



Gemstone Plus®

Filled and Polished Architectural CMU



More Than Ground Face: Meets ASTM C744

Gemstone Plus® units are manufactured with resin, resin and inert filler, or cement and inert filler to produce a smooth exposed-to-view-in-place surface that complies with *ASTM C 744 - Standard Specification for Prefaced Concrete and Calcium Silicate Masonry Units*.

Ground Face Versus Filled & Polished

The more prevalent “ground/polished/burnished” face units in today’s marketplace do not have a resinous face and therefore do NOT comply with ASTM C744. Therefore, Gemstone Plus® units are unique among CMU’s. In addition, Gemstone Plus® units comply with *ASTM C 90 – Standard Specification for Loadbearing Concrete Masonry Units*. Whether structural or veneer, exterior or interior, Gemstone Plus® units deliver a unique terazzo-like appearance with the typical low-maintenance of concrete masonry units.



Low Maintenance Surfacing

Gemstone Plus® units resist crazing, cracking and spalling, and are resistant to many chemicals and graffiti. The resinous surface is highly impact resistant, and is resistant to surface burning and staining. Special admixtures for mortars are available for use with Gemstone Plus® units to provide better stain, bacteria, and water penetration resistance for the wall assembly.



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Gemstone Plus® Color Options



Arctic White



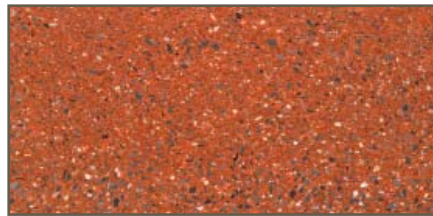
Graphite



Putty



Bermuda



Crimson



Saddle



Brick Chip



Gingerbread



Sahara



Camel



Parchment



Silver



Chamois



Port



Terracotta

Notes:

- Matching Type-S masonry cement is in-stock for all colors shown.
- Due to the limitations of the printing process, colors shown may vary slightly from actual product. Please refer to our color sample box for accurate representation.
- Custom colors available upon request.