



**Nexion**  
ITALIAN STYLE THAT INSPIRES

MARBLE | Apuane



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# Nexion interprets Marble

## APUANE COLLECTION

Apuane collection brings the flavor of the prestigious marbles extracted in the Apuan Alps (Alpi Apuane in Italian), site of the most important Italian marble quarries since the Roman times. Prestigious and rich materials that have marked architecture over the centuries.

Nexion selected four of the finest marbles to create deep and transparent surfaces, with the elegance of black and white, as well the warmth of beige and brown. Mastering polishing technique, Nexion has given to Apuane the beauty of the contemporary lappato matt alongside the evergreen full lappato surface.

The result is an elegant collection that belongs to the most recent trend of contemporary design and architecture. A collection that brings the best of the inspiring Italian design to any type of ambience and location.

## Nexion about

Nexion is a joint venture company created by Ceramiche Speranza, a best-in-class Italian firm founded in 1961, and Simpolo, since 1977 one of the leading Indian producer of ceramics and sanitary ware.

With mastery of technology and design, we turn the best of the Italian tradition and lifestyle into contemporary ceramic surfaces that can be source of inspiration for architects and designers around the world.

Open-minded and keen to learn from customers and partners, we are committed to deliver the best quality and service and we believe that our work ends when our clients fulfill their desires and achieve their goals.

Full body-colored porcelain stoneware (international standard) | Vitrified stoneware (indian standard).  
Rectified | 9 mm thickness

## 4 Inspirations

varieties of marble in different elegant and suggestive tones.

## 5 Sizes

to exploit all architectural and creative potential.

120x240 cm | 80x240 cm | 80x160 cm | 120x120 cm | 60x120 cm



Statuario 80x160 cm  
**F86APNAOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F86APNAOLRO** Full Lappato



Botticino 80x160 cm  
**F86APNBOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F86APNBOLRO** Full Lappato



Corinthian Beige 80x160 cm  
**F86APNB1YRO** Lappato Matt  
**F86APNB1LRO** Full Lappato



Antique Black 80x160 cm  
**F86APNKOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F86APNKOLRO** Full Lappato



Statuario 80x240 cm  
**F84APNAOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F84APNAOLRO** Full Lappato



Botticino 80x240 cm  
**F84APNBOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F84APNBOLRO** Full Lappato



Corinthian Beige 80x240 cm  
**F84APNB1YRO** Lappato Matt  
**F84APNB1LRO** Full Lappato



Antique Black 80x240 cm  
**F84APNKOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F84APNKOLRO** Full Lappato



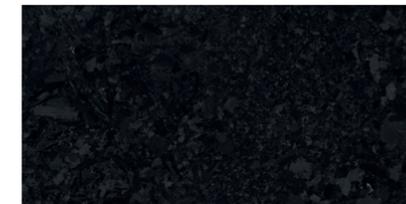
Statuario 120x240 cm  
**F14APNAOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F14APNAOLRO** Full Lappato



Botticino 120x240 cm  
**F14APNBOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F14APNBOLRO** Full Lappato



Corinthian Beige 120x240 cm  
**F14APNB1YRO** Lappato Matt  
**F14APNB1LRO** Full Lappato



Antique Black 120x240 cm  
**F14APNKOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F14APNKOLRO** Full Lappato



Statuario 120x120 cm  
**F12APNAOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F12APNAOLRO** Full Lappato



Botticino 120x120 cm  
**F12APNBOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F12APNBOLRO** Full Lappato



Corinthian Beige 120x120 cm  
**F12APNB1YRO** Lappato Matt  
**F12APNB1LRO** Full Lappato



Antique Black 120x120 cm  
**F12APNKOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F12APNKOLRO** Full Lappato



Statuario 60x120 cm  
**F62APNAOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F62APNAOLRO** Full Lappato



Botticino 60x120 cm  
**F62APNBOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F62APNBOLRO** Full Lappato



Corinthian Beige 60x120 cm  
**F62APNB1YRO** Lappato Matt  
**F62APNB1LRO** Full Lappato



Antique Black 60x120 cm  
**F62APNKOYRO** Lappato Matt  
**F62APNKOLRO** Full Lappato

### Nexion installation suggestions

Nexion recommends 2 mm joint for optimal aesthetics taking advantage of the tiles caliber in multi-sized applications.

Both cement and epoxy grout can be used; grout-design color matching advisable for optimal aesthetics.

It is not recommended to use grouting with coloured pigments in contrast with the colour of the tiles.

## Nexion quality standards

ALL TESTS ARE CARRIED OUT BY ITALIAN LABORATORIES ACCREDITED ACCORDING TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

Standards according to ISO 13006: Annex G - EN 14411: Annex G. Dry - Pressed Ceramic Tiles.

QUALITY ITEMS	TECHNICAL FEATURE	STANDARD METHOD ISO	REQUIREMENTS		NEXION Values	
			%	mm	%	mm
DIMENSIONS AND SURFACE QUALITY	LENGTH AND WIDTH	UNI EN ISO 10545-2	±0,6%	±2,0	±0,2%	±2,0
	THICKNESS		±5%	±0,5	±5%	±0,5
	STRAIGHTNESS OF SIDES		±0,5%	±1,5	±0,2%	±1,5
	RECTANGULARITY		±0,5%	±2,0	±0,33%	±1,5
	FLATNESS		±0,5%	±2,0	±0,26%	±1,5
	SURFACE QUALITY	A minimum of 95% of the tiles shall be free from visible defects that would impair the appearance of a major area of tiles.		Compliant		
PHISICAL PROPERTIES	WATER ABSORPTION	UNI EN ISO 10545-3	$E_s \leq 0,5\%$ Individual maximum : 0,6% (absorbed water mass)		Compliant	
	BREAKING STRENGTH	UNI EN ISO 10545-4	Min 1300 N		≥ 1800 N	
	MODULUS OF RUPTURE		$R \geq 35 \text{ N/mm}^2$ Not applicable to tiles with breaking strength ≥ 3000 N		$R \geq 35 \text{ N/mm}^2$	
	FROST RESISTANCE	UNI EN ISO 10545-12	Required		Compliant	
	COEFFICIENT OF LINEAR THERMAL EXPANSION FROM AMBIENT TEMPERATURE TO 100° C (K <sup>-1</sup> )	ISO 10545-8	Required		6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> max	
	SCRATCH HARDNESS (Mohs scale)	EN 101	Declared by the producer		Min 4 Depending on product	
CHEMICAL PROPERTIES	RESISTANCE TO STAINING	UNI EN ISO 10545-14	Minimum Class 3		4-5	
	RESISTANCE TO HOUSEHOLD CHEMICALS AND SWIMMING POOL SALTS	UNI EN ISO 10545-13	Minimum GB		GA (No visible effect)	
	RESISTANCE TO HIGH AND LOW CONCENTRATIONS OF ACIDS AND ALKALIS		To be reported		GLA - GHA (No visible effect)	
	SLIP RESISTANCE		Declared by the producer		N. A.	

### Packaging info

#### Shipments to domestic markets (India)

Nominal	Thickness mm	Pcs. x box	Sq. mt x box	Weight x box (Kg)
120x240	9	1	2,87	61,00
80x240	9	1	1,91	41,00
80x160	9	2	2,55	56,00
120x120	9	2	2,87	63,00
60x120	9	2	1,43	31,50

#### Worldwide shipments

Nominal	Thickness mm	Pcs. x box	Sq. mt x box	Weight x box (Kg)	Box x pallet	Sq. Mts x pallet	Pallet weight
120x240	9	1	2,87	61,00	15	43,05	915,00
80x240	9	1	1,91	41,00	15	28,65	615,00
80x160	9	1	1,28	28,00	35	44,63	980,00
120x120	9	1	1,43	31,50	23	32,89	724,50
60x120	9	2	1,43	31,50	32	45,82	1008,00

#### Size

Nominal Size cm	Actual Size cm
120x240	119,8x239,8
80x240	79,8x239,8
80x160	79,8x159,8
120x120	119,8x119,8
60x120	59,8x119,8





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