

Authentic Spanish Mission Tile

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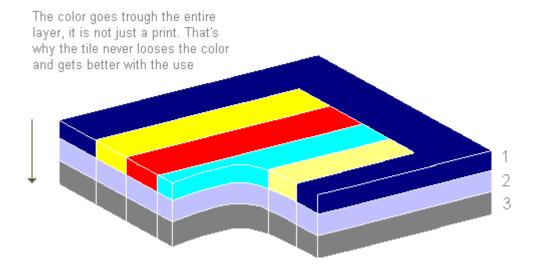
Technical Information

All of our tiles are built with **three layers** that can be seen in a crossection view.

The first layer. The wear layer or tile face is a mixture of highly resistant Portland white cement, powdered white marble and colorants. Wear resistance, color and brightness rely on the quality of this layer.

The second layer: It is a mortar made of fine sand and standard Portland gray cement. For tile manufacturing, this mortar is applied as a base and reinforces the first layer, providing the ability to withstand compression loads which some times may be high for the finished product.

The third layer. Is a porous mixture with the required thickness for impact strength before and after installation.



A good tile should be absolutely **compact & waterproof** which is accomplished by using mixtures rich in high quality cement, mechanically mixed and manufactured under high pressure. In addition, a thorough curing process is used.

This product is **100% hand crafted**, paying attention to individual design and color specifications.

The tile is not a pollutant because it is manufactured with **100% natural** materials.

The tile does not contain any lead, is not flammable and is 100% recyclable.

Tiles feel cool in hot weather places and are not slippery to the bare foot.

Tiles can be manufactured to any design, shape, size or color.

Coloring materials are all natural too.

Quality control is performed on an individual basis (piece by piece) not by production lot.

Applications

Tiles may be used to cover floors, walls, table tops, counter tops, swimming pools, facades, etc. either in-doors or outdoors.

Tiles may be designed to accommodate any architectural style such as Spanish colonial, Santa Fe, or Moorish, to name a few. However, any unique style requirements can be fulfilled.

Specifications

- Tile thickness: 0.64 in.

- Face or wear thickness: 0.12 to 0.16 in.

- Sizes: from 3 x 3, 4 x 4, 4 x 8, 6 x 6, 2 x 8, 8 x 8, 10 x 10, 6 x 12, 4 x 12, 12 x 12 to 16 x 16 in.

Finish options for wear face:

a) Smooth: in-door application.

b) Rough: outdoor and in-door applications.

c) Engraved: outdoor and in-door applications.

- Weights:

SIZE	WEIGHT/TILE	TILES / BOX
12 x 12 in.	7 lb.	5 pieces.
8 x 8 in.	3 lb.	10 pieces.

The tiles may suffer color tone changes due to marble nature which is not uniform. Care must be taken when using oils, greases or varnish as tiles may stain, should be protected by a layer of rubber, plastic, paper, resin or polyform. You should protect them with a special sealer if you are planning to install them outdoors directly in contact with the sunshine.









