



# MADE \* \* \* IN USA DESIGNED \* \* IN ITALY

# FOUNDRY26

METAL LOOK

# CREATIVE REFLECTIONS.

The character of the metal-effect porcelain stoneware creates unique and unexpected everyday ambiances.

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# MADE IN USA

# CAESAR USA

# 1997 NEW JERSEY\_Eatontown 1988 Establishment of Caesar USA inc. and logistic hub CALIFORNIA\_ First export to the USA by 2004 FLORIDA\_Pompano Beach 2011 2013 CANADA\_Toronto CALIFORNIA\_Santa Fe Springs Logistic hub Sales office 2016 INTRODUCING MADE IN USA PRODUCTS The USA have always represented a priority market for Caesar, since its foundation in 1988. Starting in 1997, the company has a branch office and a warehouse located in New Jersey (Eatontown) company owned Caesar USA Inc. Over the years, Caesar's service in the USA has increased in a capillary way with the opening of new **logistic hubs** in Florida and California. This path goes on in 2016 with the local production of porcelain collections dedicated to the American market. These products are manufactured in the **brand-new** plant located in Tennessee (MT Pleasant) owned by Gruppo Concorde, which Caesar

# **DESIGNED IN ITALY**

is part of.

The materials, specifically thought for the American market are **designed in Italy** thanks to the **unique know-how** that the company has developed over years of activity.

### **MADE IN USA**

The industrial production is in the USA offering considerable logistic advantages to the entire distribution network.

# ADVANTAGES



# **Created for the USA market**

Exclusive products and collections designed to meet the needs of American consumers.



### **Avant-garde technology**

Modern and state of the art production sites: maximum quality, efficiency, care of the workers and of the environment.



# Top logistic and service

Market presence, quick distribution, improved customer service.



# Style, Design, trend

The Italian ceramic tradition interprets American taste to create products featuring unique appeal and certified reliability.



# A broad range

The made in the USA products enrich the broad range of Caesar Made in Italy products, with more than 2400 items, 240 colors and more than 30 sizes.

Thanks to the strategy **Designed in Italy Made in USA**, Caesar offers doubles the advantages offered to American clients.

- \_ On one hand, the style and technical avant-garde of a design developed by Caesar in Italy.
- \_ On the other hand, the logistic and commercial advantages of a made in the USA product.

# PORCELAIN STONEWARE

# SIZES





RECTIFIED

# COLORS

FOUNDRY26 enriches every style with the beauty of metal by giving it unusual reflections.

Technology makes the aesthetic of metal usable in a multitude of situations.

By freeing the matter from a myriad of uncertainties, a personality that merges harmony and design is left behind, blending in with any furnishing item.

The various shades make the possible combinations a veritable game of creativity.







ALLOY



OXIDE



INSPIRATION



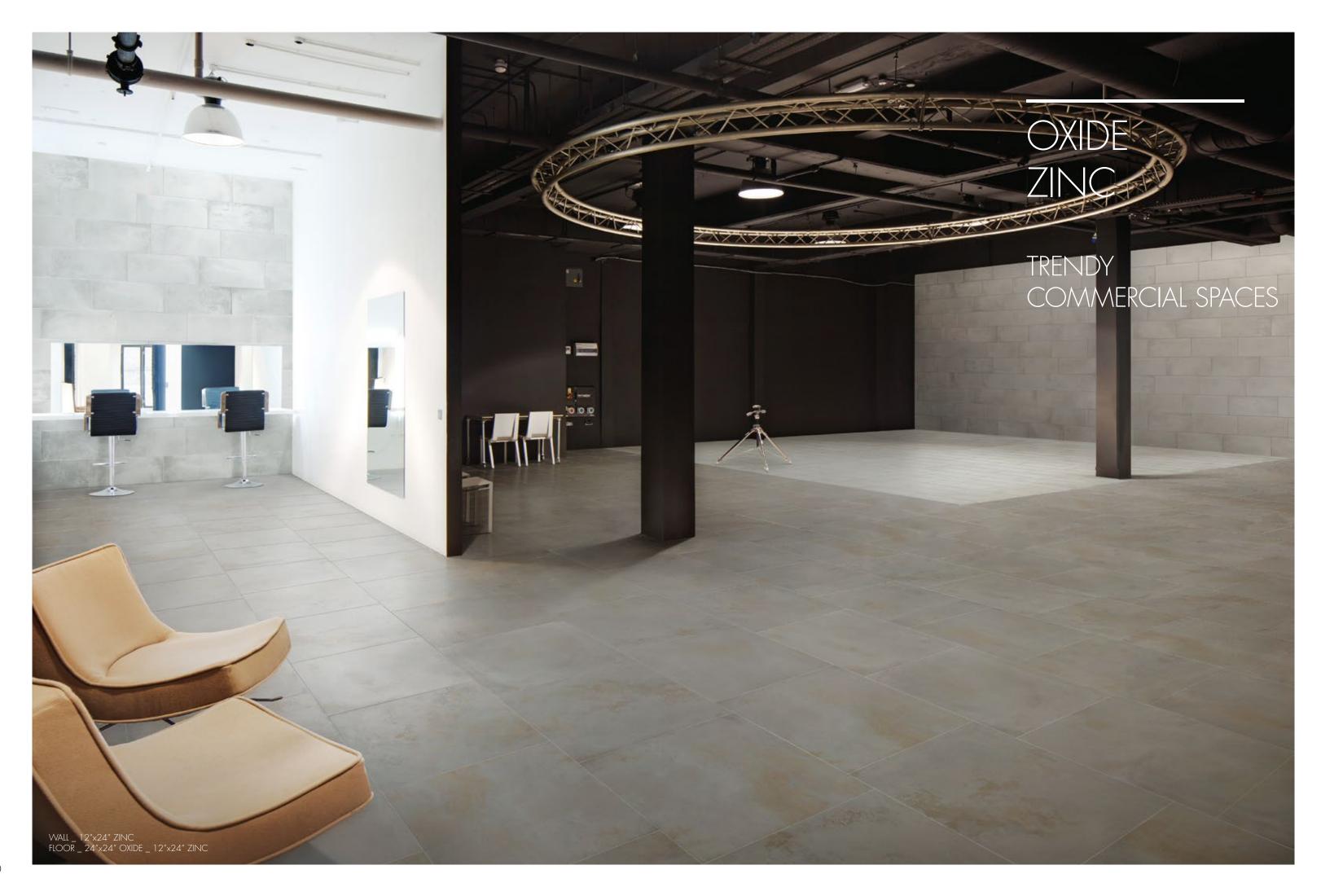
# OXIDE RAIL

The new metal effect porcelain stoneware interprets the latest aesthetic trends, for those who wish for a singular floor rich in personality.





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# OXIDE ZINC

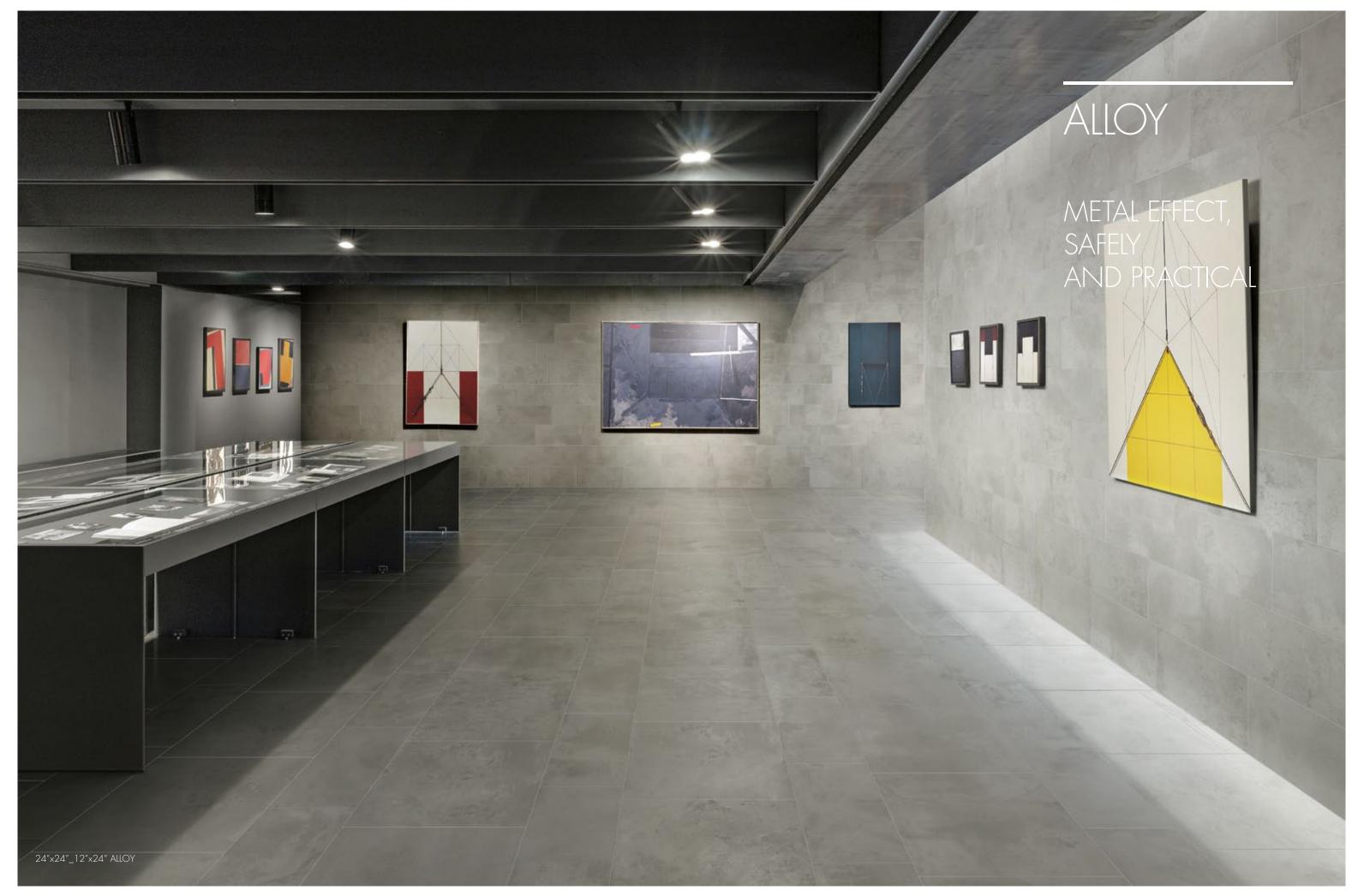


The interior design of modern commercial spaces finds a fundamental component in this flooring with bold character.



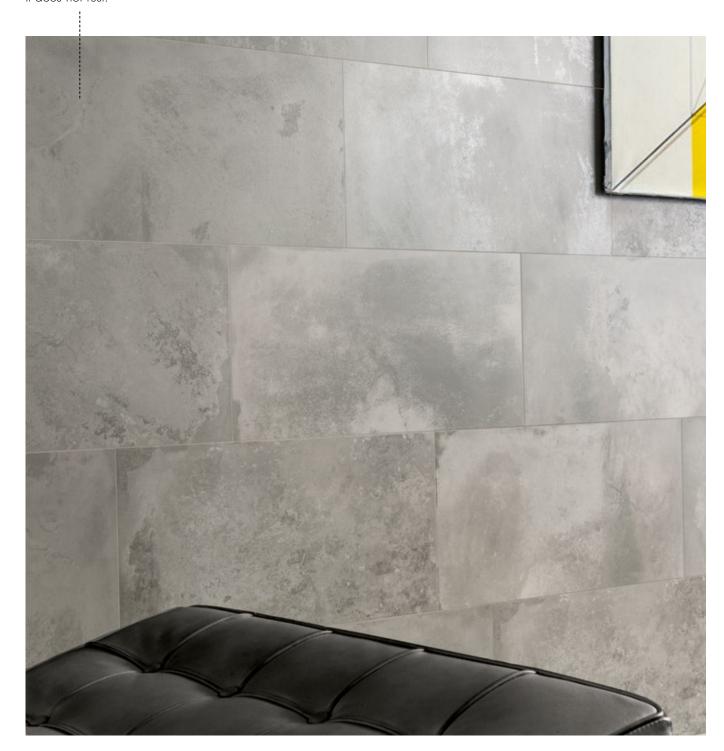


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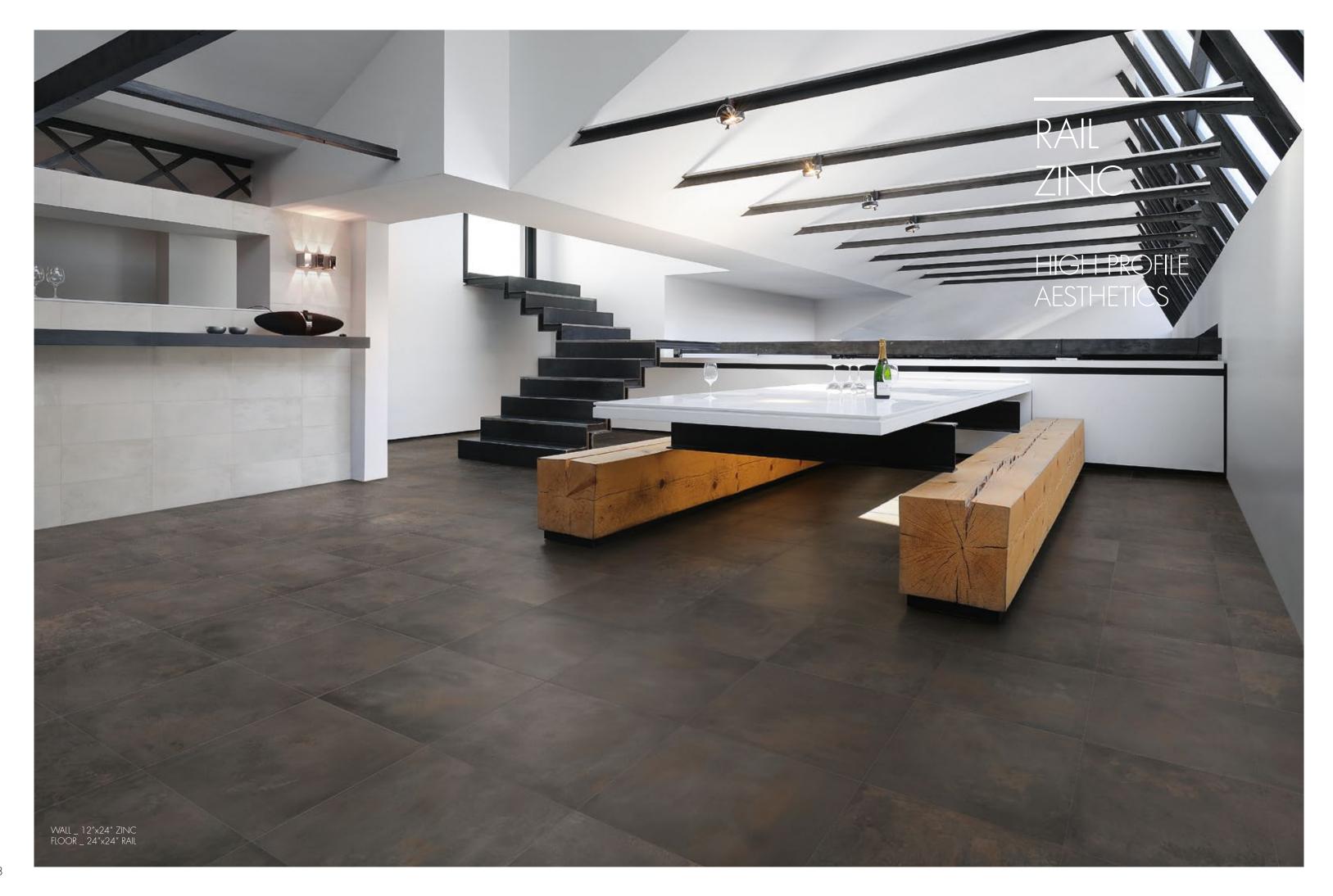
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Foundry26 offers the metal matter-like feel together with the easy installation and maintenance of porcelain stoneware. It does not rust.

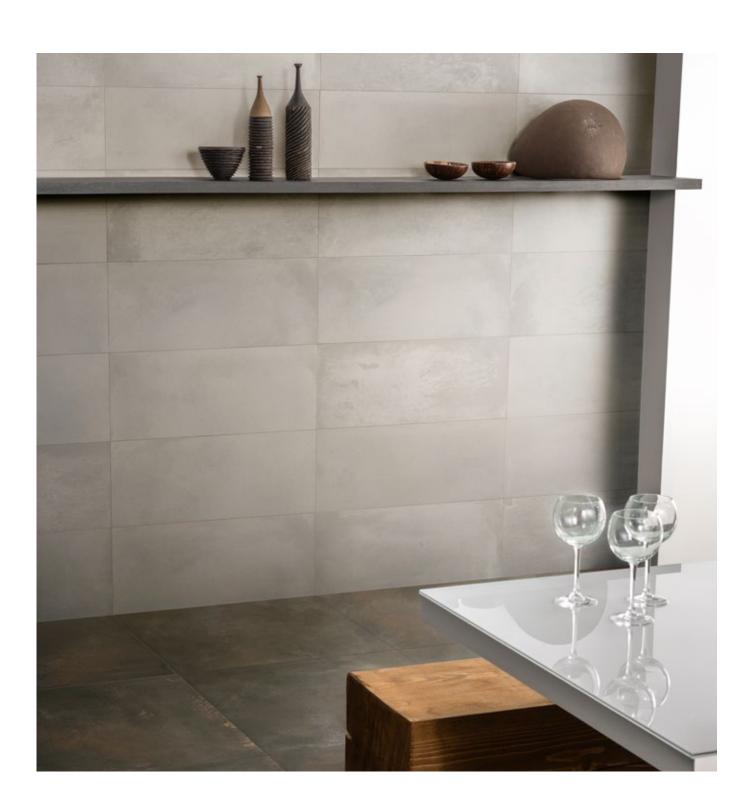




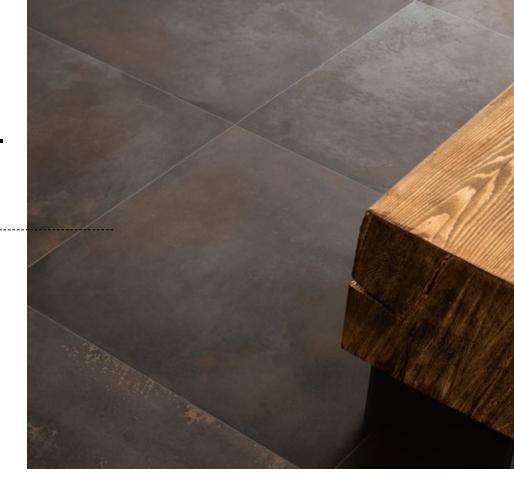
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# RAIL ZINC



The Foundry26 range offers 4 modern colors, designed to tone in with all the materials preferred today for use in architecture and interior design.































12"x24"

DECORS

Composizione M



12"x12"\_Tozzetto size 2"x 2"



TRIMS

3"x24"\_Bullnose



6"x12"\_Covebase

























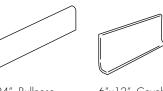
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12"x24"























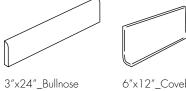
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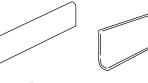
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### COLORED-BODY PORCELAIN TILES - RECTIFIED

Colored-body porcelain stoneware tiles are produced minimizing the color difference between the glaze and the body. Nevertheless, the design is visible only on the surface.



























3"x24" 6"x12" 12"x24" Bullnose Covebase 305x610 MM Zinc Oxide Rail Alloy

Matt / rectified one caliber

# PACKAGING

INCHES	MM	PCS	SURFACE (SQF)	SURFACE (SQM)	WEIGTH (LBS)	WEIGTH (KG)	BOXES	SURFACE (SQF)	SURFACE (SQM)	WEIGTH (LBS)	WEIGTH (KG)
24"x24"	610x610	3	11,62	1,08	~47,62	~21,6	40	464,8	43,2	~1904,8	~864
12"x24"	305x610	7	13,56	1,26	~55,55	~25,2	40	524,4	50,4	~2222	~1008



Very Uniform appearance. Pieces of the same shade value are very uniform and smooth in texture. They can be measured for small color differences and are in compliance with the color uniformity requirements of tables 6-10 (ANSI A137.1-2012)



# Uniform Appearance. Differences among pieces from the same production run are



Slight Variation. Clearly distinguishable texture and/or pattern within similar



# Moderate Variation. While the colors and/or textures present on a single piece of tile will be indicative of the

colors and/or texture to be expected on the other tiles, the amount of colors and/or texture on each piece may vary significantly. It is recommended that the range be viewed before selection.



### Substantial Variation. Random color and/or texture differences from tile to tile, so

that one tile may have totally different colors and/or textures from that on other tiles. Thus, the final installation will be unique. It is recommended that the range be viewed before

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In case of running pattern installation, Caesar recommends a maximum 33% offset.

Caesar warrants that our products meet or exceed the requirements of ANSI, specification ANSI A137.1: 2012, as shown in our Tile Performance Data sheets.

# TILE PERFORMANCE DATA

COLORED-BODY PORCELAIN TILES - RECTIFIED

CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANSI A137.1: 2012 (P1 CLASS).

	TECHNICAL FEATURE	ASTM TEST	VALUE REQUIRED ANSI A 137.1-2012	CAESAR AVERAGE VALUE	
	Facial dimension	ASTM C-499	±0,5% o ±2,0 mm		
<del>+</del>	Thickness	ASTM C-499	0,040 inch max (1 mm)		
1 1	Wedging	ASTM C-502	≤ 0,5% (+/- 2 mm)		
	Warpage diagonal	ASTM C-485	≤ 0,5% (+/- 2 mm)	In accordance to ANSI A 137.1-2012	
1	Warpage edge (for tile <610x610 mm)	ASTM C-485	±0,40% or ±1,3 mm		
	Warpage edge (for tile >610x610 mm)	ASTM C-485	±0,40% or ±1,8 mm		
	Water absorption	ASTM C-373	≤ 0,5%	Passed "impervious tiles" Class P1	
	Breaking strength	ASTM C-648	≥ 250 lbs (>=1113 N)	>=400 lbs	
	Freeze thaw	ASTM C-1026	No damages	In accordance	
	Chemical resistance	ASTM C-650	As reported	Unaffected	
	MOHS hardness			6	
8	Dynamic Coefficient of Friction		0,42	In accordance	

Average values referred to the last two years of production and related to the matt finish of the product.

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<sup>\*</sup> Due to the intrinsic nature of porcelain stoneware tiles, please note that the coefficient of friction may vary within the same production lot or from one production lot to the other. Caesar products can become slippery when wet. We recommend to always keep the surface dry.

# CLEANING PROCEDURES

- After 36/48 hours, when both the floor and the grouts have completed their first drying phase and before the real phase of the floor has yet to begin, it is necessary to proceed with the cleaning of the tiled surface using a "padding" action acid detergent, diluted according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- For areas heavily stained with grout, it is necessary to repeat this operation once or twice, increasing the percentage of water.
- The excess grout residue must be removed so that it does not dry and stick on the surface. It is necessary to change the cleaning water frequently and rinse well.
- Care must be taken on inlayed, polished and anti-slip products; for the latter in particular, the use of a floor-washing machine combined with the action of an acid detergent helps reach the spaces between adjacent tiles and clean them properly.
- If such a cleaning procedure is not carried out, or if such cleaning is carried out too late, the grout residue creates an extremely absorbent film, which holds dirt, making the surface difficult to clean: in this case, Ceramiche CAESAR S.p.A. will not be liable for any damage caused to the surface.
- We would like to remind you that porcelain stoneware is a product with excellent technical features which allow for high grade of mechanical wear and resistance to acids (except for hydrofluoric acid and its derivatives) and alkalis, features which are added to a high aesthetic quality.
- Ordinary maintenance must be carried out using specialist detergents to remove stains but these detergents must not leave a wax, film or membrane residue.
- Rinsing well with plenty of clean water is a fundamental part of the cleaning procedure, therefore we advise against the use of products which state that they "do not need rinsing".
- For more detailed and updated information, please consult the website www.caesarceramicsusa.com, or contact our sales department.





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The Caesar complete terms and conditions of sale (including limited warranty) are specified in the price list. Should you need further information, please contact our sales department.





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