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**WHOLESALE**

# **PRICE LIST**

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<b>TM HIMALAYAN SANDSTONE (DOVE)</b> <b>NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE</b> <b>(EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX.</b> <b>CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE</b> <b>(IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TILE</b> <b>(IN BOXES)</b>	<b>600x300mm SE (15mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$30.95/M2</b>	<b>20.70M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TILE</b>	<b>600x600mm SE (15mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$32.95/M2</b>	<b>22.18M2</b>
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$8.00/PCE</b>	<b>94PCS</b>
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>300x350mm SE (35mm‡)</b>	<b>\$9.00/PCE</b>	<b>115PCS</b>
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>600x350mm SE (35mm‡)</b>	<b>\$16.90/PCE</b>	<b>56PCS</b>
<b>BULLNOSE</b> <b>(REBATED)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE REBATED</b> <b>(35mm‡ Front, 20mm‡ Back)</b>	<b>\$12.75/PCE</b>	<b>80PCS</b>
<b>DOUBLE</b> <b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>500x500mm SE (30mm‡)</b> (BULLNOSING ON OPPOSITE SIDES)	<b>\$21.85/PCE</b>	<b>56PCS</b>
<b>PAVER</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (40mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$49.10/M2</b>	<b>8.21M2</b>
<b>PAVER</b> <b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (40mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$12.50/PCE</b>	<b>48PCS</b>
<b>RANDOM</b>	<b>20mm‡ CALIBRATED</b> <b>RANDOM SHAPES/SIZES</b>	<b>\$35.00/M2</b>	<b>25M2</b> (VERY APPROX.)
<b>TM HIMALAYAN SANDSTONE (DOVE)</b> <b>HONED FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE</b> <b>(EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX.</b> <b>CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (HONED)</b> <b>(IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡)</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$41.85/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>BULLNOSE</b> <b>(HONED)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$9.55/PCE</b>	<b>94PCS</b>
<b>TM DAVALI MULTICOLOUR SLATE</b> <b>NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE</b> <b>(EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX.</b> <b>CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE</b>	<b>305x205mm CE</b> (CHIPPED EDGE)	<b>\$9.95/M2</b>	<b>48.34M2</b>
<b>TILE</b>	<b>380x190mm CE</b> (CHIPPED EDGE)	<b>\$9.95/M2</b>	<b>37.21M2</b>
<b>TILE</b>	<b>300x300mm CE</b> (CHIPPED EDGE)	<b>\$11.50/M2</b>	<b>67.97M2</b>
<b>TILE</b>	<b>405x280mm CE</b> (CHIPPED EDGE)	<b>\$11.50/M2</b>	<b>52.63M2</b>
<b>TILE</b> <b>(IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡)</b> <b>CALIBRATED</b> (UNIFORM THICKNESS)	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>RANDOM</b>	<b>20mm‡ CALIBRATED</b> <b>RANDOM SHAPES/SIZES</b>	<b>\$35.00/M2</b>	<b>25M2</b> (VERY APPROX.)

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<b>TM SANJANI SLATE NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM SANJANI SLATE HONED FINISH *NEW*</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (HONED) (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$35.90/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM V-JAY GOLD SLATE NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM V-JAY GOLD SLATE HONED FINISH *NEW*</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (HONED) (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$35.90/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM INDIAN SEAGREEN/MULTIGREEN SLATE NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$8.75/PCE</b>	<b>94PCS</b>
<b>TM INDIAN SEAGREEN/MULTIGREEN SLATE HONED FINISH *NEW*</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (HONED) (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$35.90/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM HYDRA LIMESTONE NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>17.07M2</b> (26CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$8.00/PCE</b>	<b>94PCS</b>
<b>RANDOM</b>	<b>20mm‡ CALIBRATED RANDOM SHAPES/SIZES</b>	<b>\$35.00/M2</b>	<b>25M2</b> (VERY APPROX.)
<b>TM HYDRA LIMESTONE HONED FINISH *NEW*</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE HONED (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$35.90/M2</b>	<b>17.07M2</b> (26CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>TM INDIAN MING MULTICOLOUR SLATE NATURAL FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$29.95/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$8.75/PCE</b>	<b>94PCS</b>
<b>TM INDIAN MING MULTICOLOUR SLATE HONED FINISH *NEW*</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE HONED (IN BOXES)</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡) CALIBRATED (UNIFORM THICKNESS)</b>	<b>\$35.90/M2</b>	<b>18.39M2</b> (28CTNS @ 4PCS/CTN)

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<b>TM PLATINUM GRANITE FLAMED FINISH</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. CRATE SIZE</b>
<b>TILE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (15mm‡)</b>	<b>\$39.95/M2</b>	<b>30M2</b>
<b>BULLNOSE</b>	<b>400x400mm SE (20mm‡)</b>	<b>\$9.00/PCE</b>	<b>180PCS</b>

**\*\*OTHER SLATE SIZES/FINISHES ARE AVAILABLE “MADE TO ORDER”\*\***

**\*\*ADHESIVES & GROUTS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST\*\***

<b>SPECIALTY WHITE WALL TILES</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>SQM/CTN SQM/PALLET</b>
<b>SN2010WH</b>	<b>200x100mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$14.95/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 84M2</b>
<b>SN2010WH/BE</b>	<b>200x100mm GLOSS WHITE BEVEL</b>	<b>\$22.90/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>
<b>CH3010WH</b>	<b>300x100mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$13.90/M2</b>	<b>1.2M2 64M2</b>
<b>CH2020WH</b>	<b>200x200mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$10.50/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>
<b>CH2020WH/W</b>	<b>200x200mm GLOSS WHITE WAVY</b>	<b>\$10.50/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>
<b>TH3020WH</b>	<b>300x200mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$11.95/M2</b>	<b>1.5M2 96M2</b>
<b>CH6030WH/C</b>	<b>300x600mm GLOSS WHITE CUSHIONED EDGE</b>	<b>\$12.50/M2</b>	<b>1.44M2 57.6M2</b>
<b>CH6030WH/R</b>	<b>300x600mm GLOSS WHITE RECTIFIED EDGE</b>	<b>\$11.90/M2</b>	<b>1.44M2 69.12M2</b>
<b>SN1515WH</b>	<b>150x150mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$19.90/M2</b>	<b>1.5M2 96M2</b>
<b>SN1515WH/BE</b>	<b>150x150mm GLOSS WHITE BEVEL</b>	<b>\$22.60/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 105M2</b>
<b>SN1575WH</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS WHITE PLAIN</b>	<b>\$21.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SN1575WH/BE</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS WHITE BEVEL</b>	<b>\$23.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SPECIALTY CREAM WALL TILES</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>SQM/CTN SQM/PALLET</b>
<b>SN1575CR</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS CREAM PLAIN</b>	<b>\$23.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SN1575CR/BE</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS CREAM BEVEL</b>	<b>\$25.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SN1515CR</b>	<b>150x150mm GLOSS CREAM PLAIN</b>	<b>\$22.60/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 105M2</b>
<b>SN1515CR/BE</b>	<b>150x150mm GLOSS CREAM BEVEL</b>	<b>\$24.60/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 105M2</b>
<b>SN2010CR</b>	<b>200x100mm GLOSS CREAM PLAIN</b>	<b>\$19.90/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>
<b>SN2010CR/BE</b>	<b>200x100mm GLOSS CREAM BEVEL</b>	<b>\$23.90/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>

<b>SPECIALTY BLACK WALL TILES</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>SQM/CTN SQM/PALLET</b>
<b>SN1575BL</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS BLACK PLAIN</b>	<b>\$23.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SN1575BL/BE</b>	<b>150x75mm GLOSS BLACK BEVEL</b>	<b>\$25.90/M2</b>	<b>0.5M2 90M2</b>
<b>SN1515BL/BE</b>	<b>150x150mm GLOSS BLACK BEVEL</b>	<b>\$24.60/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 105M2</b>
<b>SN2010BL/BE</b>	<b>200x100mm GLOSS BLACK BEVEL</b>	<b>\$26.90/M2</b>	<b>1.0M2 100M2</b>
<b>HEXAGONAL MOSAIC TILES</b>		<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>SQM/CTN</b>
<b>HX22GW</b>	<b>22x25mm GLOSS WHITE HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$46.30/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX22MW</b>	<b>22x25mm MATT WHITE HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$46.30/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX22GB</b>	<b>22x25mm GLOSS BLACK HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$48.50/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX22MB</b>	<b>22x25mm MATT BLACK HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$48.50/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX51GW</b>	<b>51x59mm GLOSS WHITE HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$47.30/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.8349SQM</b>
<b>HX51MW</b>	<b>51x59mm MATT WHITE HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$47.30/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.8349SQM</b>
<b>HX51GB</b>	<b>51x59mm GLOSS BLACK HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$49.50/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.8349SQM</b>
<b>HX51MB</b>	<b>51x59mm MATT BLACK HEXAGON</b>	<b>\$49.50/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.8349SQM</b>
<b>HX22UGP</b>	<b>22x25mm PARCHMENT UNGLAZED</b>	<b>\$47.30/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX22UGC</b>	<b>22x25mm CHARCOAL UNGLAZED</b>	<b>\$49.50/M2</b>	<b>20SHTS 1.5625SQM</b>
<b>HX30CAH</b>	<b>30x34mm CARRARA HONED FINISH</b>	<b>\$158.50/M2</b>	<b>18SHTS 1.461SQM</b>

**Use Sureseal aerosol grout sealant to protect all wall & floor grout lines.  
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<b>AQUA MIX SEALERS (NATURAL FINISH)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>.946LTR PENETRATING SEALER</b>	<b>\$26.35</b>	<b>6-18M2</b>
<b>3.785LTR PENETRATING SEALER</b>	<b>\$78.70</b>	<b>24-72M2</b>
<b>19LTR PENETRATING SEALER</b>	<b>\$354.05</b>	<b>120-360M2</b>
<b>.946LTR SEALER'S CHOICE GOLD</b>	<b>\$89.85</b>	<b>6-16M2</b>
<b>3.785LTR SEALER'S CHOICE GOLD</b>	<b>\$274.20</b>	<b>24-72M2</b>
<b>AQUA MIX SEALERS (ENHANCED FINISH)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>.473LTR ENRICH 'N' SEAL</b>	<b>\$70.60</b>	<b>3-10M2</b>
<b>.946LTR ENRICH 'N' SEAL</b>	<b>\$114.90</b>	<b>6-20M2</b>
<b>3.785LTR ENRICH 'N' SEAL</b>	<b>\$358.45</b>	<b>24-80M2</b>
<b>.946LTR SEAL &amp; FINISH LOW SHEEN</b>	<b>\$34.75</b>	<b>7-23M2</b>
<b>3.785LTR SEAL &amp; FINISH LOW SHEEN</b>	<b>\$105.15</b>	<b>28-93M2</b>
<b>.946LTR FLOOR SHINE &amp; HARDENER</b>	<b>\$24.15</b>	<b>18-23M2</b>
<b>3.785LTR FLOOR SHINE &amp; HARDENER</b>	<b>\$68.70</b>	<b>74-93M2</b>

<b>TASMAN SEALERS (GLOSS FINISH)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>01LTR SLATE SEAL GLOSS</b>	<b>\$22.85</b>	<b>8-10M2</b>
<b>04LTR SLATE SEAL GLOSS</b>	<b>\$75.60</b>	<b>32-40M2</b>
<b>10LTR SLATE SEAL GLOSS</b>	<b>\$172.75</b>	<b>80-100M2</b>
<b>20LTR SLATE SEAL GLOSS</b>	<b>\$293.65</b>	<b>160-200M2</b>
<b>TASMAN SEALERS (NATURAL FINISH)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>01LTR HERITAGE SEAL</b>	<b>\$29.90</b>	<b>15-25M2</b>
<b>04LTR HERITAGE SEAL</b>	<b>\$109.80</b>	<b>60-100M2</b>
<b>10LTR HERITAGE SEAL</b>	<b>\$241.05</b>	<b>150-250M2</b>
<b>20LTR HERITAGE SEAL</b>	<b>\$463.05</b>	<b>300-500M2</b>
<b>PHOSPHORIC GROUT HAZE CLEANER</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>01LTR PHOSPHORIC CLEANER</b>	<b>\$21.80</b>	<b>10-30M2</b>
<b>04LTR PHOSPHORIC CLEANER</b>	<b>\$49.70</b>	<b>40-120M2</b>
<b>19LTR PHOSPHORIC CLEANER</b>	<b>\$194.30</b>	<b>190-570M2</b>
<b>SURESEAL GROUT SEALER</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	<b>APPROX. COVERAGE</b>
<b>300g SURE SEAL AEROSOL GROUT SEALER</b>	<b>\$16.50</b>	<b>UP TO 500 Lineal Metres</b>
<b>LAMBSWOOL APPLICATOR (ON HANDLE)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	
<b>24CM WIDE LAMBSWOOL APPLICATOR</b>	<b>\$26.10</b>	
<b>SOLVENT (APPLICATOR CLEANER)</b>	<b>PRICE (EX GST)</b>	
<b>01LTR SOLVENT</b>	<b>\$19.80</b>	
<b>04LTR SOLVENT</b>	<b>\$49.35</b>	

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**\*\*DO NOT USE HYDROCHLORIC ACID TO CLEAN NATURAL STONE & TILES\*\***

**\*\*KEEP NATURAL STONE PROPERLY SEALED AT ALL TIMES -- INCLUDING ANY BULLNOSED OR EXPOSED EDGES -- USING A SUITABLE SEALER. AS A RULE-OF THUMB, WHEN WATER NO LONGER BEADS ON THE SURFACE OF STONE IT THEN REQUIRES RE-SEALING. STONE LAID IN SPACES SUBJECT TO RAINFALL, WATER SATURATION AND/OR RISING DAMP (EG: OUTDOOR & POOL AREAS, SHOWER RECESSES) MUST BE TREATED WITH A SEALER WHICH ALLOWS MOISTURE-VAPOUR TRANSMISSION. STONE MUST HAVE AN EFFECTIVE, WORKING SEALER BARRIER PRESENT AT ALL TIMES TO BE PROPERLY PROTECTED\*\***

**\*\*ALWAYS WORK SAFELY WHEN CUTTING TILES & NATURAL STONE AND USE APPROPRIATE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE GEAR\*\***

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## UNDERSTANDING NATURAL STONE

### Q. What is natural stone?

A. Slate, granite, quartzite & marble are all examples of natural stones which are obtained from a quarry or mine, and are produced in a number of countries around the world. Natural stone is removed from the earth and cut to the required sizes (normally square & rectangular tiles & pavers) with minimal processing compared to kiln-fired/man-made materials.

### Q. What colour tones are natural stones available in?

A. Being quarried from the earth, natural stones are available in a multitude of colours. Refer to your price list for the full current range of colours.

### Q. Where can I use natural stone?

A. Most natural stones are very hardwearing and can be used both internally and externally on floors and walls. For example, areas such as: living rooms, entertainment areas, verandahs, swimming pool surrounds, kitchen splashbacks & feature walls can all be installed with natural stone. In many cases, you can select a single variety of stone to flow from internal areas to external areas without needing to change variety.

### Q. Is natural stone slippery?

A. Many varieties of natural stone are a "split-quarried" material, which means they have a unique surface texture on every piece which helps give slip-resistance. This can make them ideal for outdoor areas.

### Q. Is natural stone uniform in thickness or does it vary?

A. The majority of natural stone is processed to relatively uniform thicknesses by either a "calibration" or "block-sawing" machining process. Most calibrated & block-sawn natural stones are packed in boxes (similar to ceramic tiles) for ease of handling. Hand-cut (non-machined) slate is the only variety of natural stone which varies in thickness & edge-finish and is packed loose in wooden crates.

### Q. How is natural stone laid?

A. Laying natural stone is very similar to laying ceramic tiles. Identical ceramic tile adhesives and grouts are used in the fixing process, and due to the rustic nature of natural stone, it is a very easily-laid material. Many do-it-yourself tilers with little or no tiling experience are successful at laying natural stone in their own home.

### Q. Do I need to seal my natural stone and how do I maintain it?

A. Natural stone is sealed in all installations. There are two main types of sealers: "coating" and "penetrating" sealers. Coating sealers are used only internally and give a colour-enhancing "wet look" to your stone. Penetrating sealers are used both internally & externally and do not colour-enhance or change the appearance of the stone and they maintain the natural "dry look" of the stone. During installation, natural stone is usually sealed prior to grouting. Sealers will need to be rejuvenated at future intervals depending on the amount of surface traffic on the stone. As a rule of thumb, when water no longer beads on the surface of stone it then requires re-sealing. Regular mopping, sweeping & vacuuming is recommended at intervals to keep your natural stone looking good. Hydrochloric acid should never be used in the cleaning of natural stone.

There are so many advantages in selecting a natural stone for your next tiling or paving project. Natural stone is an organic material with timeless appeal, has excellent thermal properties for energy-efficient homes, and is able to be approximately-matched for future add-on work to existing installations in years to come.