

# CARRARA MARBLE

## Technical Data Sheet



Carrara is the original white and grey Italian marble, with medium color range. The classic soft veining and wide variety of finishes available make this stone highly versatile in interior and some exterior applications.

SOURCE: Italy

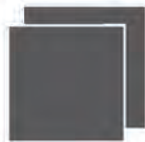
### Applications



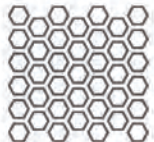
Arch. Elements



Moldings



Tile



Mosaics

### Considerations



Freeze Thaw



Salt Water



Low Variation



High Traffic

### Technical Data

| ASTM 97<br>Density           | ASTM 97<br>Absorption | ASTM C170<br>Compressive<br>Strength | ASTM C880<br>Flexural<br>Strength | ASTM 353<br>Abrasion<br>Resistance |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 169.7<br>lbs/ft <sup>3</sup> | 0.06%                 | 11,340<br>(lbs/in <sup>2</sup> ) wet | 240<br>(lbs/in <sup>2</sup> ) wet | NA                                 |

#### Care and Maintenance:

- High acid sensitivity is a property of marble. Care must be taken in the presence of acidic foods and cleaning products.
- Low abrasion resistance is inherent in most marbles. Light scratching will occur with exposure to abrasives. A patina will result over time. It is recommended to use mats at entrances in flooring applications.
- This marble has a low to moderate absorption rate. It is recommended to seal this material prior to use. Sealers allow for additional time to "clean up" the spill, before it has time to result in a stain.