

Landscape & Surface Materials

# THE ELEGANT, ROBUST CHARACTER OF QUARTZITE



### > quartzite ——————— Connecting the best of both worlds



- Timeless elegance and class
- Scratch, acid and heat resistance
- High level of hardness
- Very easy to maintain

- Ideal as a long-lasting kitchen worktop
- Various materials available
- Various finishes possible

### LONG-LASTING LOOKS

# Quartzite effortlessly combines elegance and ease of care in an indestructible, long-lasting material.

Who says you can't have it all? The unique characteristics of quartzite bring together the best that nature has to offer. This durable natural stone is one of the hardest materials to be found. In fact, quartzite is a metamorphic rock formed from sandstone. Heat and high pressure have melted the quartz minerals together into a hard, very compact rock.

This process, which takes centuries, creates the characteristic, elegant appearance of quartzite. The colour palette and veins are different in every slab. This authentic spectacle guarantees a unique result time after time.

What is more, quartzite has a high density and low porosity. The formation of the material gives it its acid, heat and scratch-resistant properties. This makes it ideal for intensive use, in places such as the kitchen.

This natural stone is also an environmentally friendly material with a very long lifespan. The stone is formed by nature. So no precious energy is lost in producing it. Brachot also makes an ongoing commitment to keeping its  ${\rm CO_2}$  emissions as low as possible when sawing the stone. In this way, quartzite adds an ecological aspect as well as a touch of style to every interior, along with its unrivalled durability

## Opt for robust, aesthetic class

The hardness of quartzite makes it an excellent choice for all kinds of applications. The marbled appearance and easy care of granite make it a particularly popular, long-lasting material for kitchens. The colours and veins give every worktop a touch of style.

Quartzite is a versatile, age-old material made of quartz minerals. This makes it harder than glass, offering possibilities for countless interior applications.

The soft, neutral or striking colours feel at home in any interior, from rural to modern style. The range of sizes and thicknesses and a broad range of possible surface finishes ensure a personal touch.

### Quartzite Laurent



### Versatile applications

Every material has its own specific characteristics. For more information, see the technical specifications at www.brachot.com.



Kitchens



Fireplaces



Indoor flooring



Window sills



Wall cladding



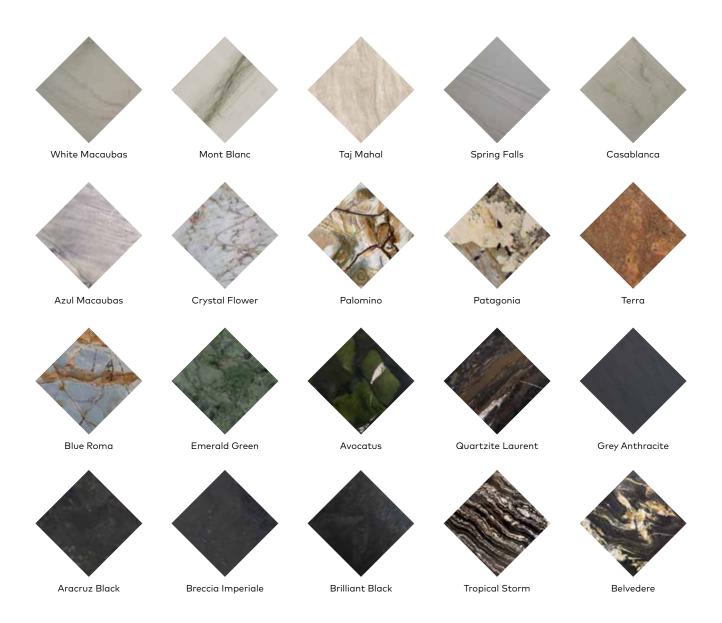
Stairs



**Bathrooms** 



Table tops



## A selection of our finishes

With these finishes, quartzite looks great in any project and is suitable for every application. Brachot is continuously optimising its finishes and developing new ones. That is how we ensure that we can find the finish best suited to the material, your taste and the style of your home in every case.



### **Polished**

The shiniest and smoothest finish by far, bringing out the best in the colours, veins and minerals.

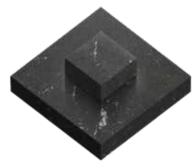


### Honed

A warm, matt shine created with a scoured surface. The grain used for scouring determines the final result.

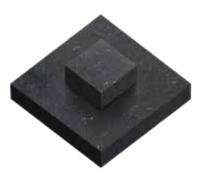


This semi-rough finish is somewhat rougher than a matt or polished finish, but feels particularly soft and pleasant. The non-slip result also has an attractive satin sheen.



### Letano

An original, matt, lightly brushed finish that brings out the natural colour of auartzite. The result is a 'leather touch'.



### Crystal Flower



# Exceptionally beautiful and easy to maintain

The hardness of quartzite and its elegant appearance are the greatest attributes of this natural stone. The material is scratch, heat and acid-resistant, meaning that it can cope with intensive use over a long period. So it is ideal for a durable kitchen worktop or kitchen floor.

Quartzite is especially easy to care for. Don't use too much water and stick to the correct cleaning and protection products suitable for the purpose, the amount of dirt and the surface. That way, you will be able to enjoy the comfort of durable quartzite for many years to come.

### CRAFTING VALUE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

### www.brachot.com

Brachot extracts, produces and distributes landscape and surface materials in natural stone and blended materials.

With its 20 quarries, 7 production sites and 14 distribution centres across Europe and Africa, Brachot has the entire production process in its own hands: from extraction to sawing and processing to distribution. This creates endless possibilities for the production of blocks, slabs, tiles and accessories for indoor and outdoor applications in natural stone and blended materials.

Brachot and its Family Members are firmly united by their focus on innovation. They continuously come up with new possibilities and applications, both in production and distribution. State-of-the-art machines and techniques enable Brachot to work faster and to ensure higher quality and greater sustainability. As a result, Brachot has become an internationally leading name in the world of natural stone and blended materials.

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