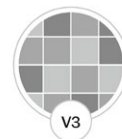


TORA BLUE

LIMESTONE - HONED

With a black-blue tone and plenty of small, speckled, off-white fossils, this material works beautifully with the opulent, smooth honed finish.



FORMAT (CM)

40 x 40 x 1.5

AVAILABILITY

Usually in stock

NOTES

Suitable for interior walls and floors, sealing required.
Bespoke options and large format slabs available.

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TECHNICAL DATA

Petrographic Analysis

A compact blue-grey limestone, of sedimentary origin, resulting from the accumulation of innumerable fossilised crinoid articles and fragments cemented into a mass of microcrystalline calcite. The stone also contains other fossils such as shells (including brachiopods), corals and bryozoans.

White veins and fine irregular black veins (stylolites) are spread over the surface.

The stone is a bioclastic, crinoid dominant limestone. It is a pack stone, sometimes grain stone (DUNHAM classification) or a biomicrite (FOLK classification). The average composition is 96 to 99% carbonates, 0 to 1% quartz, 0.2 to 0.5% iron salts (mainly sulphides) and 0.2 to 0.4% organic carbon.

TEST	STANDARD	RESULT
Apparent Density	BS EN 1936 : 2006	2687kg/m ³
Open Porosity	BS EN 1936 : 2006	0.36%
Water Absorption at Atmospheric Pressure	BS EN 13755 : 2008	0.28%
Flexural Strength (3 Point)	BS EN 12372 : 2006	16.7MPa
Abrasion Resistance	BS EN 14157 : 2004	18.8mm
Slip Resistance (Dry)	BS EN 14231 : 2003	PTV 44
Slip Resistance (Wet)	BS EN 14231 : 2003	PTV 21

✓ Suitable for use with underfloor heating

✓ Suitable for use in wet areas

For any further information or advice, please contact our team.

INSTALLATION, CARE & MAINTENANCE ADVICE

Please refer to the installation guides on our website.

PRODUCT NOTES

This product is prone to efflorescence. To avoid this, store in a dry area, and use rapid or semi-rapid set adhesive, such as our Sarsen Home Premium Semi-Rapid Adhesive.



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