

# LOVE AFFAIRS

Porcelain



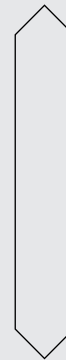
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**CONCRETE,  
STONES AND  
MARBLES, ALL  
COMBINABLE  
BETWEEN THEM.**

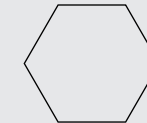
**AVAILABLE SHAPES**  
FORMATOS DISPONIBLES



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Hexagon**  
20x23 cm / 8"x9"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"



**Accent**  
3,7x10 cm / 1.5"x4"


**MATERIALS SUMMARY**  
RESUMEN DE MATERIALES



CONTEMPO\*



TIMBER\*

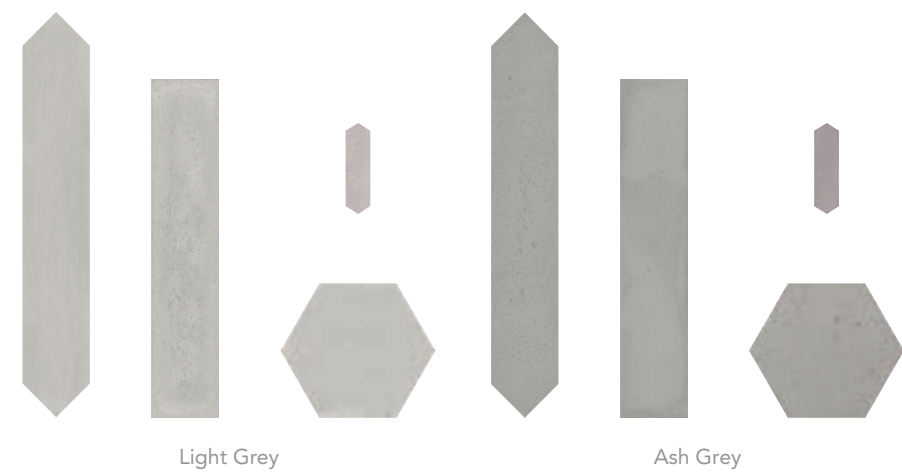
 Strong chromatic variation  
Fuerte variación cromática



CALACATTA\*



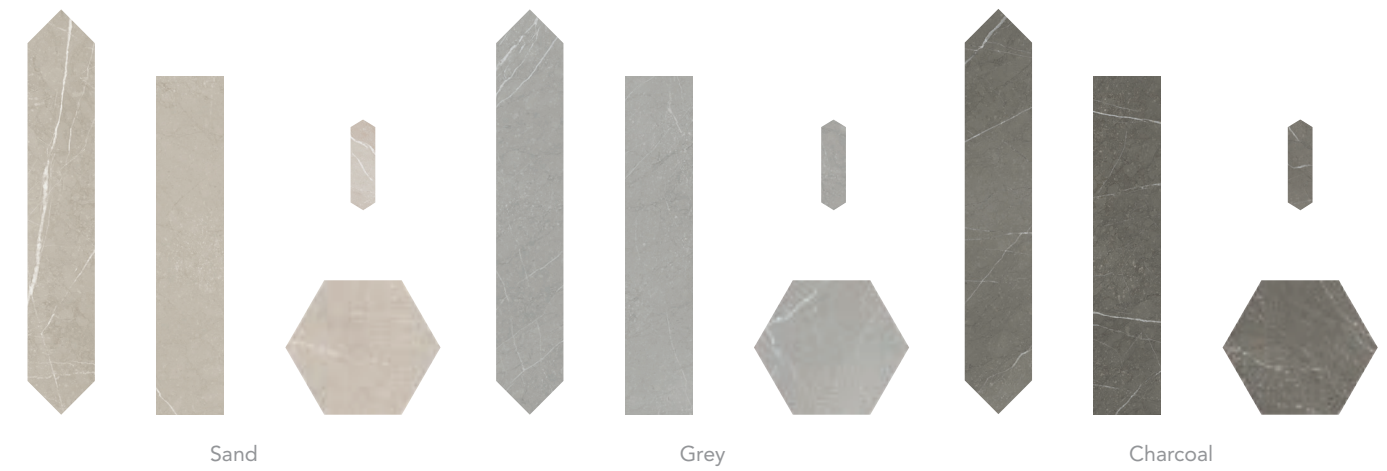
CONCRETE\*



AURA\*

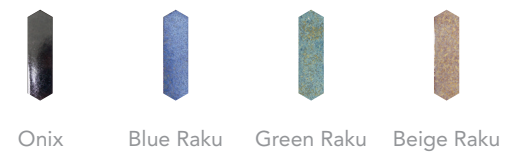


PETRA\*

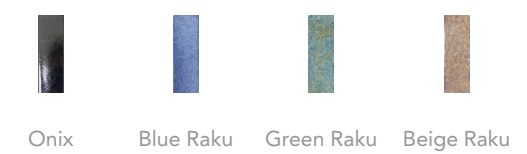


SPECIAL PIECES\*\*

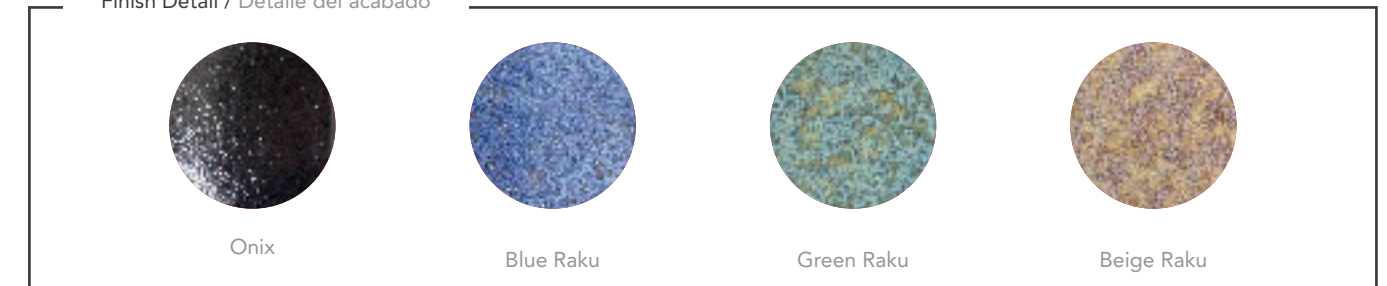
MINI CRAYON  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"X5.3"



ACCENT  
3,7x10 cm / 1.5"X4"



Finish Detail / Detalle del acabado



\* 30 different shades randomly mixed within the box.  
\* 30 tonalidades diferentes encajadas aleatoriamente.

\*\* The finishing of each piece is unique, you will never find two equal.  
\*\* Cada pieza es única, nunca encontrarás dos iguales.







**CALACATTA** Hexagon 71% + **MINI CRAYON** Onix 29%



**PETRA** Strip Sand

**CALACATTA** Hexagon 71% + **PETRA** Mini Crayon Sand 29%









**CONCRETE** Strip Ash Grey 50% + **ACCENT** Onix 50%



**CONCRETE** Strip Light Grey 70% + **TIMBER** Crayon Grey 30%









PETRA Strip Grey 83% + CONTEMPO Strip Natural 17%



CONCRETE Strip Ash Grey + CONTEMPO Strip Oak









**CONTEMPO** Strip Oak + **PETRA** Hexagon Charcoal



**CONCRETE** Strip Ash Grey + **TIMBER** Strip Brown









**PETRA** Hexagon Charcoal 71% + **CONTEMPO** Mini Crayon Natural 29%









**PETRA** Crayon Charcoal 30% + **CONCRETE** Strip Ash Grey 70%



**CONCRETE** Strip Ash Grey 70% + **CONTEMPO** Crayon Natural 30%









PETRA Hexagon Grey + CALACATTA Hexagon

CONCRETE Strip Light Grey



CONCRETE Hexagon Light Grey 71% + CONCRETE Mini Crayon Ash Grey 29%





**CONTEMPO** Strip Natural 50% + **ACCENT** Green Raku 50%

**CONTEMPO** Strip Ash + **CONCRETE** Strip Light Grey



**NILO** Ice White Matt by WOW Collection





**PETRA** Strip Charcoal 50% + **TIMBER** Strip Grey 50%





**CONCRETE** Strip Ash Grey

**CONTEMPO** Crayon Natural 50% + **CONTEMPO** Crayon Walnut 50%

















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**CALACATTA** Mini Crayon + **MINI CRAYON** Onix

**ZELLIGE** White by Mestizaje Collection



**PETRA** Mini Crayon Charcoal





**AURA** Mini Crayon + **MINI CRAYON** Beige Raku  
*(Random composition)*





**PETRA** Hexagon Grey 71% + **PETRA** Mini Crayon Grey 29% + **ACCENT** Green Raku



**CONTEMPO** Strip Natural + **ACCENT** Beige Raku  
(Random composition)





**CONCRETE** Crayon Light Grey












**CONCRETE** Hexagon Ash Grey 71% + **MINI CRAYON** Blue Raku 29%









## Technical features

## Packing

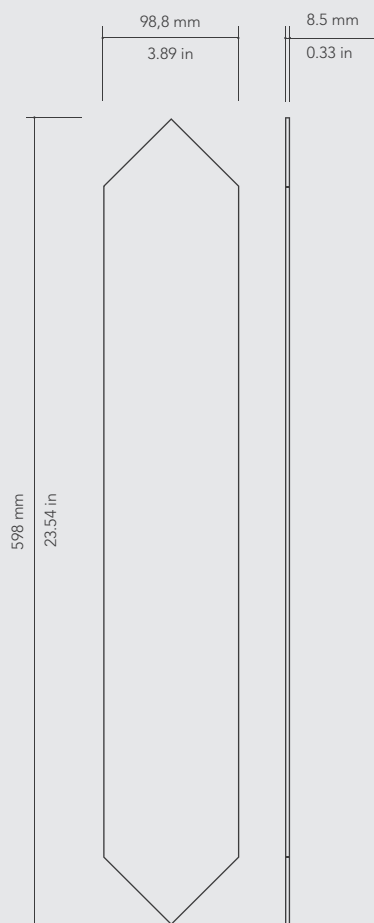
TECHNICAL FEATURES FOR DRY-PRESSED CERAMIC TILES WITH WATER ABSORPTION B la ( $\leq 0,5\%$ )  
 CARACTERÍSTICAS TÉCNICAS PARA LAS BALDOSAS CERÁMICAS PRENSADAS EN SECO CON ABSORCIÓN DE AGUA B la ( $\leq 0,5\%$ )

FEATURES / CARACTERÍSTICAS		SPECIFICATION / ESPECIFICACIÓN	NORMA	
	Dimensional Features	Crayon (W 98,8 mm +/- 0,9 mm x 598,0 mm +/- 0,6% x h. 8,5 mm +/- 5%) GL Strip (W 98,6 mm +/- 0,9 mm x 500,0 mm +/- 0,6% x h. 8,5 mm +/- 5%) GL Hexagon (W 200,5 mm +/- 0,6% x 231,0 mm +/- 0,6% x h. 8.5 mm +/- 5%) GL Mini Crayon (W 37,7 mm +/- 0,9 mm x 137,2 mm +/- 0,9 mm x h. 8.5 mm +/- 0,5 mm) GL Accent (W 37,7 mm +/- 0,9 mm x 98,6 mm +/- 0,9 mm x h. 8.5 mm +/- 0,5 mm) GL	UNE-EN ISO 10545-2: 1998	
		Water absorption	$\leq 0,5\%$	UNE-EN ISO 10545-3:1997
		Modulus of rupture and breaking strength	Minimum 35 N/mm <sup>2</sup> Individual Minimum 32 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	UNE-EN ISO 10545-4: 2012
		Crazing resistance	Comply	UNE-EN ISO 10545-11:1997
		Household products resistance	GA	UNE-EN ISO 10545-13:1998
	Chemical resistance	GHA	UNE-EN ISO 10545-13:1998	
	Stain resistance	5	UNE-EN ISO 10545-14:1998	
	Frost resistance	Pass	UNE-EN ISO 10545-12:1997	
	Non-slip value	Contempo, Timber, Concrete, Petra & Aura	R10 - CLASS 2 / DCOF >0,42	DIN 51130:2014 / ANSI A137.1:2012
		Calacatta	R9 - CLASS 2 / DCOF >0,42	
		Special pieces	No comply	
	Abrasive resistance	PEI 2: Petra Charcoal PEI 3: Aura, Concrete, Contempo, Petra Sand & Grey and Timber. PEI 4: Calacatta	UNE-EN ISO 10545-7:1999	

Modelo / Formato Model / Format			 KG LB		 M <sup>2</sup> FT <sup>2</sup>			 M <sup>2</sup> FT <sup>2</sup>		
	Tamaño (cm)	Size (in)	Piezas / Caja Pieces / Box	Kg / Caja	Lb/ box	m <sup>2</sup> / Caja	sq ft / Box	Cajas / Palet Boxes / Pallet	m <sup>2</sup> / Palet	sq ft / Pallet
Contempo Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Contempo Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Contempo Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Timber Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Timber Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Concrete Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Concrete Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Concrete Hexagon	20x23	8"x9"	10	6,51	14.35	0,350	3.77	120	42,00	452.40
Concrete Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Calacatta Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Calacatta Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Calacatta Hexagon	20x23	8"x9"	10	6,51	14.35	0,350	3.77	120	42,00	452.40
Calacatta Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Aura Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Aura Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Aura Hexagon	20x23	8"x9"	10	6,51	14.35	0,350	3.77	120	42,00	452.40
Aura Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Petra Strip	10x50	4"x20"	16	14,81	32.65	0,785	8.45	66	51,81	557.70
Petra Crayon	10x60	4"x24"	9	9,33	20.57	0,488	5.25	98	47,82	514.50
Petra Hexagon	20x23	8"x9"	10	6,51	14.35	0,350	3.77	120	42,00	452.40
Petra Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Mini Crayon	3,7x13,5	1.5"x5.3"	44	4,03	8.88	0,206	2.22	210	43,26	466.20
Accent	3,7x10	1.5"x4"	18	1,35	2.98	1,773 m	5.82 ft	735	1303,15 m	4,277.70 ft



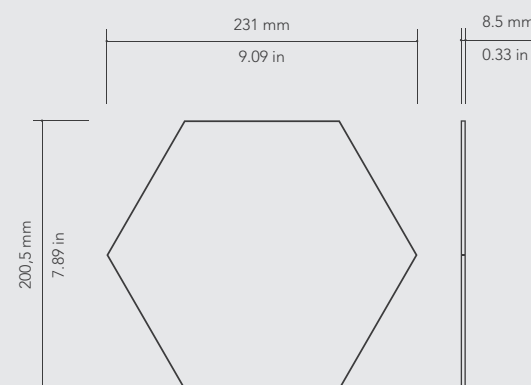
CRAYON



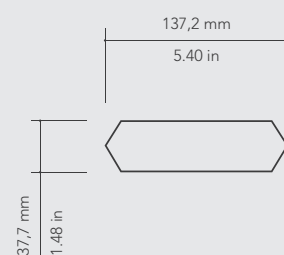
STRIP



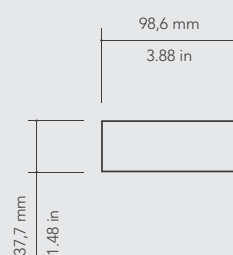
HEXAGON



MINI CRAYON



ACCENT



**WAREHOUSING**

In order to guarantee the characteristics of the finish the product must be kept in its original packaging until the time of fixing. If the product is likely to be stored for a long period of time it should be suitably covered.

**TILE FIXING**

To ensure porcelain earthenware floor tiles adhere correctly to the surface, it is essential to use specific adhesive and grouting material. This must also be suitable for the environment they will have to withstand. Fitting with traditional mortars does not ensure good adhesion.

All types of joints must be planned and carried out correctly: structural, perimeter, expansion and installation joints. Fitting tiles without joints is not advisable from any technical point of view as this may lead to various problems. We recommend a minimum installation joint of 2 mm (0 5/64 in).

**MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING**

Once the materials have been fitted, it is advisable to remove any remaining adhesive and grouting material by using a commercial descaling product designed especially for ceramic floor tiles, diluted with water. The descaling product must not remain in contact with the surface to be cleaned for more than 5 minutes. To check that the chosen cleaning product will not damage the paving, we recommend previously testing an area that is hidden or not easily seen, or testing a tile that has not been fitted.

As a general guideline, powder detergents should not be used, not wire wool or abrasive materials. Generally a sponge will be sufficient with warm water and liquid neutral soap. Then rinse with plenty of clean water.

**WARNING!**

No claims will be accepted after materials have been installed.



	CONTEMPO NATURAL	CONTEMPO OAK	CONTEMPO WALNUT	CONTEMPO ASH	TIMBER BROWN	TIMBER GREY	CONCRETE ASH GREY	CONCRETE LIGHT GREY	CALACATTA	PETRA SAND	PETRA GREY	PETRA CHARCOAL	AURA	ONIX	BEIGE/GREEN RAKU	BLUE RAKU
CONTEMPO NATURAL	♥		♥				♥								♥	
CONTEMPO OAK		♥					♥		♥			♥	♥		♥	
CONTEMPO WALNUT	♥		♥					♥							♥	
CONTEMPO ASH				♥					♥					♥		♥
TIMBER BROWN					♥		♥		♥	♥			♥		♥	
TIMBER GREY						♥		♥	♥			♥		♥		♥
CONCRETE ASH GREY	♥	♥			♥		♥	♥	♥			♥		♥		♥
CONCRETE LIGHT GREY			♥			♥	♥	♥				♥		♥		♥
CALACATTA		♥		♥	♥	♥	♥		♥	♥	♥	♥		♥		
PETRA SAND					♥				♥	♥						
PETRA GREY									♥		♥	♥		♥		
PETRA CHARCOAL		♥				♥	♥	♥	♥		♥	♥		♥		
AURA		♥			♥								♥		♥	
ONIX				♥		♥	♥	♥	♥		♥	♥		♥		
BEIGE/GREEN RAKU	♥	♥	♥		♥								♥		♥	
BLUE RAKU				♥		♥	♥	♥								♥

**\* This is just an example of the multiple combinations that you can create with Love Affairs, but there are many more!**





**CONTEMPO NATURAL**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONTEMPO NATURAL**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"



**CONTEMPO OAK**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONTEMPO OAK**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



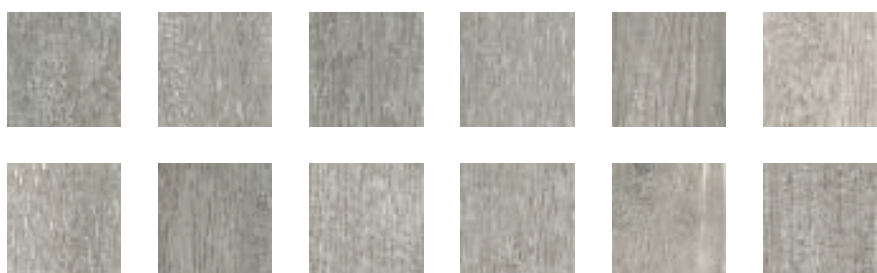
**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"



**CONTEMPO ASH**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONTEMPO ASH**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"



CONTEMPO WALNUT

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**CONTEMPO WALNUT**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONTEMPO WALNUT**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"




TIMBER GREY

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**TIMBER GREY**  
Tone Variation



 Strong chromatic variation

30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**TIMBER GREY**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"




TIMBER BROWN

TIMBER BROWN



**TIMBER BROWN**  
Tone Variation



 Strong chromatic variation

30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**TIMBER BROWN**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



CONCRETE LIGHT GREY

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**CONCRETE LIGHT GREY**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONCRETE LIGHT GREY**  
Available Shapes



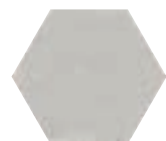
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**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"



**Hexagon**  
20x23 cm / 8"x9"



**CONCRETE ASH GREY**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CONCRETE ASH GREY**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



**Strip**  
10x50 cm / 4"x20"



**Mini Crayon**  
3,7x13,5 cm / 1.5"x5.3"

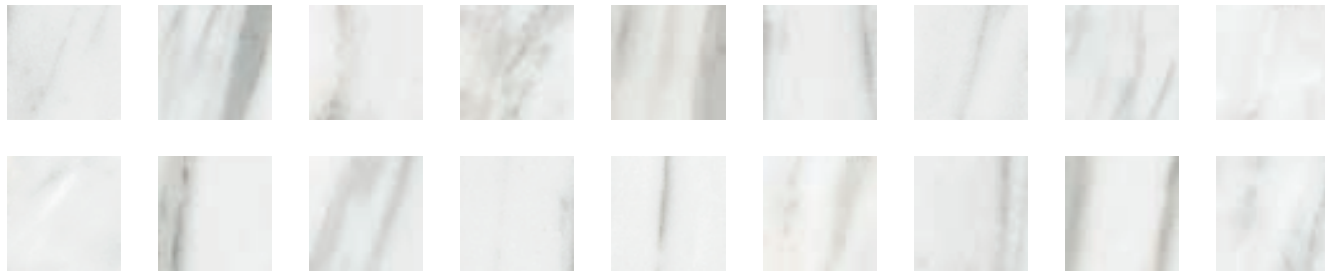


**Hexagon**  
20x23 cm / 8"x9"





**CALACATTA**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**CALACATTA**  
Available Shapes



PETRA SAND

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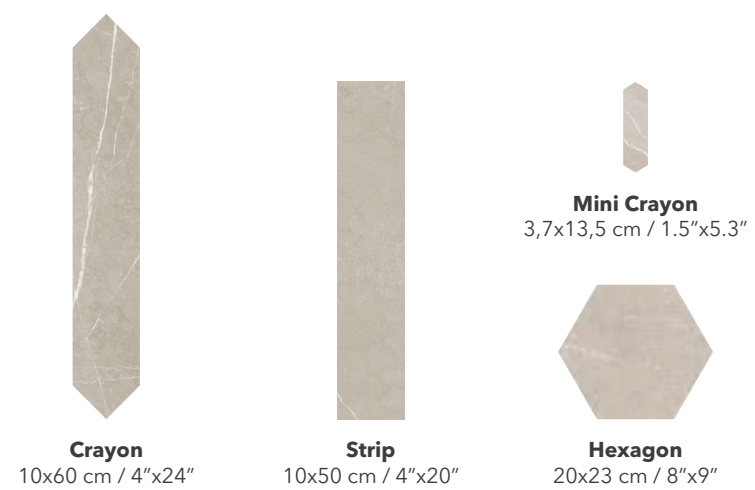


**PETRA SAND**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**PETRA SAND**  
Available Shapes





LET'S PLAY! / ¡JUGUEMOS!

**PETRA GREY**  
Tone Variation



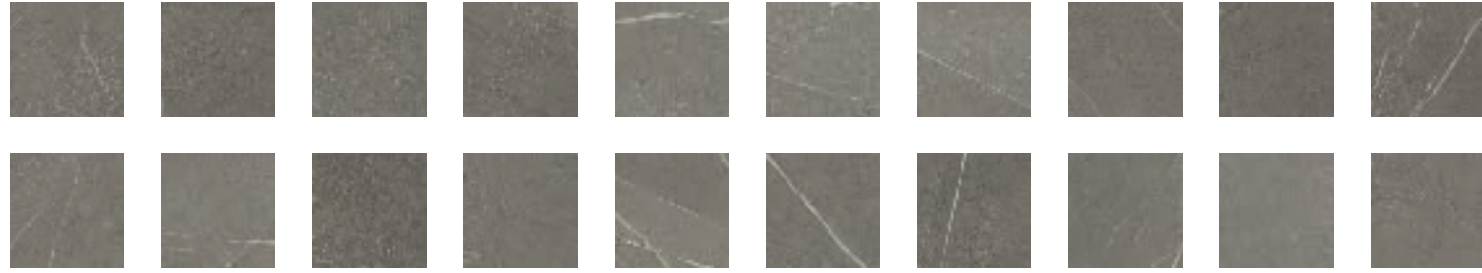
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**PETRA GREY**  
Available Shapes



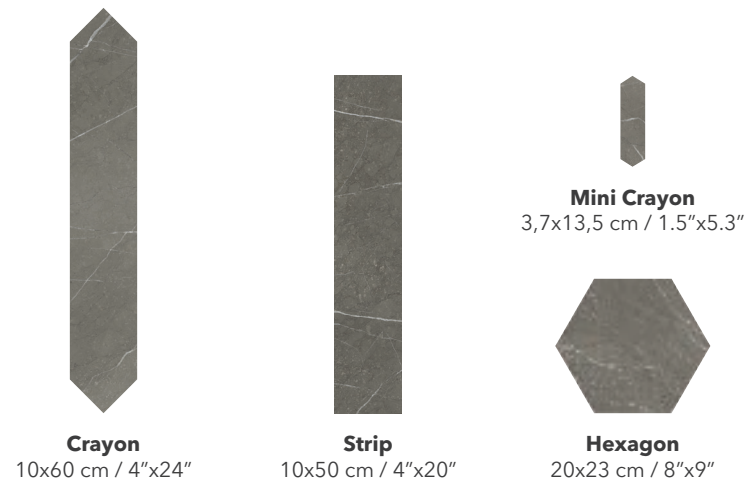


**PETRA CHARCOAL**  
Tone Variation



30 different shades randomly mixed within the box

**PETRA CHARCOAL**  
Available Shapes





**AURA**  
Tone Variation



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**AURA**  
Available Shapes



**Crayon**  
10x60 cm / 4"x24"



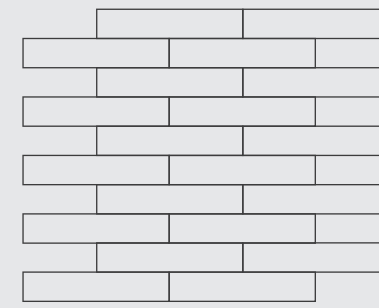
**Strip**  
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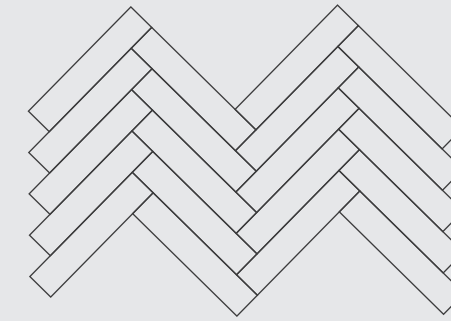
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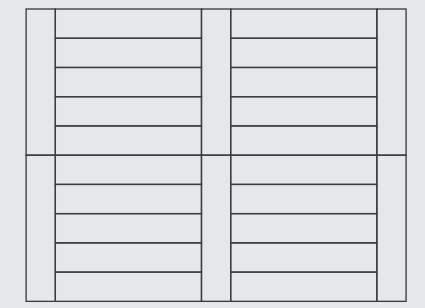
**Hexagon**  
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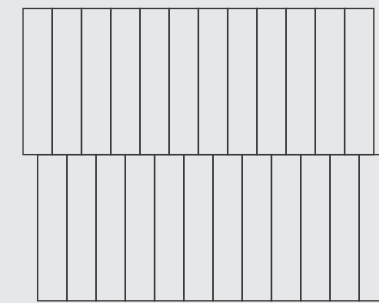
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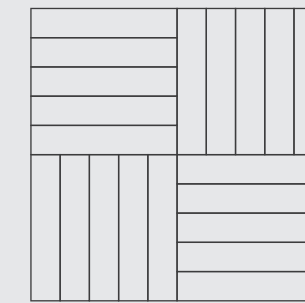
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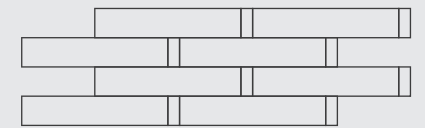
17% Strip (vertical) + 83% Strip (horizontal)



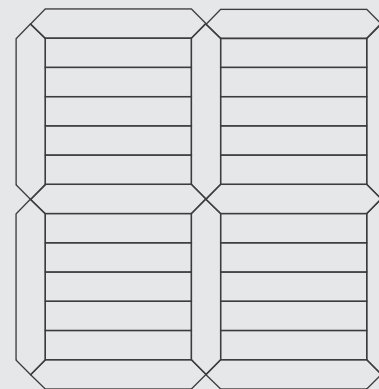
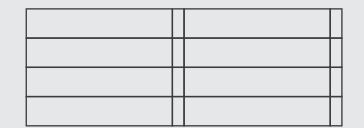
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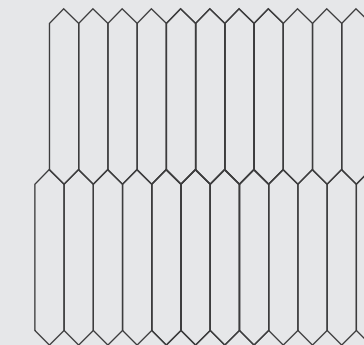
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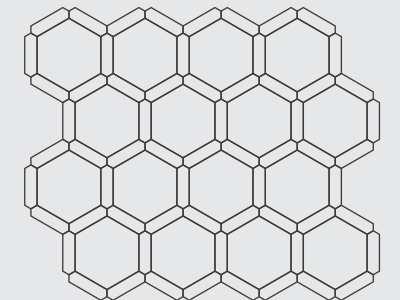
50% Strip + 50% Accent



30% Crayon + 70% Strip



Crayon



71% Hexagon + 29% Mini Crayon



## DESCRIPTION

Dare to fall in love with your surroundings through LOVE AFFAIRS' shapes, colors, finishes, and endless matching possibilities. Design floors and walls with woods, concrete, stones, and marble looks. LOVE AFFAIRS is available in four shapes and seventeen finishes.

## INSTALLATION & MAINTENANCE

LOVE AFFAIRS may be installed using standard porcelain tile installation methods and materials, as recommended by the Tile Council of North America (TCNA). An Architessa sales representative will advise you on general installation questions.

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

TYPE: GLAZED PORCELAIN

ORIGIN: SPAIN

EDGE: PRESSED

THICKNESS: 8.5MM

LOOK: CONCRETE/MARBLE/WOOD

SHADE VARIATION: V3 - MODERATE

SURFACE ABRASION: N/A

TRAFFIC RATING: HEAVY RESIDENTIAL &  
LIGHT COMMERCIAL

DCOF: >.42

WATER ABSORPTION:  $\leq$ 0.5%

STAIN RESISTANCE: CLASS 5

FROST RESISTANCE: YES

ENVIRONMENT: 62% RECYCLED CONTENT,  
EPD, LBC RED LIST FREE

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