

The Science of Granite

- ▶ Granite was formed billions of years ago as a result of heating and cooling. Volcanoes and intense heat liquefied the rock deep in the earth (molten magma). Then it cooled and solidified into very strong, beautiful granite all over the world and in a vast array of colors and patterns.
- ► Granite varies in color from slab to slab and from the color pattern of a sample you may have seen, and in some instances, will vary in the same piece. This character and uniqueness to each individual slab assures a one of a kind countertop.
- ► A component of the color and pattern of granite are pits and fissures. These natural pits and fissures are filled with resins to improve the strength and appearance of the stones with these characteristics.

Milano Quality

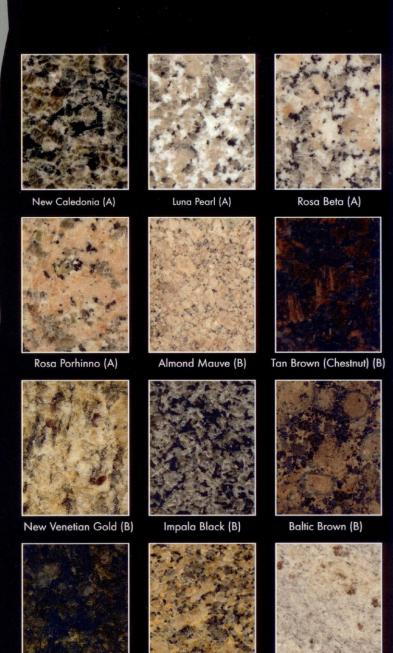
- ▶ There are many grades of natural stone extracted from the world's quarries. 1" Quality (The best material available), 2"d Quality (Minor imperfections and undesirable veins) and Commercial Quality (Imperfections not typical of the material).
- ▶ For each 1st Quality block extracted from the quarry there are many more 2nd Quality and Commercial Quality blocks quarried depending on the material. The 2nd Quality and Commercial Quality blocks, when produced into slabs, are sold at significant discount.
- ► To offer better prices, many fabricators work only with 2nd Quality materials. Don't be afraid to ask questions about the stone you choose.

Stone Selection

The MILANO Series of Select Natural Stone ensures your selection will be 1st Quality material. We work closely with our suppliers and the quarries and even employ our own inspectors to ensure that we receive only the best material available. The slabs are handled under the strictest quality processing techniques available.

Our Team

MILANO SELECT NATURAL STONES distinction is owed to our team's ability to consistently exceed our client's expectations. Your trust and confidence will grow when you work with one of the most innovative, talented and technologically advanced teams ever assembled in the stone industry.





Verde Ubatuba (B)

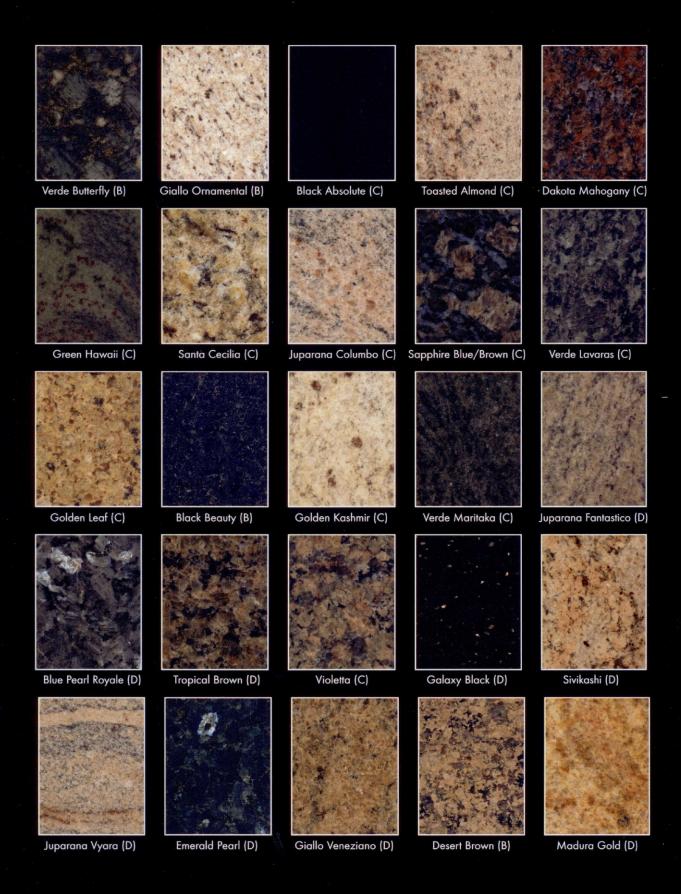
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Other granite colors not listed here are available. Please contact us for more information.

Kashmir White (B)

Carioca Gold (B)

Granite is a product of nature. The colors are subject to slight variations in color and pattern. Colors represented in this printed brochure may vary slightly from actual product. Color Palette subject to change.



EDGE OPTIONS

