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ARCHITECTURAL
STONE
NATURAL STONE EXPERTS

GREY COSMOS GRANITE

Like meteors tracing across the clear night sky, Grey Cosmos Granite draws its name from the celestial patterns that create its unique visual movement. Inspired by Switzerland's Valsler Gniess, a material made famous by Peter Zumthor's Pritzker Architecture Prize winning Therme Vals hotel/spa complex, Grey Cosmos Granite offers similar captivating, visually

arresting characteristics. Quarried in Northern China, this extremely durable granite is suitable for hard climates with severe freeze/thaw fluctuations, and comfortably accepts heavy foot and vehicle traffic. Its most popular finishes are split and honed, which display this material's evolution most dramatically.



RECOMMENDED USES

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|---------------|----------------|
| PAVERS | DRAIN GRATES |
| VENEER | CARVED OBJECTS |
| STAIR BLOCKS | COLUMNS |
| QUOINS | SINKS/TUBS |
| COPING/CAPS | SLABS |
| CURBS | COBBLESTONES |
| SILLS/LINTELS | |

INSTALLATION

Grey Cosmos may be installed in any of the standard setting techniques: mortar or thin-set on slab, or by sand setting.



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HONED
 min thickness - 0.75" / 20 mm



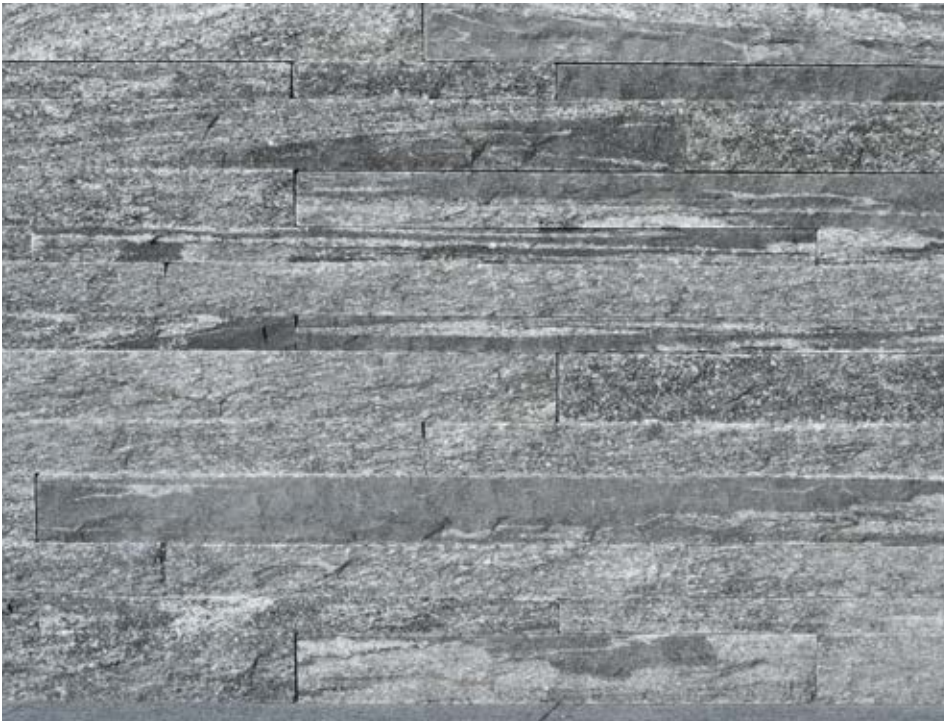
FLAMED
 min thickness - 0.75" / 20 mm



BUSH HAMMER
 min thickness - 1.5" / 38 mm



SPLIT
 min thickness - 3" / 75 mm



MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

STANDARD BLOCK : 98" x 51" x 51"
 2500 x 1300 x 1300 mm

OVERSIZED BLOCK : Sizing On Request



TECHNICAL DATA

ASTM	TEST	
C97	absorption	0.17 %
C97	bulk gravity	167 lbs/ft ³ 2,675 kg/m ³
C170	compressive strength	39,305 psi 271 MPa
C880	flexural strength	2,900 psi 20 MPa

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