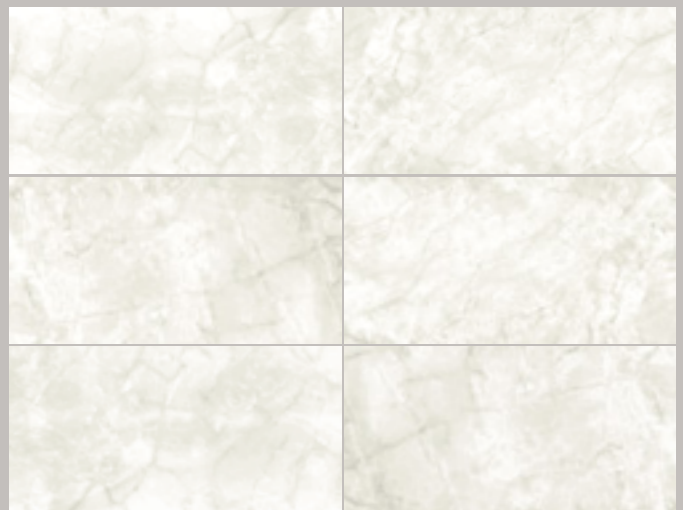# ALABASTRO

Alabastro offers two colors of light, white marble (or Alabaster) that hit the sweet spot by being neither too plain nor too busy. The overall look is soft and subtle, but the graphic also has impressive depth making it feel as though you can see through layers of alabaster stone. The Avorio color is perfect for the customer seeking a refined marble look in a warm, gold-based tone. The Bianco fits the customer who wants to stay more neutral, with its warm grey veining. With two finishes in two sizes in both colors, plus the 24 x 48 in polished only, this series can be used many ways and will add character to any project.

Avorio (CGAOAO)

Bianco (CGAOBO)

Colors are intended as a guide only and may vary from actual tile. Sizes listed are nominal. Please check samples before making final selection and to get actual dimensions for layout. See reverse side for additional product information.

Color   Avorio   CGAOAO (Ivory white with soft, gold tones)
              Bianco   CGAOBO (White with warm grey veining)

Sizes
(Rectified)

Natural Finish		Levigato Finish	
12 x 24	CGAO--N/1224	12 x 24	CGAO--L/1224
3 x 12	CGAO--N/312	3 x 12	CGAO--L/312
		24 x 48*	CGAO--L/2448
Mosaic			
2 x 2	CGAO--N/22		

*Due to the special packing required for the large format tiles, orders for the 24x48 size must be for full box quantities only & we are not able to fill orders on the same day as placed.

Trim

Natural Finish		Levigato Finish	
3 x 24 Surface Bullnose	CGAO--N/SBN	3 x 24 Surface Bullnose	CGAO--L/SBN

The surface bullnose is made from field tile that is cut, ground and reglazed.

2 x 2   CGAO--N/22

NON-STOCK SIZES: FOR PROJECTS THAT MEET MINIMUM QUANTITIES
Non-Stock items are subject to minimum order quantities and should be confirmed at time of order.

	Natural Finish	Levigato Finish
12 x 12	CGAO--N/1212	CGAO--L/1212
24 x 24	CGAO--N/2424	CGAO--L/2424

Installation

Most Italian manufacturers recommend a maximum offset of 8" (20cm) on all large format tiles when setting a running bond. Please refer to ANSI requirements for setting large format tiles, ANSI A 108.2 Section 4.3.8. Using a leveling system can improve the installation of this product.

Usage

Alabastro Natural finish is suitable for residential and light to moderate commercial use. The Levigato finish is suitable for walls and for residential and light commercial floors that do not require DCOF.

Levigato Cleaning and Maintenance:

As with all glossy material, the polished surface is susceptible to scratching during installation and use, and extra care should be taken when handling the material. Polished material can be etched with acids. The Levigato finish has a protective sealer applied on the production line. In any case, it is strongly recommended to apply extra protection by using FILA PD15 or something similar. A polished floor should be washed with normal, domestic use, NEUTRAL pH detergents and plenty of warm water in order to maintain its natural shine. Beware of products that say no rinsing is necessary, as detergents should always be completely rinsed off a polished floor. Avoid non-neutral detergents, solvents, abrasive or acid-based products.

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Physical Properties	Norms	Value
Water Absorption	10545-3	Conforms
Frost Resistance	10545-12	Resistant
Bending Strength	10545-4	Conforms
Slip Resistance	DIN51130	R9 (Natural finish)
Dynamic Coefficient of Friction (DCOF)	ANSI A 137.1 BOT 3000	Wet ≥ 0.42 (Natural finish)

The Dynamic Coefficient of Friction is a general guide only. Testing may vary with different production runs and with different testing labs. As noted in the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) the coefficient of friction varies considerably due to facts not under the control of entities such as the manufacturers and distributors. These factors include, but are not limited to, contaminants, slope of terrain, drainage conditions, adjacent surfaces, etc. Suitability for any installation can only be determined by a site examination of all conditions that could affect the slip resistance of the tile being installed. Continual cleaning and maintenance must be performed once the tile has been installed.

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