

STONEfacts

When purchasing marble, limestone, granite or slate it is important you have an understanding of the nature of the product you've selected. It's for this reason that Agnews strongly suggest that you take the time to read this information sheet so your decision to purchase this product is a well informed one.

It is normal for some types of stone to have an 'open or pitted' surface. This feature is particular to some types of marble, limestone and granite. This is a 100% natural characteristic, not a flaw in the stone, nor is it an indication of low quality, it's simply a characteristic of some stone types.

It's also important to note that due to these natural characteristics, variations in colour and appearance will occur within different batches of stone, therefore, any samples you see in the showroom are only an indication and a guide to the colour or characteristics of the stone you will receive. Of course, we will do our best to provide a consistent appearance to the stone pieces you purchase within the limitations of batches available to select from.

If you look closely you'll note that some stone products have an epoxy filling of the same colour in the larger and more open pit marks, veins or natural seams in the stone. These fillings are added in production before polishing, to give a smooth appearance to these stone types.

Black Marquina and Botticino marble both have these types of 'fills' in their surfaces to reinforce and beautify the finished product.