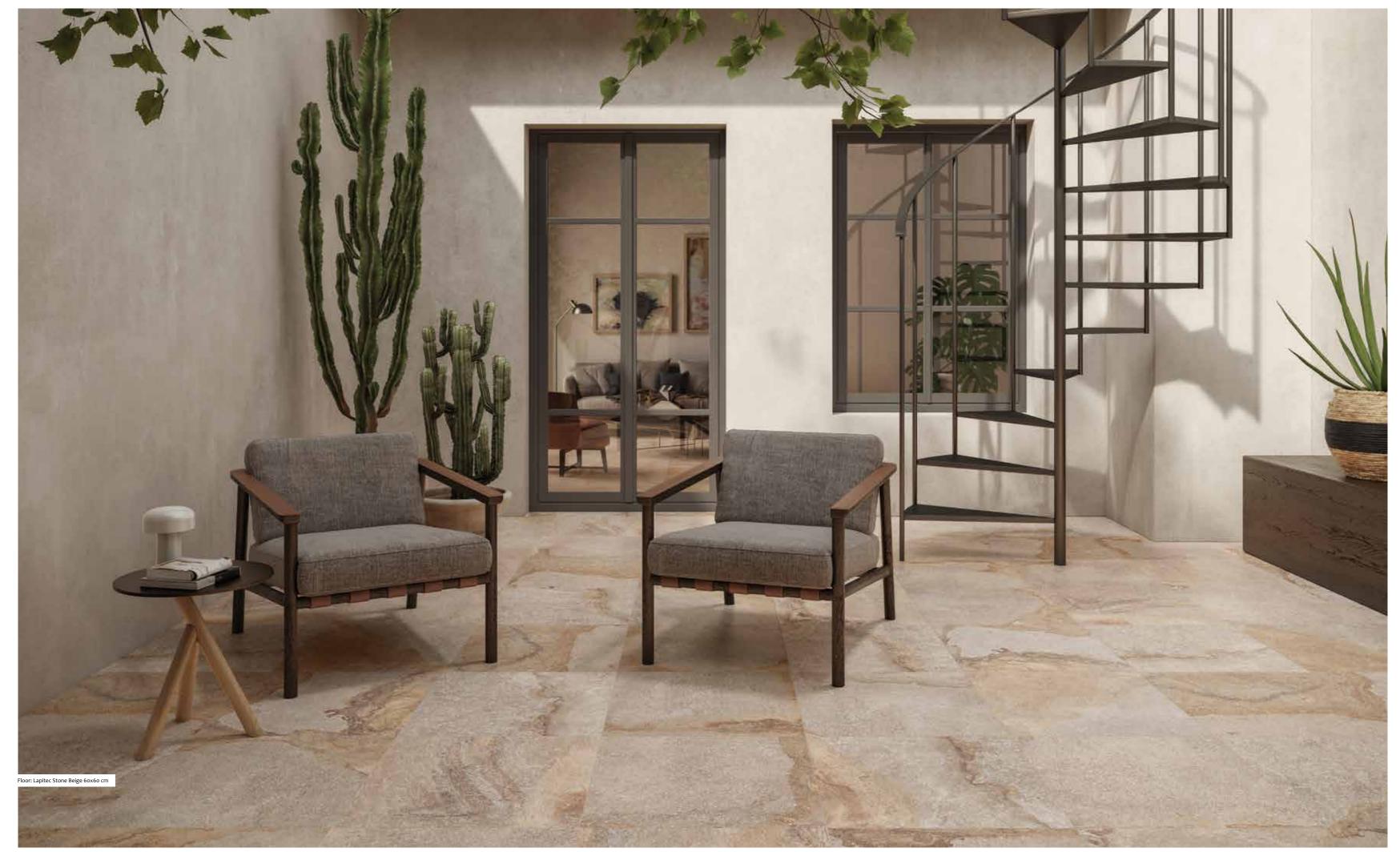


HIGH PERFORMANCE TECHNICAL PRODUCTS BAREFOOT + ANTISLIP (A+B+C)

The Antislip Barefoot + technology gives porcelain tiles excellent non-slip performance and pleasant feel, with a special roughness imperceptible to the touch.

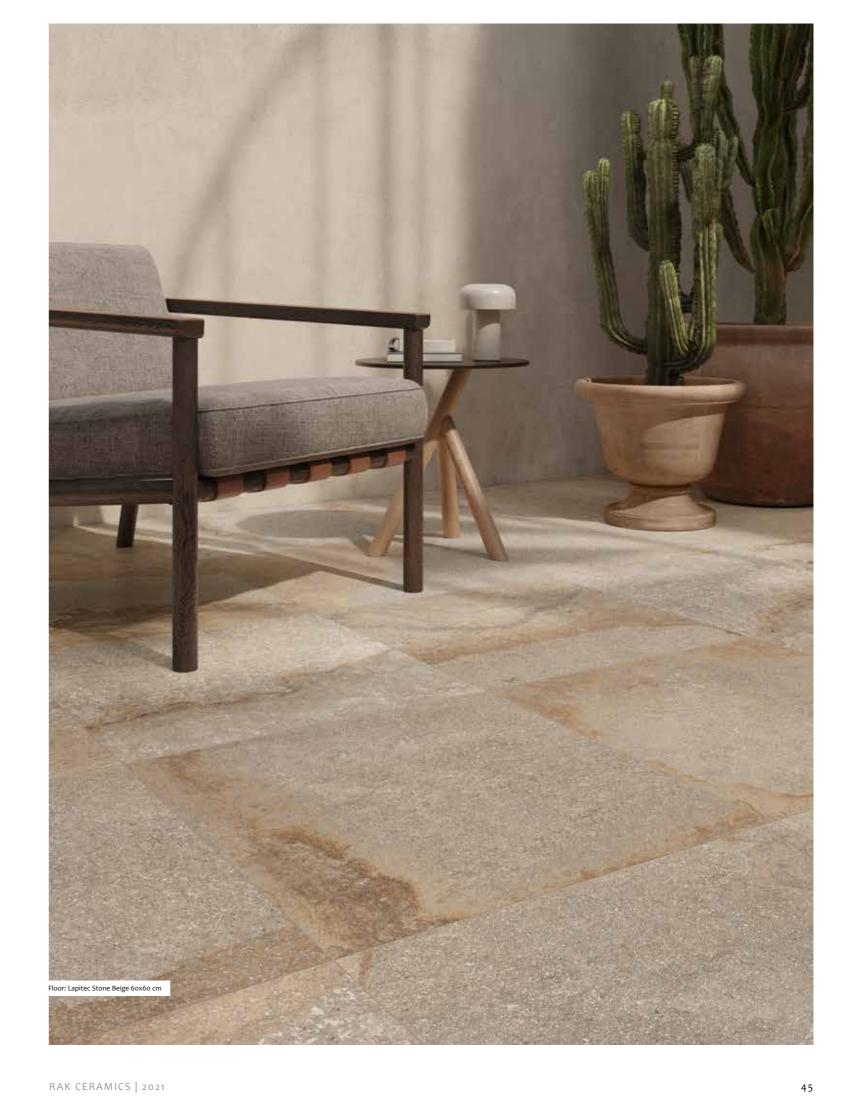
All products equipped with the Antislip Barefoot + technology become anti-slip in wet conditions, that makes these tiles a must have for indoor areas subject to moisture and outdoor applications.













Lapitec Stone



















lapitec stone white



lapitec stone slate grey



lapitec stone beige



lapitec stone pece



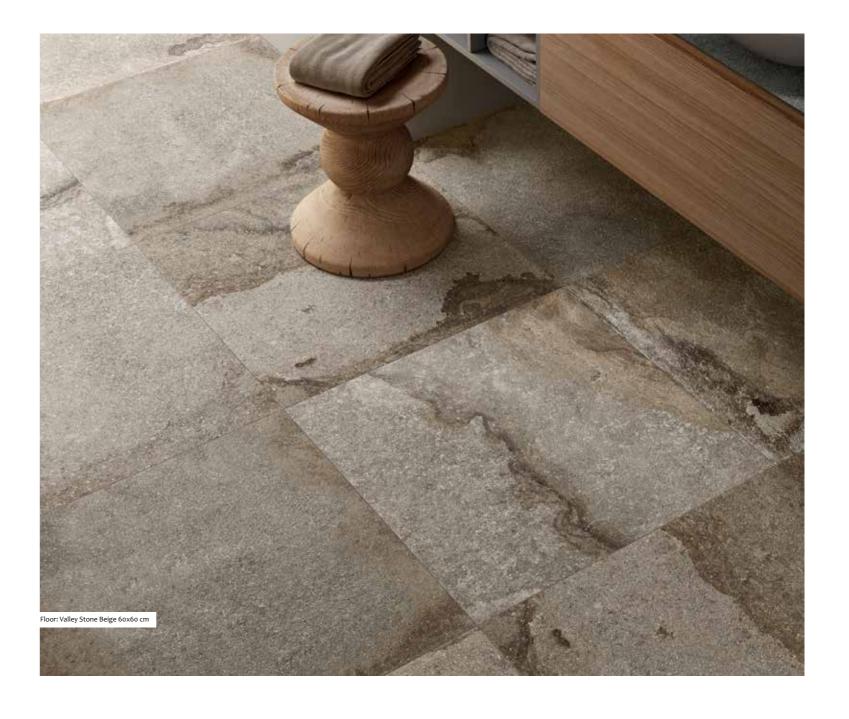
lapitec stone black



lapitec stone dark grey



lapitec stone original

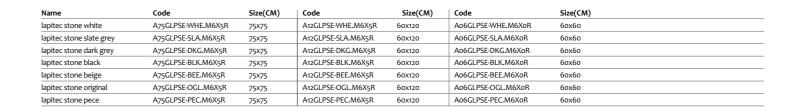


Sizes

75x75 cm 26.52"x26.52"

60x120 cm 23.62"x47.24"

60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"



Lava Concrete





















lava concrete white



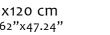
lava concrete dark grey lava concrete light grey



Sizes

75x75 cm 26.52"x26.52"





60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"

29.8x60 cm 11.73"x23.62"

Name	Code	Size(CM)	Code	Size(CM)	Code	Size(CM)
lava concrete white	A2B12LVCRWHEMMLS5R	60x120	A2B06LVCRWHEMMLNLR	60x60	A2B75LVCRWHEMMLS5R	75×75
lava concrete light grey	A2B12LVCRLIGMMLS5R	60x120	A2B06LVCRLIGMMLNLR	60x60	A2B75LVCRLIGMMLS5R	75×75
lava concrete dark grey	A2B12LVCRDKGMMLS5R	60x120	A2B06LVCRDKGMMLNLR	60x60	A2B75LVCRDKGMMLS5R	75×75
lava concrete beige	A2B12LVCRBEEMMLS5R	60x120	A2B06LVCRBEEMMLNLR	60x60	A2B75LVCRBEEMMLS5R	75×75
lava concrete white	A2X29LVCRWHEMMLNLR	29.8X60				
lava concrete light grey	A2X29LVCRLIGMMLNLR	29.8X60				
lava concrete dark grey	A2X29LVCRDKGMMLNLR	29.8X60				
lava concrete beige	A2X29LVCRBEEMMLNLR	29.8X60				

Pietra Piasentina

















pietra piasentina grey



pietra piasentina beige

Sizes

60x120 cm 23.62"x47.24"



60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"

Name	Code	Size(CM)	Code	Size(CM)	Code	Size(CM)
pietra piasentina grey	A12GPTPS-GRY.A6X5R	60x120	A99GPTPS#GRY.A6X5R	19.5X120	Ao6GPTPS-GRY.A6XoR	60x60
pietra piasentina beige	A12GPTPS-BEE.A6X5R	60x120	A99GPTPS#BEE.A6X5R	19.5X120	Ao6GPTPS-BEE.A6XoR	60x60

Quarzite





















Sizes

60x120 cm 23.62"x47.24"



Name	Code	Size(CM)	Code	Size(CM)
QUARZITE GREY	A12GQZTS-GRY.A6X5R	60X120	A09GQZTS-GRY.M6X0R	30X60
QUARZITE BEIGE	A12GQZTS-BEE.A6X5R	60X120	A09GQZTS-BEE.M6X0R	30X60

Valley Stone



















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valley stone ligh grey

valley stone dark grey



valley stone beige

Sizes

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60x120 cm 23.62"x47.24" 60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"

29.8x60 cm

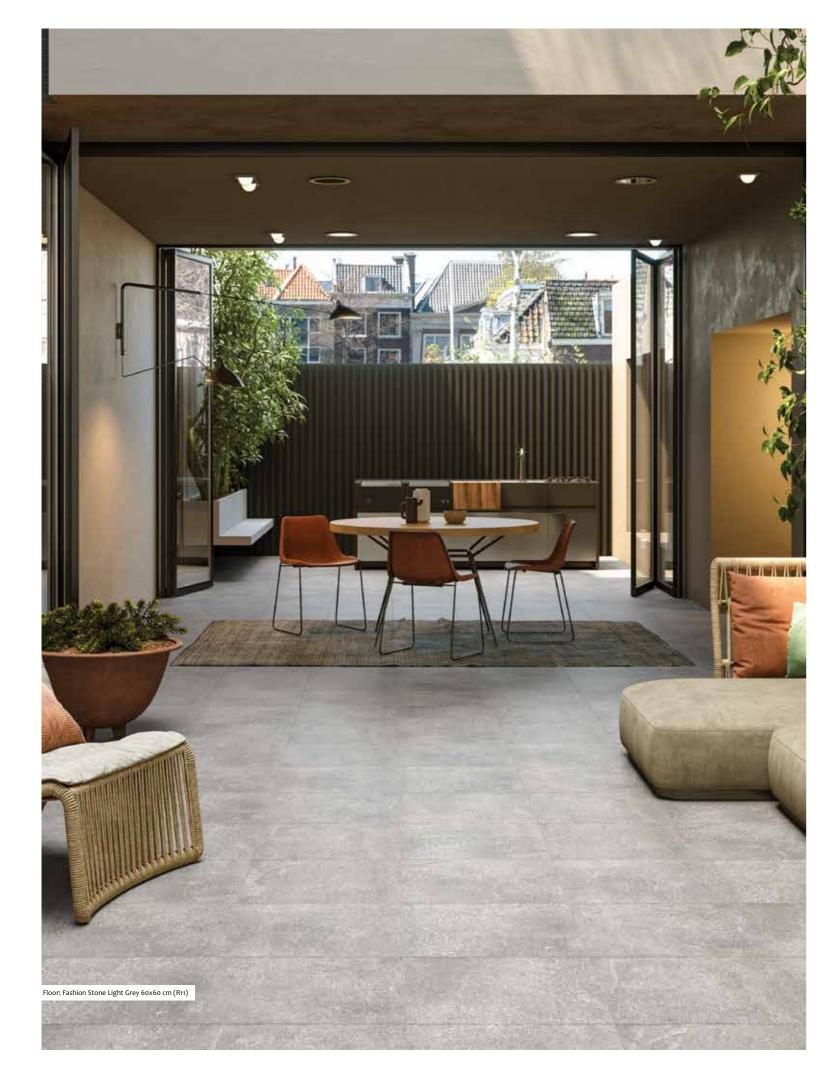
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alley stone light grey	A2B12VYSTLIGMMLS5R	60x120	A2B06VYSTLIGMMLNLR	60x60	A2B75VYSTLIGMMLS5R	75×75	A2X29VYSTLIGMMLNLR	29.8x60
allan akana badas	A-D\O/CTDEEAAAAI C-D	C	A-D-CVO/CTDEENAMINUD	C C	A-DVACTDEENAMIC-D		A-VNACTREENAMINI D	0

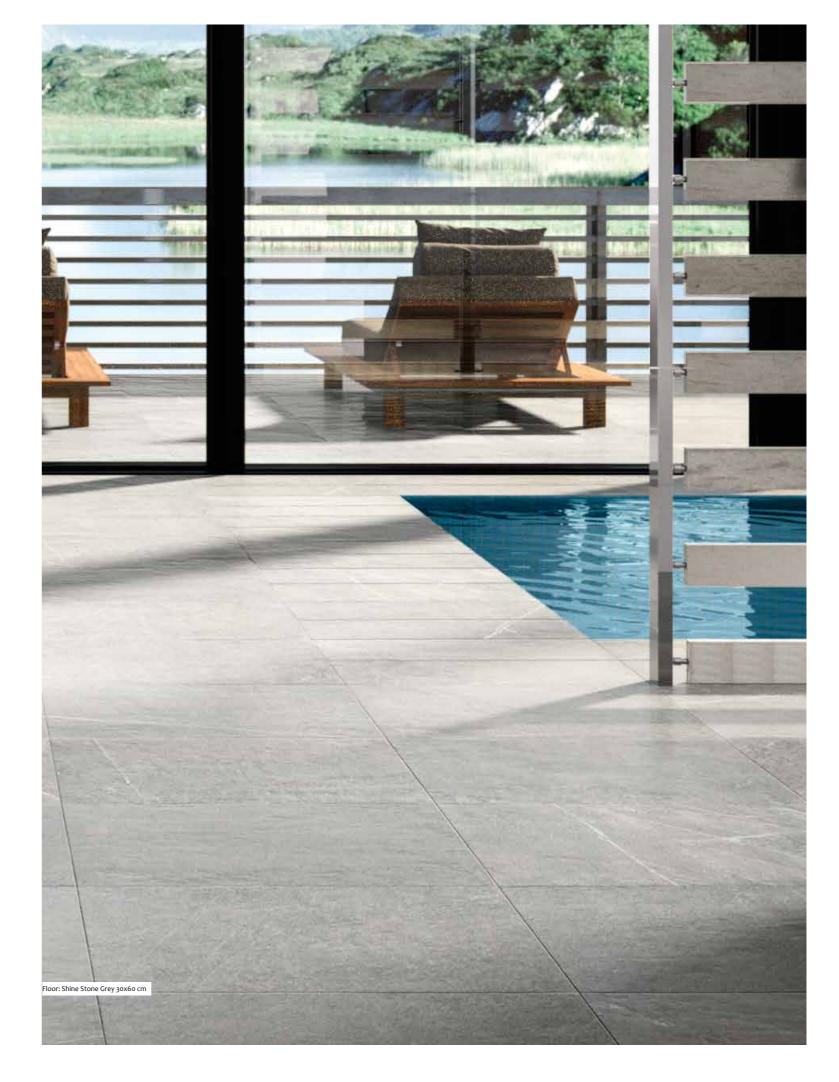


PRODUCTS WITH R11 AND STANDARD THICKNESS









Hard Wood



















hard wood ivory



hard wood beige



hard wood red



hard wood brown



hard wood mud

Sizes

19.5x120 cm 7.67"x47.24"

Name	Code	Code
hard wood ivory	19.5x120	A99GZHRD#IVo.WYS5R
hard wood beige	19.5X120	A99GZHRD#BEo.WYS5R
hard wood red	19.5x120	A99GZHRD#RDo.WYS5R
hard wood brown	19.5x120	A99GZHRD#BRo.WYS5R
hard wood mud	10 EV120	AnnC7HRD#MLID W/VScR

Line Wood















line wood Ivory



line wood beige



line wood dark beige



line wood brown



line wood dark brown

Sizes

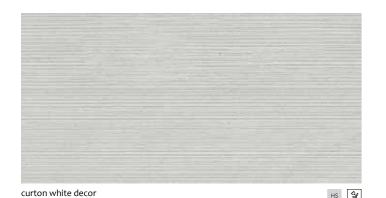
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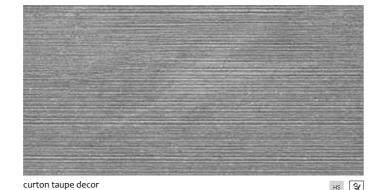
Name	Code	Code
line wood ivory	19.5X120	A99GZLNW#IVo.WYS5R
line wood beige	19.5X120	A99GZLNW#BE0.WYS5R
line wood dark beige	19.5X120	A99GZLNW#DBE.WYS5R
line wood brown	19.5x120	A99GZLNW#BRo.WYS5R
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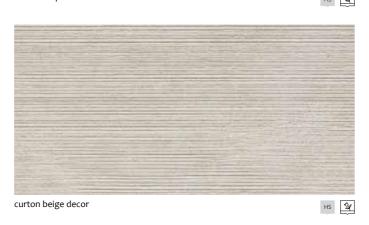
Curton











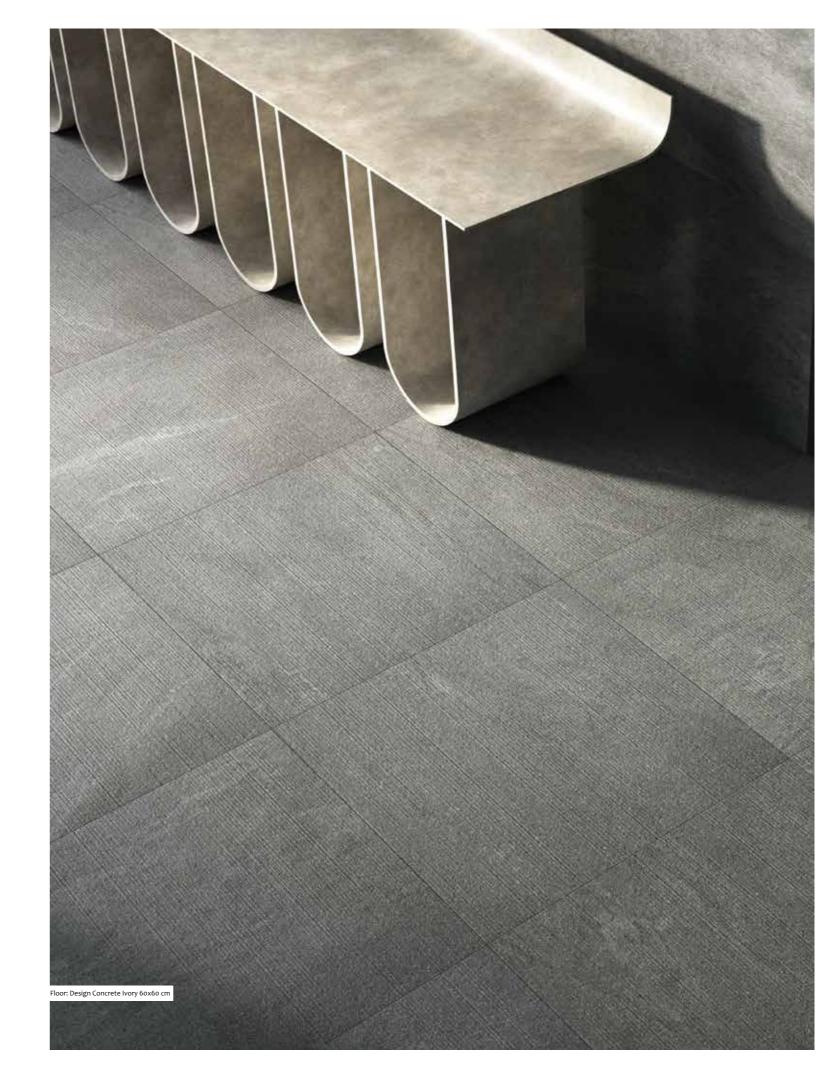
Sizes

decor
75x75 cm
26.52"x26.52"

decor
60x120 cm
23.62"x47.24"

23.62"x23.62"

D12PDCNWHEMMLS5R					
DIZPUCNWHEMINILSSN	60x120	A2D06PDCNWHEMMLN1R	60x60	A2D75PDCNWHEMMLS5R	75×75
D12PDCNGRYMMLS5R	60x120	A2D06PDCNGRYMMLN1R	60x60	A2D75PDCNGRYMMLS5R	75×75
D12PDCNTPEMMLS5R	60x120	A2D06PDCNTPEMMLN1R	60x60	A2D75PDCNTPEMMLS5R	75×75
D12PDCNBEEMMLS5R	60x120	A2D06PDCNBEEMMLN1R	60x60	A2D75PDCNBEEMMLS5R	75×75
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Fashion Stone



















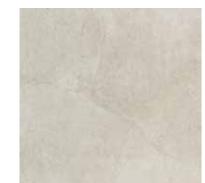




fashion stone ivory

fashion stone light grey

fashion stone black





fashion stone beige

fashion stone clay

Sizes

60x60 cm 23.62"x23.62"

Name	Code	Size(CM)
fashion stone light grey	AGBo6FNSELIGZYLNLR	60x60
fashion stone grey	AGBo6FNSEGRYZYLNLR	60x60
fashion stone black	AGBo6FNSEBLKZYLNLR	60x60
fashion stone ivory	AGBo6FNSEIVOZYLNLR	60x60
fashion stone beige	AGBo6FNSEBEEZYLNLR	60x60
fashion stone clav	AGBo6FNSECLAZYLNLR	60x60

Shine Stone



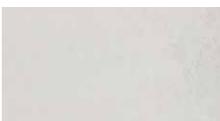












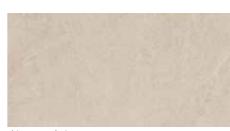
shine stone white



shine stone ivory







shine stone beige



shine stone dark grey



shine stone dark beige





shine stone black

Sizes

30x60 cm 11.81"x23.62"

Name	Code	Size(CM)	Name	Code	Size(CM)
shine stone white	Ao9GZSHS#WHo.MYR	30x60	shine stone ivory	AogGZSHS#IVo.MYR	30x60
shine stone grey	Ao9GZSHS#GYo.MYR	30x60	shine stone beige	AogGZSHS#BEo.MYR	30x60
shine stone dark grey	Ao9GZSHS#DGY.MYR	30x60	shine stone dark beige	Ao9GZSHS#DBE.MYR	30x60
shine stone black	AogGZSHS#BKo.MYR	30x60	shine stone brown	AogGZSHS#BRo.MYR	30x60

TECHNICAL FEATURES

PORCELAIN TILES (Bla - GL):

Porcelain tiles are manufactured using pure, selectively imported raw materials mixed using the most advanced extraction and sorting techniques; they are obtained with a production process similar to that of single-fired tiles.

The resulting product is top-quality porcelain tile, obtained by raw materials wet grinding, followed by partial drying by spraying, silo storage to allow homogenization of properties, and pressing with highly efficient hydraulic presses up to specific pressures more than 500 kg/cm2. The high pressure combined with high firing temperature exceeding 1200 °C results in highly compact & strong ceramic surface with very low water absorption (lower than 0.4% according to UNI EN ISO 10545-3) and extremely high mechanical resistance (average value exceeding 40 N/mm2 according to UNI EN ISO 10545-4).

Thanks to their low porosity, these porcelain tiles are frost-proof and rated as belonging to the BIa GL class according to the International Standard ISO 13006 and European Standard UNI EN 14411 which requires water absorption ≤ 0.5%.

The MoR (modulus of rupture) in accordance with UNI EN ISO 10545-4 results to 40 N/mm2 while the required value is 35 N/mm2. RAK Ceramics porcelain tiles are available in a wide range of designs, sizes and finishes.

ADVICE ON LAYING

Although our porcelain tiles can be installed using traditional cement mortars, we advise using modern adhesives. While installing on wall, the two-layer spreading system is recommended to perfectly wet the back of the tile.

Quickly dipping each tile in water before installation will remove any dust on the back of the tile for perfect adhesion. Do not wet the tiles if you are using vinyl, acrylic resin adhesives or two-component organic-solvent based adhesive.

It is advisable to incorporate suitable shrinkage - flexion joints (movement/ expansion joints) when installing on large floors: the joints should never be spaced more than 4 - 5 linear meters apart indoors and 3 linear meters apart outdoors. Be careful while using strong coloured grouts as they might leave stains on the surface of the tiles that may be difficult to remove later.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS - PORCELAIN TILES (Bia - GL)

				RAK Ceramics Specifications		
	Test Description	Standard Test Method	International Standard ISO 13006	(Rectified)	(Unrectified)	
$\stackrel{\textstyle \longleftrightarrow}{\longleftrightarrow}$	Length & Width	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.6%	+/- 0.1%	+/- 0.3%	
=	Thickness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/-5.0%	+/- 5.0%	+/- 5.0%	
	Rectangle Squareness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.2%	+/- 0.4%	
90°	Straightness of sides	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.2%	+/- 0.3%	
	Surface Flatness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.3%	+/- 0.3%	
H ₂ 0	Water Absorption	BS EN ISO 10545-3	<=0.5%	<=0.4%	<=0.4%	
$\frac{\downarrow}{\uparrow\uparrow}$	Modulus of Rupture	BS EN ISO 10545-4	>=35 N/mm2	>=40 N/mm2	>=40 N/mm2	
KG ↑ ↑	Breaking Strength	BS EN ISO 10545-4	>=1300N	>=1600N	>=1600N	
	Resistance to surface abrasion	BS EN ISO 10545-7	Manufacturer to state Abrasion Class	PEI Class 2 -5	PEI Class 2 -5	
\boxtimes	Linear Thermal Expansion	BS EN ISO 10545-8	<=9x10 ⁻⁶⁰ C ⁻¹	<=7x10 ⁶⁰ C ⁻¹	<=7X10 ⁶⁰ C ⁻¹	
<u>+</u>	Resistance to Thermal Shock	BS EN ISO 10545-9	No visible defect	No visible defect	No visible defect	
揆	Crazing Resistance	BS EN ISO 10545-11	No crazing	No crazing	No crazing	
**	Frost Resistance	BS EN ISO 10545-12	No visible damage	No visible damage	No visible damage	
	Resistance to chemicals	BS EN ISO 10545-13	No visible defect	No visible defect	No visible defect	
*	Resistance to stains	BS EN ISO 10545-14	Manufacturer to state class	Stain removed Min.class 4	Stain removed Min.class 4	
	Colour Resistance to UV Light	DIN 51094	No change in color	No change in color	No change in color	

Note: Shade variation across the batches is inherent to the manufacturing process and the pre-laying colour comparison is recommended

TECHNICAL FEATURES

FULL BODY PORCELAIN TILES (BIA - UGL):

Full body porcelain tiles are manufactured using pure, selectively imported raw materials mixed using the most advanced extraction and sorting techniques; they are obtained with a production process similar to that of single-fired tiles.

The resulting product is top-quality porcelain tile, obtained by raw materials wet grinding, followed by partial drying by spraying, silo storage to allow homogenization of properties, and pressing with highly efficient hydraulic presses up to specific pressures more than 500 kg/cm2. The high pressure combined with high firing temperature exceeding 1200 °C results in highly compact & strong ceramic surface with very low water absorption (lower than 0.1% according to UNI EN ISO 10545-3) and extremely high mechanical resistance (average value exceeding 40 N/mm2 according to UNI EN ISO 10545-4).

Full body porcelain are suitable for heavy traffic areas as they are characterized by a deep abrasion resistance (equal to 150 mm3 of removed material, as opposed to the 175 mm3 provided for by the UNI EN ISO 10545-6 standard).

Thanks to their low porosity, these tiles are frost-proof and rated as belonging to the BIa UGL class according to the International Standard ISO 13006 and European Standard UNI EN 14411 which requires water absorption ≤ 0.5%.

Chemical acid and base resistance (UNI EN ISO 10545-13) makes full body porcelain tiles suitable for environments where aggressive chemicals are used, e.g. food processing factories, hospitals, chemical or pharmaceutical plants. The full bod porcelain tiles are available in a wide range of sizes and surfaces (slip-resistant finish also available).

ADVICE ON LAYING

Although our full bod porcelain tiles can be installed using traditional cement mortars, we advise using modern adhesives. For large sizes over 40x40cm, outdoor and wall installations, the two-layer spreading system is recommended to perfectly wet the back of the tile.

Quickly dipping each tile in water before installation will remove any dust on the back of the tile for perfect adhesion. Do not wet the tiles if you are using vinyl, acrylic resin adhesives or two-component organic-solvent based adhesive.

It is advisable to incorporate suitable shrinkage - flexion joints (movement/ expansion joints) when installing on large floors: the joints should never be spaced more than 4 - 5 linear meters apart indoors and 3 linear meters apart outdoors. Be careful while using strong coloured grouts as they might leave stains on the surface of the tiles that may be difficult to remove later.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS - FULL BODY PORCELAIN TILES (BIA - UGL)

				RAK Ceramics Specifications	
	Test Description	Standard Test Method	International Standard ISO 13006	(Rectified)	(Unrectified)
\longleftrightarrow	Length & Width	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.6%	+/- 0.1%	+/- 0.3%
	Thickness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/-5.0%	+/- 5.0%	+/- 5.0%
	Rectangle Squareness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.2%	+/- 0.4%
) 90°	Straightness of sides	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.2%	+/- 0.3%
	Surface Flatness	BS EN ISO 10545-2	+/- 0.5%	+/- 0.2%	+/- 0.3%
H ₂ 0	Water Absorption	BS EN ISO 10545-3	<=0.5%	<=0.1%	<=0.1%
<u>↓</u>	Modulus of Rupture	BS EN ISO 10545-4	>=35 N/mm2	>=40 N/mm2	>=40 N/mm2
KG ↑ ↑	Breaking Strength	BS EN ISO 10545-4	>=1300N	>=1500N	>=1600N
0	Resistance to deep abrasion	BS EN ISO 10545-6	<=175/mm³	<=150/mm ³	<=150/mm³
X	Linear Thermal Expansion	BS EN ISO 10545-8	<=9x10 ⁻⁶⁰ C ⁻¹	<=7x10 ⁻⁶⁰ C ⁻¹	<=7x10 ⁻⁶⁰ C ⁻¹
<u>+</u>	Resistance to Thermal Shock	BS EN ISO 10545-9	No visible defect	No visible defect	No visible defect
*	Frost Resistance	BS EN ISO 10545-12	No visible damage	No visible damage	No visible damage
	Resistance to chemicals	BS EN ISO 10545-13	No visible defect	No visible defect	No visible defect
*	Resistance to stains	BS EN ISO 10545-14	Manufacturer to state class	Stain removed Min. class 2	Stain removed Min. cla
	Colour Resistance to UV Light	DIN 51094	No change in color	No change in color	No change in color

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MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING OF TILES

Maintenance of ceramic and porcelain tiles on dry surfaces is relatively easy. RAK Ceramics tiles are highly scratch and stain resistant.

- By regularly sweeping the floor, you can help avoid scratches that small pebbles or sand can create.
- Make it a habit to always wipe the soles of your shoes on a mat before entering the house. Thoroughly wipe up any spills using plain warm water.
- While they are not likely to stain your ceramic tiles, spills may stain the grout between the tiles and if they are left to sit for too long, may also stain the actual tiles.
- Plain water is the ideal cleaner because it leaves no residue if you dry the surface of the tiles thoroughly after cleaning.
- If tiles are left wet after cleaning, there may be some unsightly mineral residue after the water dries, but this can easily be removed by spot cleaning.
- If stains resist cleaning with water alone, you can use a mild acidic solution, such as white vinegar. Use it highly diluted and rinse with plain water then dry.
- As food stains are acidic in nature, try using a mild alkaline solution.
- Use common detergents sparingly, rinse with plain water and dry thoroughly.

RAK CERAMICS CARE EXCLUSIVE POST INSTALLATION CLEANING SERVICE

We have collaborated with Fila, a leading company in cleaning, protection and maintenance of ceramic surfaces to offer an exclusive cleaning service to address our customers post installation concerns.

Cleaning after laying is of vital importance as a lot of unseen debris and reactive chemicals can affect the visual appearance of the ceramic material. With this new service, our customers can take advantage of Fila's professional on-site consultation. For more info please visit www.rakceramics.com



TILE-LAYING RECOMMENDATIONS

All RAK Ceramics products are subject to size and shade variations. Please check the size, batch number, caliber, tone, choice, color, quality of the pieces before the installation, as no claims will be accepted once the tiles are installed.

Place some tiles on the floor - 2 or 3 sqm - and check the overall technical and aesthetic characteristics with care and check if there is enough product to finish the work.

Manufacturer's responsibility is only limited to replacement of defective material if any, prior to fixing of tiles and we will not entertain claim of any nature after the tiles are installed.

Therefore, if any issue is found on the delivered product, the contractor for installation or the client should not install the tiles. The issue should be communicated to RAK Ceramics for investigation and further action for resolution as required.

The substrate must be a compact cement bed. Levelling system ensures flatness between tiles avoiding movements during the mortar setting. This reduces the time for the ceramic laying obtaining a perfect lippage-free finish. Avoid movements between the tiles due to the mortar setting.

The width of grout joints must be established by the installation supervisor, unless grout widths are regulated by national laying standards. The grout colour should be selected according to the colour of the tile. We recommend to select a matching colour. Before using fine-grain coloured grout on lapped, polished or brushed products, always test it. If the pigment is very adhesive, it may be very difficult to remove.

We recommend to lay the tiles by using suitable adhesives for each kind of product and surface. As general rule, tiles must be installed in the same position. The minimum joint is 2 mm for rectified tiles, although we suggest a higher joint for big size products. After grouting, remove any excess product as quickly as possible by repeatedly washing the area with a sponge and water.

Steps to follow 1. First, set the tool to the scale according to the ceramic thickness. 2. Introduce the crossheads and continue laying the adjacent tiles. 3. Put the wedges in the crosshead manually. 4. Tighten the wedges with the pliers to level the pieces. 5. Allow for setting for the time recommended by the manufacturer of the adhesive cement. 6. Remove the crossheads. Hit the crosshead with a rubber mallet or with your foot in the direction of the joint. Do not hit the wedges.

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The company will not accept any claim if this is due to the problems caused by not following these suggestions and instructions.



LATICRETE IS A RECOMMENDED PARTNER OF RAK CERAMICS

Product Guide

ICONS

TYPOLOGY





EDGE



SURFACE STRUCTURE



Tiles with an even and regular surface, free from perceptible projections, lumps, or indentations.



Tiles with an uneven, irregular surface, with a structure perceptible to the eye and touch.



Tiles with a highly irregular

SURFACE LOOK



Natural looking surface.

FINISH



Pressed tiles without further work after firing.

COLOUR VARIATIONS



The least amount of shade variation attainable.



Light to moderate shade variation within each carton.



Medium to high shade variation

within each carton.

In printing, colour of the products may differ slightly from actual, pictures are only for reference.

INDICATIONS FOR USE





SUGGESTED APPLICATIONS



DOMESTIC PURPOSE

Residential areas, hotel rooms, bathrooms



LIGHT COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC AREA

Indoor public areas subject to medium pedestrian traffic such as restaurants, bars, offices, shops, hotel public areas, convention rooms.



HEAVY COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC AREA

Industrial floors such as warehouses, deposits, factories.



OUTDOOR

Outdoor public environments subject to medium pedestrian traffic such as outdoor terraces, stairs, corridors, raised paving, private garden, swimming pool and wellness areas. Always check the slipperiness characteristics according to the intended environment, in conformity with applicable regulations or laws.

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R RATING TABLE

Collections	Typology	Colours	R 😭	R (20mm thickness)
		Greige		R11 / A+B
Borgogna Stone	Porcelain Tiles	Beige		R11 / A+B
		Anthracite	-	R11 / A+B
Bryce	Porcelain Tiles	White	-	R11 / A+B
		gold	-	R11 / A+B
	Porcelain Tiles	light Grey	-	R11 / A+B
		Grey	-	R11 / A+B
Coral Stone		ivory	-	R11 / A+B
		Beige	-	R11 / A+B
	Porcelain Tiles	Grey	-	R11 / A+B
Core Stone		Anthracite	-	R11 / A+B
		Beige	-	R11 / A+B
		Brown	-	R11 / A+B
		white decor	R11 / A+B	-
		taupe decor	R11 / A+B	-
Curton	Full Body Porcelain Tiles	grey decor	R11 / A+B	-
		beige decor	R11 / A+B	-
		Light Grey	-	R11 / A+B
Delacount	Down International	Grey	-	R11 / A+B
Design Concrete	Porcelain Tiles	Ivory	-	R11 / A+B)
		Nut	-	R11 / A+B
		Light Grey	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
		Grey	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
Forther Street	Down International	Black	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
Fashion Stone	Porcelain Tiles	Ivory	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
		Beige	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
		Clay	R11 / A+B	R11 / A+B
		ivory	R11 / A+B	-
		beige	R11 / A+B	-
Hard Wood	Porcelain Tiles	red	R11 / A+B	-
		brown	R11 / A+B	-
		mud	R11 / A+B	-
		White	R10 / A+B+C	-
		black	R10 / A+B+C	-
		slate grey	R10 / A+B+C	-
Lapitec Stone	Full Body Porcelain Tiles	dark grey	R10 / A+B+C	-
		beige	R10 / A+B+C	-
		original	R10 / A+B+C	-
		pece	R10 / A+B+C	-
		White	R10 / A+B+C	-
Lava Concrete	Full Body Porcelain Tiles	Light Grey	R10 / A+B+C	-
Lava COTICIETE	i dii body Forceialli Tiles	Dark Grey	R10 / A+B+C	-
		Beige	R10 / A+B+C	-

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Dark Beige R11 A+B	-
Brown R11 A+B Dark Brown R11 A+B Dark Brown R11 A+B Grey R10 A+B+C	-
Dark Brown R11/A+B Grey R10/A+B+C Pietra Piasentina Full Body Porcelain Tiles	-
Pietra Piasentina Full Body Porcelain Tiles Grey R10 / A+B+C	-
Pietra Piasentina Full Body Porcelain Tiles	-
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Beige R10 / A+B+C	
white R10 / A+B+C	
bone R10 / A+B+C	-
ivory R10 / A+B+C	-
Plank Wood Full Body Porcelain Tiles beige R10 / A+B+C	-
grey R10 / A+B+C	-
black R10 / A+B+C	-
grey R10 / A+B+C	-
Quarzite Full Body Porcelain Tiles beige R10 / A+B+C	-
active white -	R11 / A+B
concrete grey -	R11 / A+B
graphite grey -	R11 / A+B
Revive Concrete Porcelain Tiles pitch black -	R11 / A+B
cloud grey -	R11 / A+B
blade beige -	R11 / A+B
summer sand -	R11 / A+B
grey -	R11 / A+B
Salento Porcelain Tiles beige -	R11 / A+B
brown -	R11 / A+B
white R11/A+B	-
grey R11/A+B	-
dark grey R11 / A+B	-
black R11/A+B	-
Shine Stone Porcelain Tiles ivory R11/A+B	-
beige R11/A+B	-
dark beige R11 / A+B	-
brown R11/A+B	
Cool Grey -	R11 / A+B
mid grey -	R11 / A+B
	R11 / A+B
Surface 2.0 Porcelain Tiles night -	R11 / A+B
Sand -	R11 / A+B
copper -	R11 / A+B
light grey R10 / A+B+C	-
Valley Stone Full Body Porcelain Tiles dark grey R10 / A+B+C	-
beige R10 / A+B+C	-

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