

SELECTING LAMINATE DESIGNS

SURFACE FINISHES

Matte: Slightly textured finish (-58 in Formica & -60 in Wilsonart). This surface finish is easy to clean, great for kitchens and baths.

Gloss Finish: Should only be used for vanity tops. Gloss finish shows scratches, fingerprints & possibly the limitations of substrate.

High Definition & Embossed Finishes: Below are some of the “Relief” finishes.

-34, -46, & -RD in Formica

-35, -45, -55, -52 in Wilsonart

COLOR AND PATTERN SELECTION

Granite & Speckled Patterns: Tend to mask wear. This is a good choice for long lasting satisfaction.

Solid Colors: Tend to show more wear. In particular, dark solids will show scratches & wear soon after installation.

VIEW LARGER SAMPLES

With all the new granite & marble designs it is best to see a larger sample of the actual product. Most, if not all, the designs with a broad range of color variations and/or “movement” will tell you to see a larger sample before selecting a design. These designs can be difficult, if not impossible, to match the pattern closely when a seam is required. Counter Pro, Inc® will not guarantee seams that match in regards to pattern with those designs.

Remember: The new designs are generated from digital photos of real slabs of stone. Hence, they reflect possible imperfections with seam matching when tops are larger than 60” x 144”.