



DIFFERENT TYPES OF PORCELAIN TILES

Polished or Semi Polished: as the name suggests, an elaborate technique is used to finish the tile after the firing process. Generally, this process means the tile must be sealed, unless otherwise stated by the manufacturer. A polished surface is not actually a glaze.

Glazed Porcelain: various techniques are employed by different manufacturers to glaze a tile. Once a porcelain tile has been glazed no further treatment is required in the sense that these tiles are considered non-porous.

Matt, Honed or Natural Porcelain: generally speaking, this type of product comes out of the kiln on this form and undergoes no further processing. Normally, sealing is not required.

Rockfinish or Structred Porcelain; This type of porcelain is extremely textured and quite often used for external purposes. Normally, sealing is not required.