

GROUT-FREE MOSAIC INSTRUCTIONS

Crystal Glass, Natural Stone, Metaluxe, Durastone

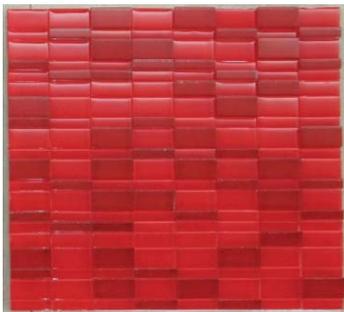
Grout-free Mosaics

Everstone has introduced many joint-free mosaic designs, these are classified as either flat mosaics or tri-dimensional (uneven surface) mosaics.

| MOSAIC MATERIAL | UNEVEN SURFACE |
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| CRYSTAL GLASS | GREAT WALL |
| NATURAL STONE | NATURAL SPLIT; NATURAL SPLIT PLUS; BREAKFRONT; GREAT WALL |
| METALUXE | ULTIMATE PLUS |
| DURASTONE | ULTIMATE PLUS |

It is normal for most uneven surfaces to exhibit some colour variation due to either the different thickness of the material used (e.g. Crystal Glass) or how the raw surface has been prepared or mixed (e.g. Natural Stone).

CRYSTAL GLASS
(Great Wall)



NATURAL STONE
(Natural Split)



METALUXE
(Ultimate Plus)



DURASTONE
(Ultimate Plus)



The manufacturing process of these mosaic designs is quite complex and some size deviation can occur due to extreme heat in the case of Crystal Glass, or cutting wear in the case of Stone, Metaluxe and Durastone; unpredictably leaving some joint variation within the assembled sheets.

Due to the non-possibility in applying any grout on most of these grout-free mosaic designs, their use is limited to areas where essential or frequent cleaning is not a strict requirement. These designs, for example, are not recommended for use in shower wall or splashback where dirt or soap scum can get trapped in the small joints or uneven surface. A special clear surface sealing or treatment should be applied in case of using for these areas.

When installing these mosaics, we strongly recommend to dry-lay part of the tiles to determine any possible excessive deviations. If these exist, during the installation, sheets should be worked hard against each other to minimise deviation. Fully butter the rear face of each sheet with suitable white non-rigid adhesive and if necessary, mix some matching tint/oxide colour to the adhesive to cover for any possible white adhesive visibility. For specific installation adhesive, we recommend you to contact your local preferred adhesive manufacturer.