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A stone worktop has become an indispensable feature of the modern kitchen. Not least, because they are far hardier than laminate tops. However, the appeal of stone is also more instinctive, brought about by changes in the way we use and live in our homes.

A strong desire for stone stems from our innate need to bring tactile, natural materials into our homes that represent the world outside our window. This is inbuilt, human nature; it is what draws us to reach out and run a hand across an inviting looking stone surface.

This yearning for stone has been a tangible facet of kitchen design for some time. Consequently, the industry has seen significant growth over the last decade, and stone worktops frequently appear in the pages of House & Garden and Elle Decoration, dressing the very best kitchens. They are an indispensable foundation piece for your kitchen, and one of the key purchases for any project.

It is impossible to underplay the importance of finding the right worktop for your project. A well-chosen stone will elevate the look of your kitchen, seamlessly pairing with bespoke woodwork or equally elevating off the shelf cabinets and doors. It should be timeless, something to enjoy for years to come, as well as being of sufficient quality to withstand everything that will likely come its way over countless family dinners, celebrations and home baking afternoons.

#### But which stone?

The Caesarstone Swatch Book is designed to help you pick apart the stone industry, to understand differences between materials, and why Caesarstone finds favour over other options. Inside these pages you'll find guidance on the latest trends in colour, pattern and texture, alongside practical information around what makes for quality worktops, how to buy stone and what you can expect to pay. It is a companion piece, which can sit with you throughout the lifespan of your renovation project, providing the industry transparency that you need, the kitchen inspiration that you crave and arming you with enough facts to get the best worktop for your new kitchen.





# Under the Surface

Often deemed the biggest home improvement purchase, investing into a kitchen which stands the test of time is paramount to ensure a positive return on such an outlay. And, going beyond the monetary investment, installing a kitchen that is designed with the future in mind means paying close attention to the materials used and the configurations applied.

When designing a new kitchen, approaching it with a conscious mindset is key not only for the obvious environmental benefits, but also to ensure that you can maximise its use and longevity. From focusing on quality, to layouts that are more adaptable, creating a kitchen that will last starts from the very outset of the project. For responsible consumers, it can often be an added challenge to shop mindfully when faced with a project which is made up of multiple design decisions and an array of elements to consider. From appliances, to worksurfaces and cabinetry, blending your sustainable values with a cohesive, design-led

aesthetic is the biggest challenge but, restassured, thanks to an increase in innovation, awareness, and education, it is becoming easier to achieve.

While budgets are often the biggest restraint, it is important to understand the 'true' value of products and adopting the mindset of 'buying once and buying well' is a great place to begin. The lure of cheaper alternatives might seem attractive as the costs of a project begin to mount up, however, it can often result in having to replace components more regularly with a lower quality of raw materials normally reducing a product's resilience. In taking a longer-term perspective and opting for solid materials that have the durability to withstand daily use, as well as finishes that transcend fleeting trends and fashions, it can be paramount to the room's success. Because, as previously mentioned, when making such an investment, it deserves to remain as beautiful and relevant for as long as possible.





Looking at the buying process in more detail, it can be a minefield to decipher vague marketing terminology with words such as 'recyclable' or 'compostable' often used to give the illusion that a product has circular and sustainable values. By asking questions and gaining a deeper understanding into the source and manufacturing of each product, it allows you to see which brands are inherently transparent and willing to share such information. can often be difficult to future-proof its design When researching materials, it is important to understand that while it might be recyclable, this is normally dependent on the recycling schemes and capacities within your local area. Unless the brand is offering a take-back scheme, or there are clear recycling processes which can be utilised, this term can often become irrelevant for materials and components used within a kitchen.

Understanding how to avoid greenwashing, or to spot it in the first place, is still a difficult challenge but, in sticking to a timeless design mentality, it will assist in driving you away from such pitfalls. For worksurfaces, which endure the most use within a kitchen space, opting for manufacturers which have guarantees and certifications in place is a positive signal to look out for. Long-term or lifetime warranties not only provide reassurance of a product's quality, but it also means that companies are more than likely to take-back damaged worksurfaces and manage the recycling or the repurposing of them responsibly. Responsible manufacturers will also be able to offer traceability into the products they make through ESG and EPD certifications. If not readily available online,

asking for such details at the outset of a project will certainly help in guiding you to make more informed, sustainable decisions. And, while the environmental qualities of a product is important, don't forget to explore the ethical implications of its manufacture too – a discussion topic many factories can often try to avoid.

When considering the future of a kitchen, it as your needs and requirements change over the course of time. Expanding a family or altering the structural layout of a home can impact how you might use the space in years to come. If working with a designer, explore component-driven design options which allow you to remove or replace individual cabinet sections, worktops or appliances if needed, without the need to replace an entire kitchen. Opting for moveable islands, or cabinets that can be detached easily from the wall, are also ways to explore the concept of a kitchen which can adapt and transform with you.

While these design decisions contribute towards a greener, and more circular, solution, it is also important to ensure they fall in line with your aesthetic preferences. Ultimately, creating a kitchen that you love, and will continue to admire as time goes on, is crucial, so, in buying once and buying well, discover the beauty found in adopting a timeless approach to both aesthetics and functionality. Resulting in a kitchen that stays pristine and elegant, it is set to remain as the thriving 'heart of the home' for generations to come.

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BY GILES KIME



## The Best of Old & New

How Country Life's Interiors Editor, Giles Kime and his wife Kate are using Caesarstone in the restoration of their 17th-century cottage, creating a kitchen and bathroom with a timeless look and the benefits of 21st century luxury

The reason the cottage we are restoring has survived for so long, in such remarkable shape, is thanks to the materials used to build it, in particular the oak beams used to form the frame core of the structure in 1630. They are as good as new, an example of the benefits of high quality materials that have influenced the decisions we made when planning the first major changes since the 1950s, not least because we don't want the expense or upheaval involved in changing the house again (or the detrimental effect that this would have on the environment). With this in mind, we've laid

stone floors throughout, had timber windows made by a highly skilled local joiner and chosen Caesarstone for both the kitchen and bathroom.

When investing in a space that will see so much daily use, we went in search of a beautiful and hardworking material that is not only hygienic and durable - but also non porous, low maintenance and resistant to both heat and stains such as red wine and lemon juice. Of all the surfaces we considered for this purpose Caesarstone won hands down; like so many of the most successful options for domestic interiors, it combines the strength and good looks of natural raw materials with the benefit of technical innovation that the company has been pioneering for over 50 years. When compared to timber and stone surfaces, Caesarstone is the only material that comes near.



Appearance was also of the utmost importance. In the Victorian period, the cattle shed was When we found ourselves with an opportunity to transform a house that has been home to generations of farmers (and more recently wheelwrights and weavers) for almost 400 years, Caesarstone's London Grey, we were keen to we felt it was important that our choices were sympathetic. But we haven't set out to turn back the clock. Instead, we are combining the best of new and old. While we've installed some cutting edge technology, such as an innovative underfloor heating system, insulation and a bioethanol fire, the period look is being achieved through colour and texture, an area where Caesarstone excels, from modern finishes that create a crisp, contemporary look to those with the warmth and visual interest of carved stone.

We've chosen London Grey because it has the perfect subdued tone for the simple, sympathetic a local recycling centre to see the problem of look we want to achieve. The kitchen we are planning will be shaker-inspired to create a timeless look. The cabinetry will be painted in Farrow & Ball's French Gray and the island in Mahogany. We chose the latter to reflect the large amount of dark posts and beams. Our builders created a steel frame that will support this part of the house, which was originally a cattle shed and not as well constructed as the heart of the cottage.

converted into living space with a workshop upstairs where we have created a bedroom with an ensuite. Having fallen in love with include it in our plans for our bathroom, around the bath and also around the double vanity unit. We had previously specified marble for another bathroom and as a porous material, it was extremely time consuming to maintain, becoming discoloured and losing its smooth finish.

Much of the focus of this project was also on sustainability; we have made the new spaces as thermally efficient as possible and chosen appliances that are energy efficient. In everything we have specified, the capacity for longevity has been of vital importance. You only need to visit inbuilt obsolescence. Yet take care in the choices you make and longevity becomes a realistic goal; any historic house reveals that quality was once woven into the warp and weft of manufacture and it created interiors that last. With the benefit of a lifetime warranty, Caesarstone offers the chance to create a kitchen with a capacity to last for a generation, if not two.





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Caesarstone has been at the forefront of surface design and innovation for nearly 40 years and we continue to lead the industry today.

With every new product, our design process begins with the same consideration; an exploration of the world outside our window. Whether it is the motion and beauty of a changing coastline, the stillness and calm of the desert landscape, or the urban textures and patinas seen in our towns and cities, it is crucial for us to experience and observe the world around us.

Central to the appeal of every Caesarstone product is the careful intervention of humar craftsmanship and a keen consideration of design applied to these creative references.









# Tested & Trusted

Each expertly crafted Caesarstone slab meets the highest technical standards and promises a lifetime of elegance for the home, meeting the demands of even the busiest of kitchens. Caesarstone's commitment to international standards, testing and certification is reflected in its adherence to global third-party material declaration programmes, including Red List and Declare. With transparent and comprehensive product information for complete peace of mind, Caesarstone is trusted globally as the surface brand of choice by thousands of homeowners every year.

### Lifetime Warranty

From the selection of the very best raw materials, through meticulous R&D processes, testing and quality control, Caesarstone designs and engineers premium surfaces with an unrivalled focus on style and quality. With nearly four decades of expertise, Caesarstone surfaces will look beautiful for a lifetime, even when installed in the busiest of homes. Every Caesarstone surface is covered with a Lifetime Warranty, making it a discerning investment in style, substance, and quality for your home.

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# Exceptional Customer Service

Whether you need some helpful advice, guidance on your project or would just like to speak to someone, we're here to help you. You'll find plenty of design inspiration and interiors tips on our website and social channels or you can reach us by phone or email to discuss your project in more detail. Should any issues arise, we have a team dedicated to helping you and ensuring that dealing with us is an easy and pleasant experience.

Email us on info@caesarstone.co.uk

**Phone us on** 0208 216 6100





# Sustainability & ESG

For us, sustainability is more than a goal. It's a principle. Aligned with the essence of our time, nature, and humanity, we hold a steadfast commitment to our planet's well-being. We invest in sustainable and safety-oriented initiatives across our product lifecycle. From design to manufacturing to fabrication to end use, we take responsibility for promoting practices capable of leading change in our market towards a greener future.

You can find out more about our sustainability practices and read our updated ESG report here: caesarstone.co.uk/sustainability.





#### We are surrounded by the beauty of the natural world.

This awe-inspiring environment helps us develop our product collections, with an expansive suite of colours inspired by our affection for marbles, granites and quartzites. Central to our design philosophy is our interpretive approach of the natural world. How can the patterns, textures and movements we see in the world around us be transformed into something unique and individual?

Much like no quarried slab is alike, the organic motifs within our range are inimitable with their own influences and creative journeys. They originate with the continued search for inspiration in the external environment and the delicate craftmanship of human intervention.

When creating the darker colours throughout our collection we turned our attention to the surrounding desert scenes where natural stones are scorched by day and frozen by night, weathered by this endless cycle to produce the most wonderful patinas and textures.

We studied a huge variety of black and dark stones, and they all had their own characters, some very simple and minimalist and some that were full of detail and vibrancy. They all evoked different feelings within the design team; some stones felt naturally warm and comforting, while others had patterns and texture that felt epic in scale, reminiscent of the vast and rugged landscape from which they came. Each design brings a striking appeal into the home and connects us to the nuance and power of nature.

The changing textures and weathered patinas seen in our towns and cities inspires us as much as the deserts, forests, and shorelines of our world. These creative references energised us in the development of a portfolio of highly tactile, matt finishes and designs that form a part of the revival of modernism, a rethinking of our relationship with concrete and a rekindling of our romance with industrial architecture.

With energetically styled surfaces that reflect the authentic textures of raw manufacturing, such as oxidized steel, poured plaster and raw concrete, each surface provides a creative foundation to explore the industrial aesthetic.





Our Porcelain Collection presents a remarkable new aesthetic that is redefining kitchen for both interior and exterior applications. This was made possible through Caesarstone's design expertise and an advanced slab production method that harnesses cutting-edge technology of Brillianza, introducing a softer presence to and stems directly from in-depth curation and research.

The Porcelain Collection exhibits a clear focus on bolder designs with delicate blue and green capillaries, dominant arteries that take on a romantic interpretation, resembling sea foam, and furthering our exploration of the industrial look featuring interpretations of concrete and cement unique to the material.

Most recently, the transformative experience of stone is the inspiration for Caesarstone's latest collection of surfaces, the Time Collection.

Caesarstone's collection personifies the passage of time, giving things shape in the heart of the countertops, with richer colours, bolder designs, home and translating this idea in a practical and larger patterns, and wonderful tangible textures usable way. Time's markings are etched into the fluid puddles and sketched fissures weave their way into the cloudiness of Dreamy Carrara, the delicacy of Solenna and the translucency interior spaces.

> Central to the appeal of every Caesarstone product is the careful intervention of human craftmanship and a keen consideration of design applied to these creative references.

This is our signature touch which offers the necessary refinement of each product, until we have the perfect worktop for the heart of your home.













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# Quartz & Mineral

Caesarstone pioneered the premium engineered stone market in 1987 and nearly forty years later, the brand continues to lead with design and material innovations that provide the widest choice of aesthetic and technical options for the contemporary interiors sector.

As the next step in our continuous drive for improvement, we are introducing Caesarstone Mineral Surfaces. Comprising a unique blend of Quartz, Feldspar, advanced innovative materials, and an increased percentage of recycled materials, Caesarstone Mineral Surfaces have been developed using our unrivalled expertise and advanced technology, resulting in extreme resistance, durability, aesthetics, and versatility.

As the industry's trusted leader, we are leveraging our expertise to progressively transition more designs from Quartz to this Low-Silica alternative that delivers a more advanced and sustainable solution, whilst adhering to the most demanding of international quality standards.

design team. The result is a collection of surfaces that meet the needs of contemp living with the aesthetic demands of the discerning households.

Scratch, stain and heat resistant, both our Quartz and Mineral Surfaces offer a variety of colours, tones and textures that will remain timelessly beautiful, and with a lifetime warranty for complete peace of mind.

Each surface showcases Caesarstone's design qualities; the diverse inspirations we look to have been met with the careful application of human craftmanship from our award-winning design team. The result is a collection of surfaces that meet the needs of contemporary living with the aesthetic demands of the most discerning households.





### Range finishes











#### Rough Concrete

A complex rugged look and feel, Rough finish is based on advanced technologies that create a compelling tactile experience. Surfaces get the distinctive effect of coarse industrial materials, yet remain smooth enough for easy cleaning and offer an intensified sense of real depth with heightened colour.

#### Concrete

A lightly textured complexion, Concrete finish is inspired by the granular tactility of smooth concrete with a low reflection of light. Its faint grainy touch evokes the sensation of an organic material that is powerfully strong.

#### Natural

A lightly textured satin sheen, Natural finish evokes the warm, supple feeling like caressing a small, smooth stone. It gently enhances the depth of color and pattern that make the surface unique, especially with darker shades.

#### Honed

Smooth to the touch and gentle on the eye, Honed finish offers a matte, low-gloss organic luminosity. Its subtle aesthetics is combined with a modest muted quality, adding delicate sophistication to the surface.

#### Polished

With its high-gloss smoothness, Polished finish emphasises the surface features with its stunning luster. It attracts light and reflects it with elegance, illuminating the space around it with a natural brilliance that makes it seem larger and luxurious.

### Benefits







HEAT RESISTANT



DURABLE



SCRATCH RESISTANT



EASY TO CLEAN



ENDURING QUALITY



HYGIENIC



STAIN FREE



EASE OF INSTALLATION



ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY

### Porcelain

The Caesarstone Porcelain Collection offers a striking set of daring designs, each of which embodies innovative properties that elevate these high-performing surfaces into the ultimate statement feature.

A highly technical material, the Porcelain Collection is a dream to work with, allowing you the freedom and flexibility to create outstanding spaces. The performance is matched by its aesthetic excellence, illustrated through the captivating interplay of versatile colours, tactile textures, and dynamic movements.

Caesarstone Porcelain delivers a high degree of durability and strength for added safety and peace of mind that boosts dynamic living and creativity, indoors and outdoors. By blending delicate beauty and reinforced strength, Caesarstone's cutting-edge knowhow is packed into the physical properties that set the bar for porcelain worktops.

The forward design of our Porcelain collection achieves striking colour schemes, bolder veins, dramatic textures, and magnified patterns in breakthrough surfaces that are simple to care for and maintain. New finishes include the beautiful sheen of our Silk finish, and a rough Stone finish that also features our In-Sync technology for seamless design continuity across the edge profile.



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### Range finishes









#### Ultra Rough

A highly tactile finish, Ultra Rough, brings an added dimension of materiality inspired by the tactility of crude rocks, industrial metals, and concrete. Its distinctive granular touch ensures the highest durability for ease of use, while reinforcing organic nuances.

#### Silk

Silky with a warm lustre and a soft, smooth feel, the Silk finish drapes the surface in a shimmering overlay. Light glides gently over it, creating a luxurious appeal that adds a dimension of softness and comfort.

#### Honed

Smooth to the touch and gentle on the eye, Honed finish offers a matte, low-gloss organic luminosity. Its subtle aesthetics is combined with a modest muted quality, adding delicate sophistication to the surface.

#### Stone

Tenderly tactile with a pleasant radiance, Stone finish has the ambiance of a weathered rock that is comforting and genuinely authentic. Its satiny gleam is only slightly embossed and irregular in depth, like the soothing touch of a semi-smooth stone.

### Benefits







RELIABLE FABRICATION & INSTALLATION



SCRATCH RESISTANT



EXTREME-HEAT RESISTANT



NONPOROUS & STAIN RESISTANT



INDOORS &



HYGIENIC



EASY TO CLEAN



ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY



LIFETIME WARRANTY



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#### Refine your design choice

Caesarstone was the first brand to develop engineered quartz surfaces in the late 1980s, in response to the inherent failings that people found with natural stone, which can be prone to cracks, staining and require regular resealing. Since then, we have become renowned for our technological innovation

In the 1990s, quartz surfaces came in an array of mostly plain and sometimes fairly 'vibrant' designs got more sophisticated. In another first,
Caesarstone began to design and craft surfaces
with a wholly more natural feel and the brand
started work on the Supernatural Collection
around 2010. By this time, Caesarstone was
crafting stone surfaces that looked as good
as or better than quarried granite, marble,
or travertine, while also outperforming them
on durability.

another leap forward in design with striking
bold-veined designs such as Mirabel or Striata,
or intensely earthy designs such as Mosstone.

Our advice is to browse the Caesarstone
collection via the swatches in this Swatchbook
or our website caesarstone.co.uk/catalogue
from there you can refine your choice down to
one or two options. Once you have a good idea
of your favourite you can order samples for

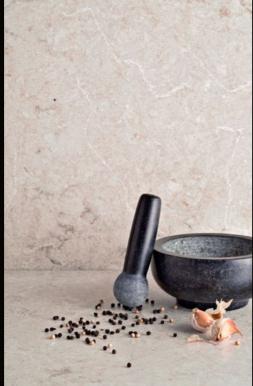
Caesarstone's contemporary collection of surfaces contain some of the most coveted

designs available; Statuario Maximus can be found on many Instagram influencers' kitchen island. Empira White and White Attica are equally unique and sought after offering a beautiful alternative to white marble. If you're looking for something more textured Cloudburst Concrete is amongst the prettiest of our concrete-inspired designed, while Rugged Concrete serves up a more robust flavour, texture with its fabric-like texture and creamy another leap forward in design with striking bold-veined designs such as Mirabel or Striata,

collection via the swatches in this Swatchbook or our website **caesarstone.co.uk/catalogue** from there you can refine your choice down to one or two options. Once you have a good idea of your favourite you can order samples for free, right to your front door, so you can take a closer look at the colour and texture of your chosen options.







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#### Making your choice

Once your samples have arrived take the time to mull them over and start thinking about your design scheme. If you already have themes and colours in mind, then now is the time to see how each sample works alongside this, or to start putting together a couple of ideas based on your chosen samples.

Our beautifully designed surfaces can be hard to choose from just a small sample. Their colour tones elegantly change and, particularly for the more complex designs, can differ across the width and height of a full slab (which comes in a minimum of 3m x 1.4m).

The finished effect of these highly organic styles when installed is stunning. However, it makes it worthwhile to employ several different tools when choosing your perfect design. Within this Swatch Book, you will find pictures of each surface in the Caesarstone range. Each product has two pictures; the smaller shows a close up of the pattern while the larger one shows the full slab

Once you've honed your choices down to one or two favourites and ordered your samples from the Caesarstone website there are a number of other ways you can view and experience our products to ensure you have complete confidence you're choosing the perfect product for your kitchen.





#### Visit a Showroom

Caesarstone UK has three showrooms. One in London, one in Manchester and one in Dublin. You can book an appointment to view our large-scale slabs and receive trusted advice from our Caesarstone consultants.

Book your appointment easily online:

#### info.caesarstone.co.uk/visit-our-studios

#### Visit our virtual showroom

If you can't make it to our showrooms in person, you can visit virtually via the website. Here, you'll be able to manoeuvre around the showroom and stand in front of each design as if you were there in real life. Enabling you to view slabs in high resolution, access product information and explore our range.

#### info.caesarstone.co.uk/virtual-tour

#### Use our online visualiser

An online Visualiser tool lets you select a particular product or combination of products and apply to those to different kitchen designs and layouts.

#### caesarstone.co.uk/online-visualiser

#### Visit a Caesarstone display

As a well-known and much beloved brand in the kitchen industry you will find Caesarstone displays up and down the country in premium kitchen showrooms and fabricators. You can see which local showrooms display Caesarstone using the 'where to buy' function on our website.

#### caesarstone.co.uk/where-to-buy

#### Browse for inspiration

Whether you're looking for design ideas or looking for a particular surface our blog and social channels are a great place to turn to. Showcasing a myriad of real life kitchens and full of helpful advice and design inspiration, these channels are sure to provide you with everything you need to explore our brand and products further.

**Blog:** blog.caesarstone.co.uk **Instagram:** @Caesarstone\_uk

Facebook: facebook.com/CaesarstoneUKIE

Pinterest: @caesarstoneuk

#### Sign up to our newsletter

Finally, don't forget to sign up to receive Caesarstone updates, which include new product news, real life kitchens and provide a lot more inspiration and information to help you on your journey.

#### One more thing to note

Due to the highly technical nature of premium engineered stone surfaces, natural variances within the raw materials used, including environmentally friendly recycled material components, it is difficult to guarantee 100% uniformity in tone, pattern and texture between samples and slabs, and across different slab batches.

It is entirely normal to find some variation in relation to images, samples, or retail installations that you may see as you choose your stone. This is normal and applicable to all similar surfaces.

Caesarstone suggests that you see as many images of your preferred surface as possible, as well as displays, samples and installations. Your fabricator may be able to show you specific slabs available for your project.

Talk to the Caesarstone team, for further advice and see our website for additional support and information:

info@caesarstone.co.uk

### How do you buy it

Caesarstone slabs are extremely large and heavy, As with any building project, it is advisable to not dissimilar to a piece of quarried marble or granite. They need to be handled and cut by professional stone masons or fabricators using specialist machinery.

Fabricators, experts in kitchen countertops, will know how best to template, cut and install Caesarstone worktops for this particular type of installation. They will also know how to make the most of the design that you have picked, matching patterns across joins, backsplashes, and upstands, for example.

If you are working with a kitchen studio then they will most likely organise the fabrication of your Caesarstone worktop for you as part of the overall project. Most good independent kitchen studios use Caesarstone products in their designs and will already work closely with one or two fabricators.

However, if you are managing your own kitchen renovation project and sourcing your worktop directly, then Caesarstone can help you find a good stonemason or fabricator in your area – visit the 'See & Buy' section of the UK website. You can also request a quote from local suppliers. Your fabricator will be able to advise you on how to level your cabinetry in preparation for the Caesarstone top and on any specific design features.

get several quotes. Prices can vary depending on the types of stone that fabricators promote so it's worth making sure that alternative materials that you may be offered meet the same high standards of Caesarstone.

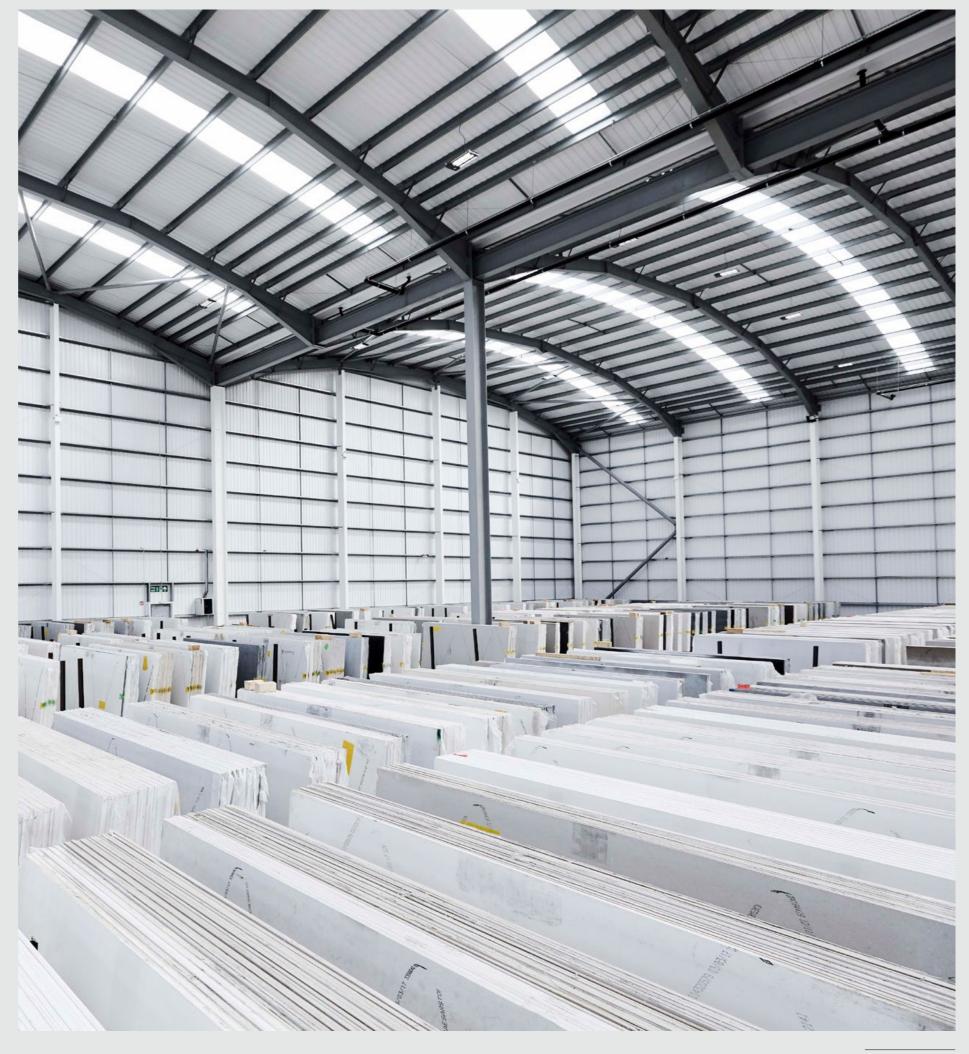
Caesarstone products are incredibly durable and non-porous, making them virtually maintenancefree. Unlike granite or marble surfaces, they don't require sealing. For the majority of kitchen spills a little bit of soap and warm water is all that is required to keep them hygienic, clean, and looking their best. For more information on caring for your surface head to the Care and Maintenance section on our website.

Producing high quality surfaces is of the upmost importance to us. We're so confident in our products suitability and resilience for your kitchen that we offer a lifetime warranty across all indoor residential applications of our products.

For certification and ESG commitments visit caesarstone.co.uk/our-environmentalcommitment

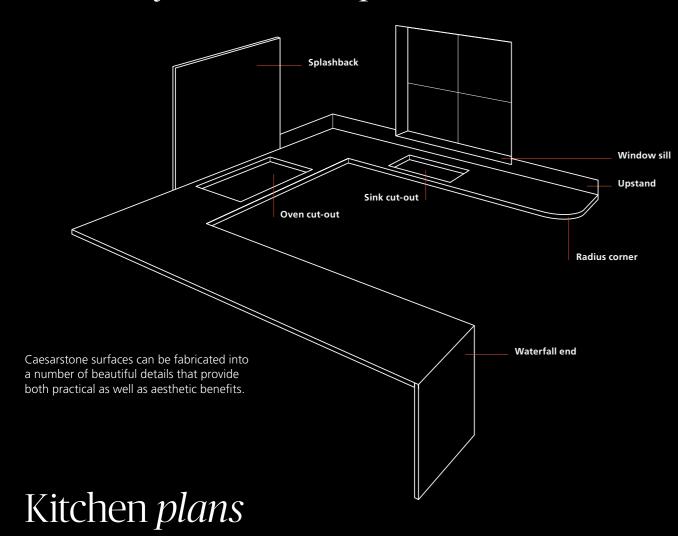
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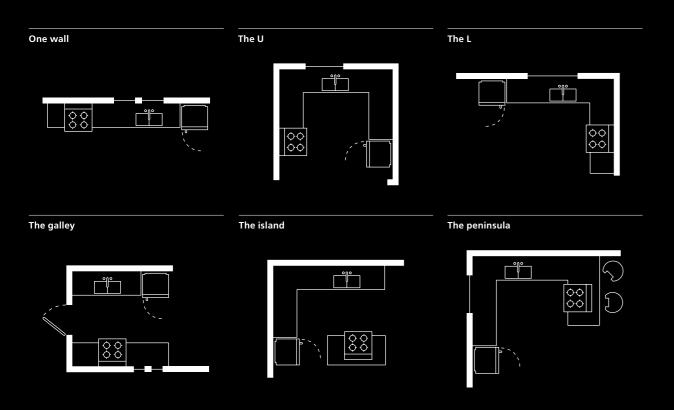


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### Anatomy of *a worktop*



These are some of the most popular kitchen layouts, with something to suit most spaces.





### Cutting a slab for a *U-shaped kitchen*

This example shows how a single slab of Caesarstone might be cut for a compact U-shaped kitchen, showing a cut-out for a hob, whilst allowing for a 100mm upstand around the entire length of the work surface and a 10mm overhang.





### Care & *Maintenance*

#### Cleaning

#### **Everyday Cleaning**

- Just use water and a mild detergent or a spray-and-wipe type cleaner on a soft cloth or non-abrasive scourer. Then rinse with water and dry with a soft cloth or paper towel.
- Wipe up wet spills to prevent limescale forming.
- Check each cleaning product first on an inconspicuous area to ensure that it doesn't damage the surface.

#### **Stubborn Stains**

- Gently rub the area with an approved cleaner and a soft cloth or paper towel.
- Clean a larger area than the stain itself using circular motions.
- Rinse with water and dry with a soft cloth or paper towel.
- Repeat the process if you still see the stain.

#### **Dried Spills**

 Carefully scrape away dried material such as food, gum or nail polish with a plastic putty knife and then clean the surface with a damp cloth.

#### **Metal Marks**

 Metal objects such as knives, metal pots, keys and belt buckles can sometimes leave metal residue on the surface. This is easy to remove as described in 'Stubborn Stains', or by rubbing gently with a latex eraser.

#### Limescale

 Pour white vinegar on the limescale and leave it to soak for 30 minutes.
 Rub gently with a non-scratch scourer using wide strokes, then rinse with plenty of water. If necessary, repeat until the limescale is removed.

#### **Rust Marks**

- Place a small amount of Bar Keepers Friend® Cleanser (powder) on a damp cloth. Do not use an abrasive scourer. Wipe very gently in a circular motion. Rinse thoroughly with warm water and dry with a soft cloth or paper towel.
- Follow these instructions carefully to avoid damaging the surface.

#### Surface care

#### **Surface Finishes**

 Caesarstone finishes other than Polished may need a little more daily maintenance due to their unique patterns and finishes.

#### **Scratch Resistance**

 Caesarstone surfaces are scratch resistant. However, avoid using sharp objects such as knives or screwdrivers directly on the surface – always use a cutting board.

#### **Heat Resistance**

 Sudden and extreme heat, as well as prolonged or direct heat, can damage all natural stone surfaces, including Caesarstone, especially close to edges. Therefore, always place hot cookware or cooking units such as electric frying pans, crock pots or toaster ovens on trivets, and not directly on the Caesarstone surface.

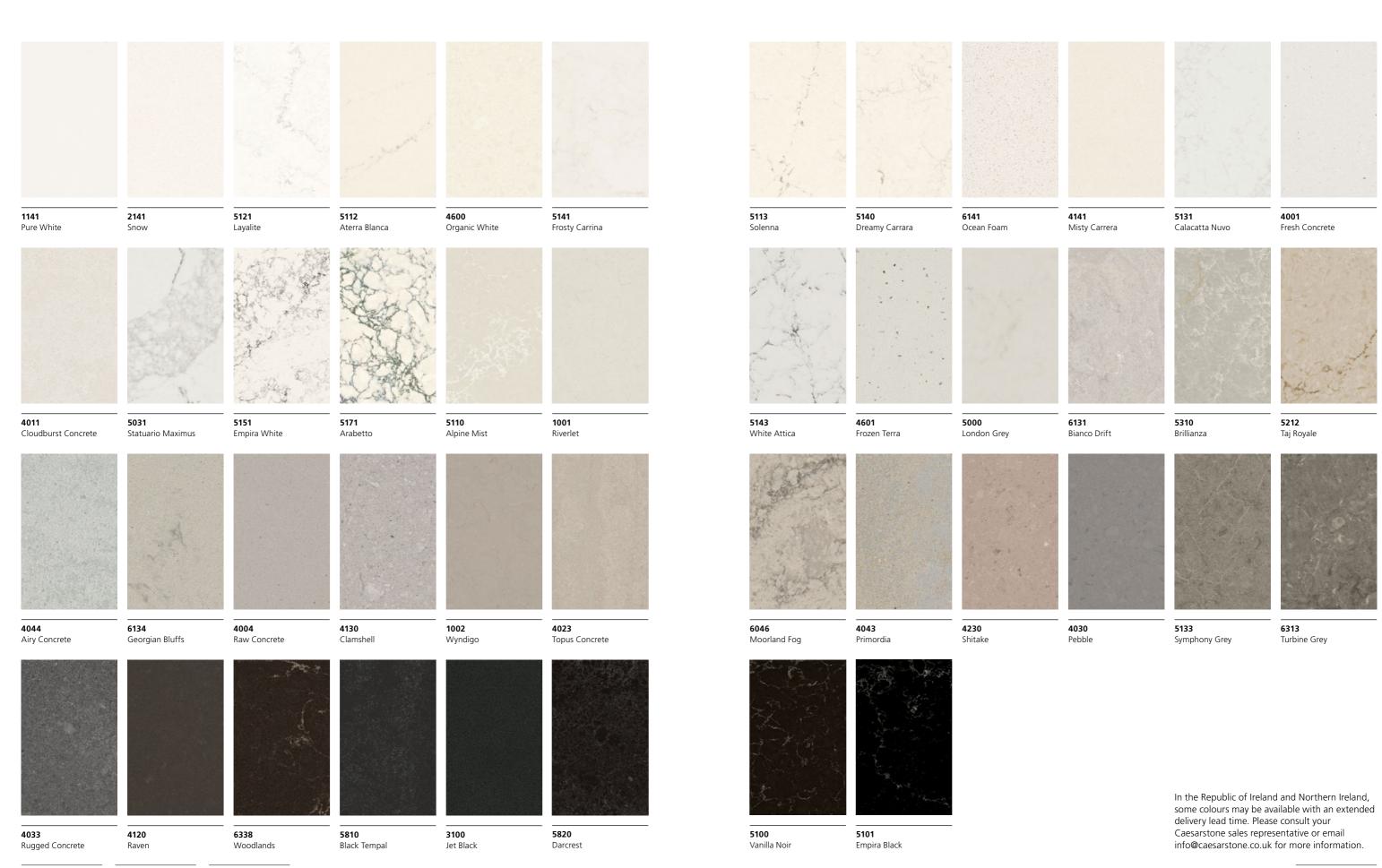
#### **Dark Surfaces**

- Dark surfaces, objects and furniture are characteristically more prone to showing fingerprints and other signs of daily living than light surfaces. As such, dark Caesarstone models may need a little more daily maintenance.
- Dark Caesarstone models, as all dark surfaces, tend to be more sensitive to scratch marks. It is therefore important to protect the surface from sharp objects by using a cutting board.
- Limescale may be more visible on dark models than light models so liquid should not be left to dry out on the surface.
- Use of cream-textured cleaning products is not recommended on dark surfaces.



- Do not use harsh cleaning products such as: oven/grill cleaners, dishwasher polishing agents, lye, caustic soda, acetone, paint strippers or any products containing trichloroethane or methylene chloride.
- Do not use plant-based cleaning agents as they may cause a chemical build up.
- If the surface comes into contact with any products that might damage it, rinse immediately with plenty of water.
- After cleaning, thoroughly rinse off any cleaning materials with water.
- Do not allow dirt or liquids to remain on the surface for a long time.
- If you use a cleaning product that is not on our list of recommended cleaning products, check first on an inconspicuous area that it doesn't damage the surface.
- Do not use abrasive scourers as they can damage the finish/sheen of your Caesarstone surface.

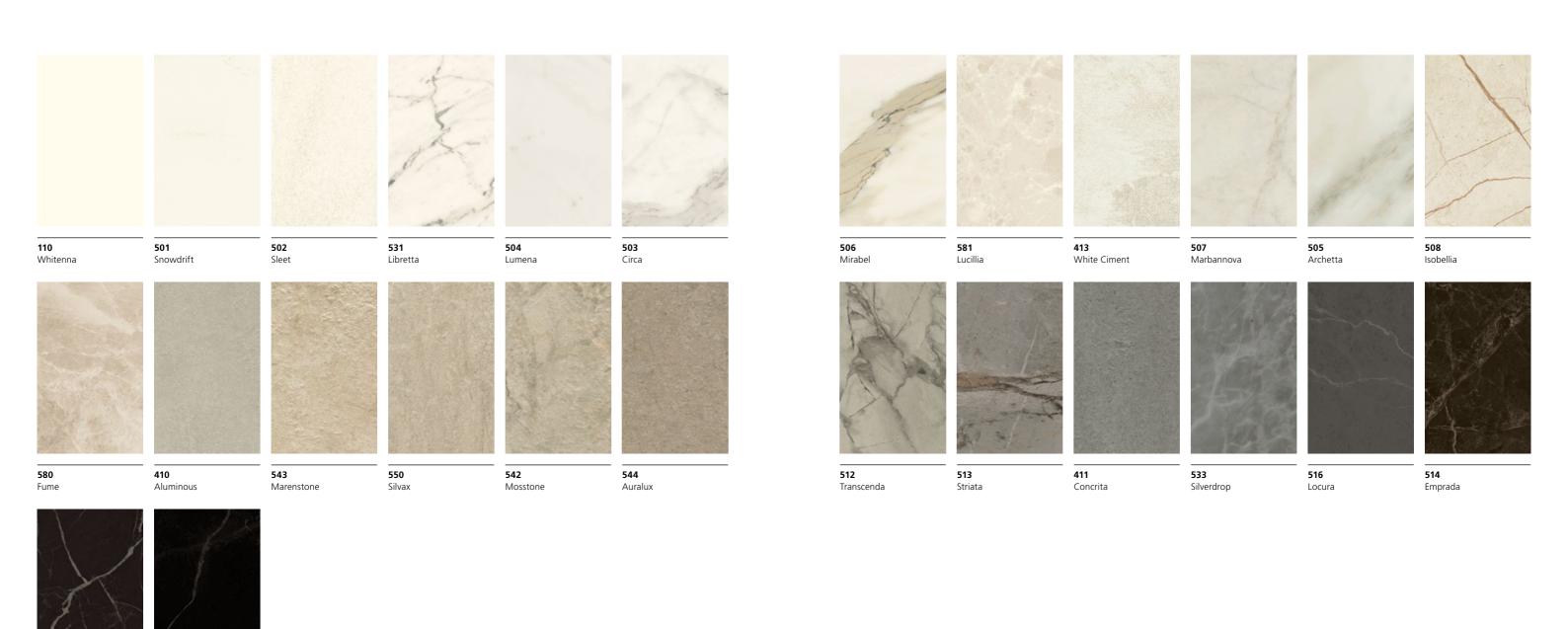
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### Porcelain

**511** Smokestone

**510** Impermia



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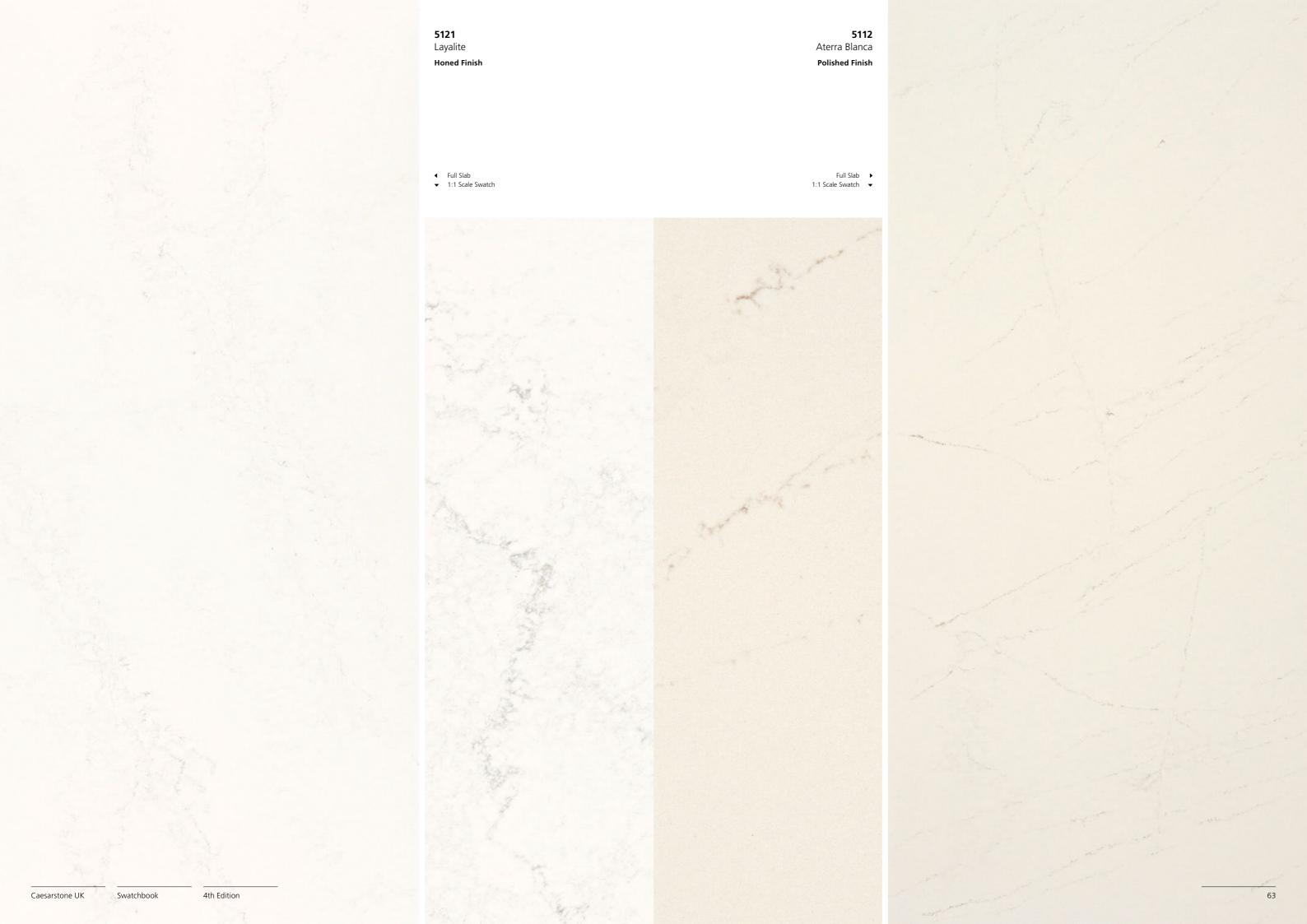
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Pure White Snow
Polished Finish
Polished Finish

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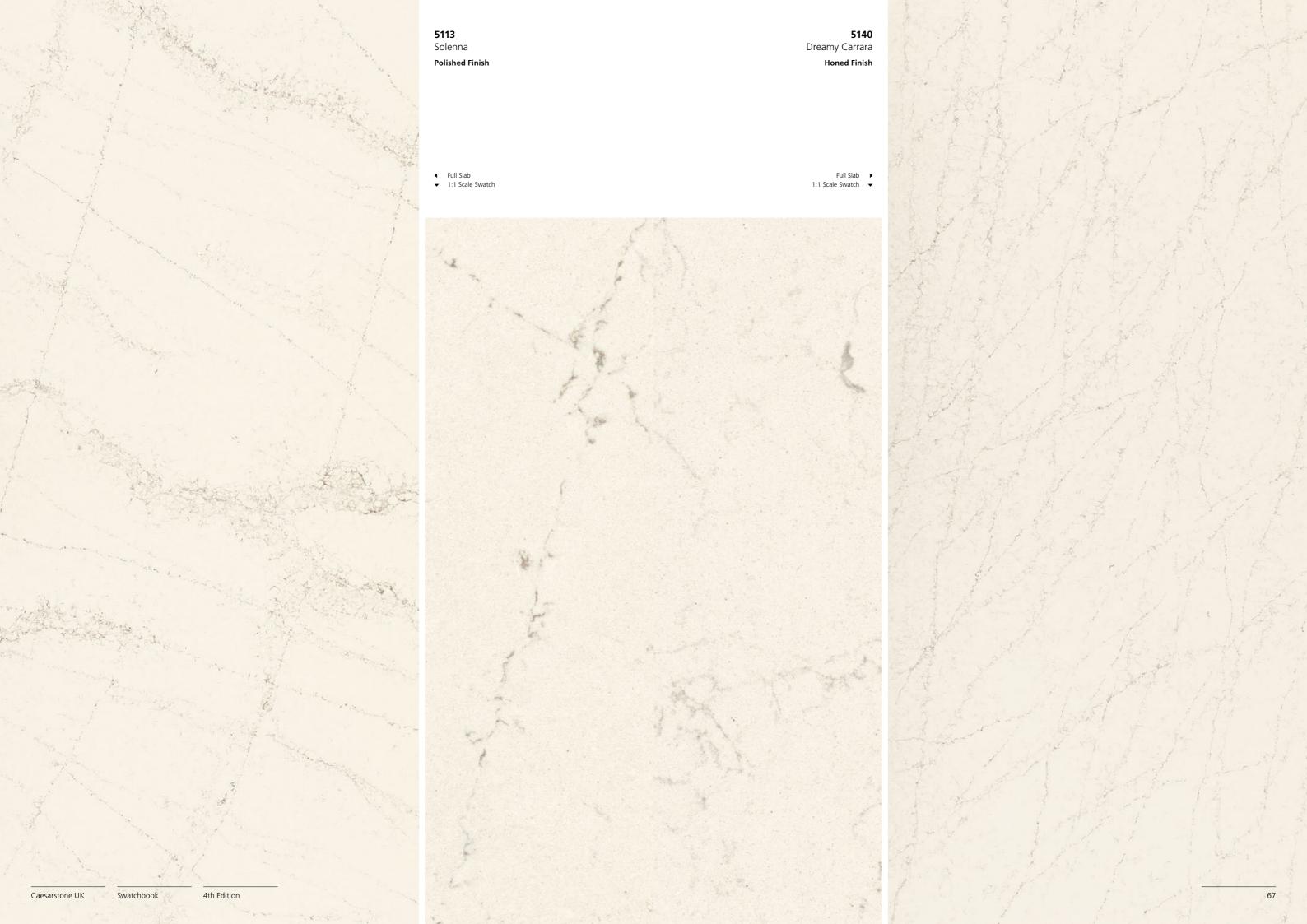


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Ocean Foam Misty Carrera
Polished Finish Polished & Honed Finish

 ◆ Full Slab
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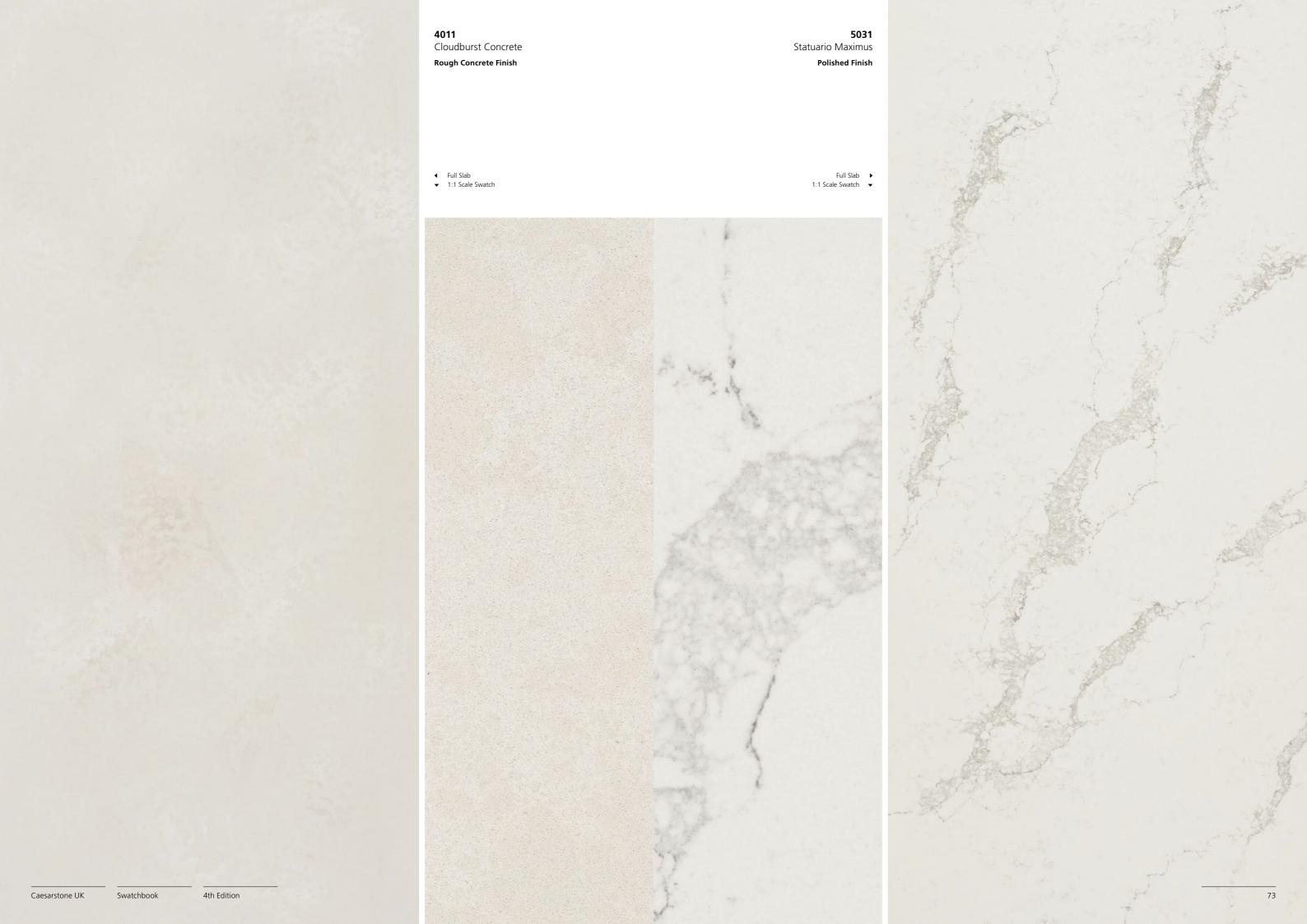
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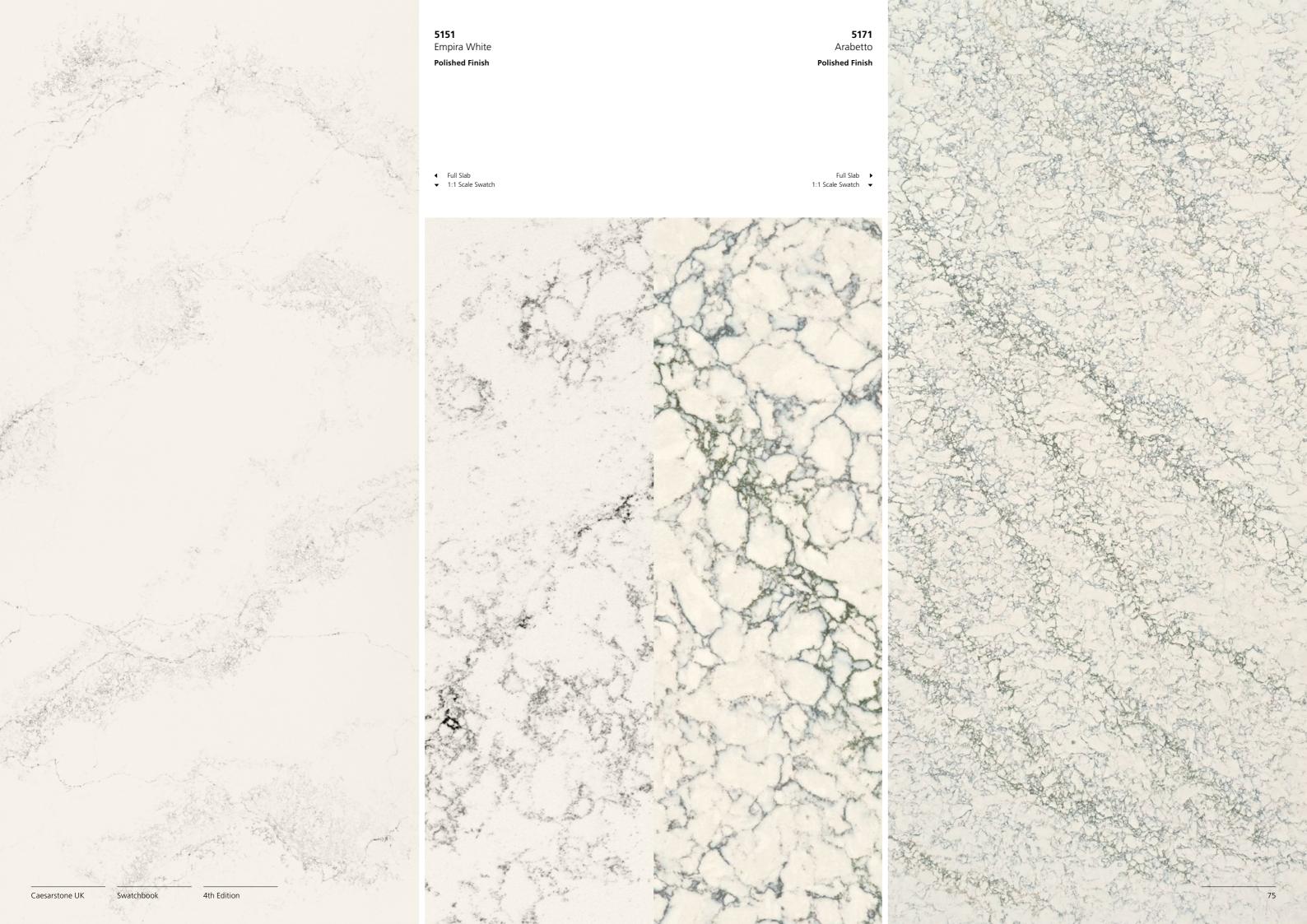
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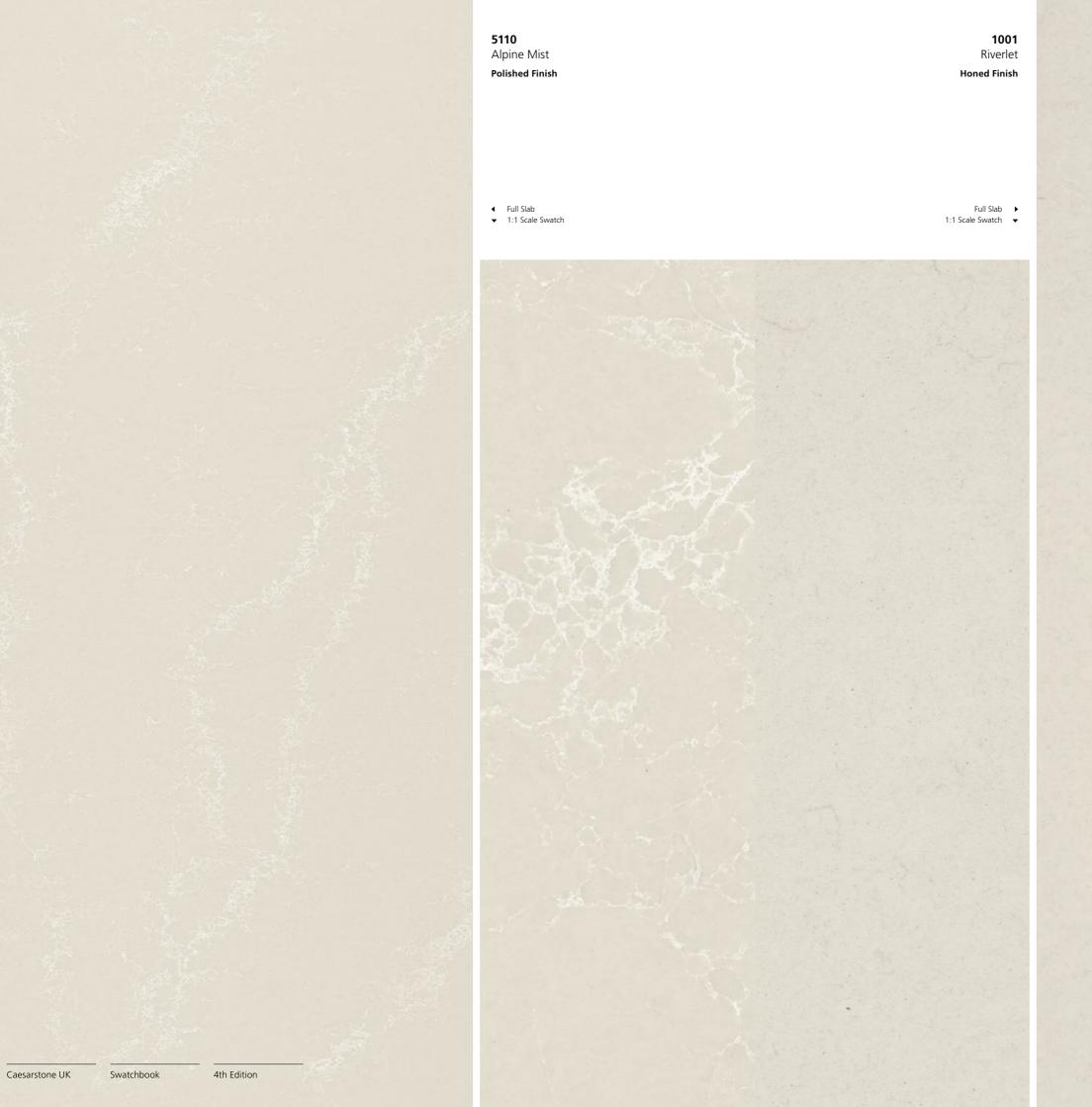
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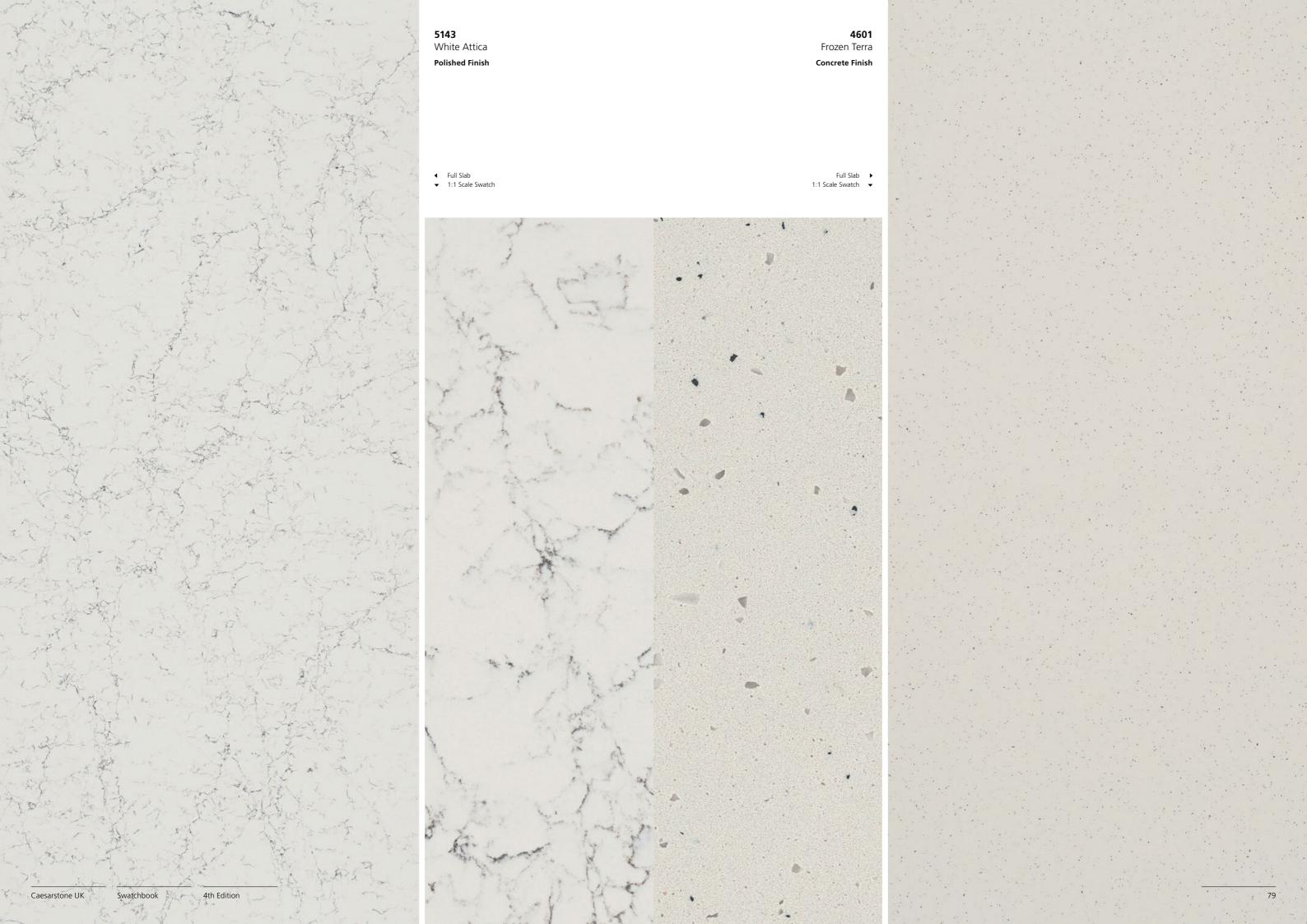
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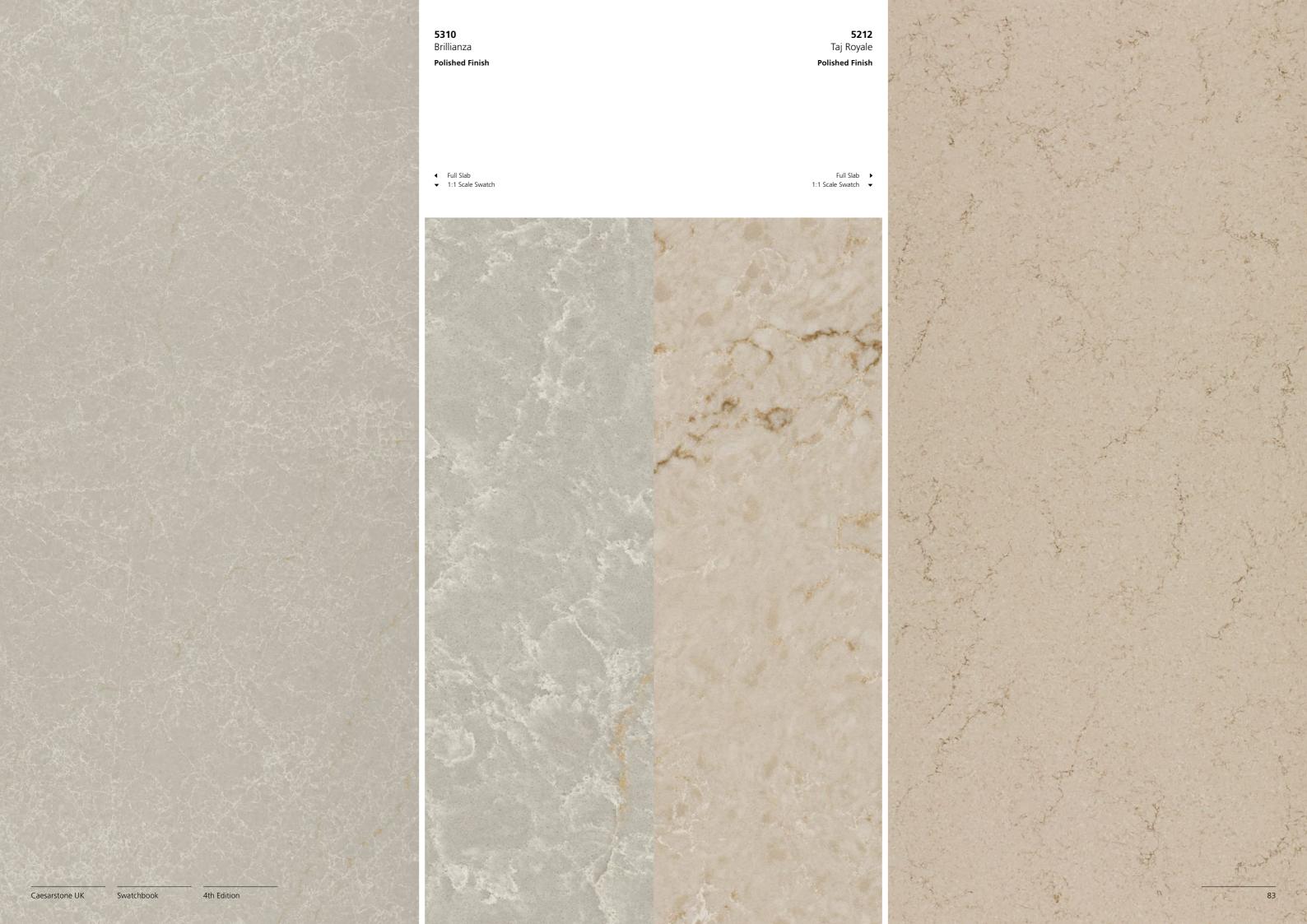














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1002 4023 Wyndigo Topus Concrete **Honed Finish** Rough Concrete Finish ◆ Full Slab▼ 1:1 Scale Swatch Full Slab ► 1:1 Scale Swatch ▼

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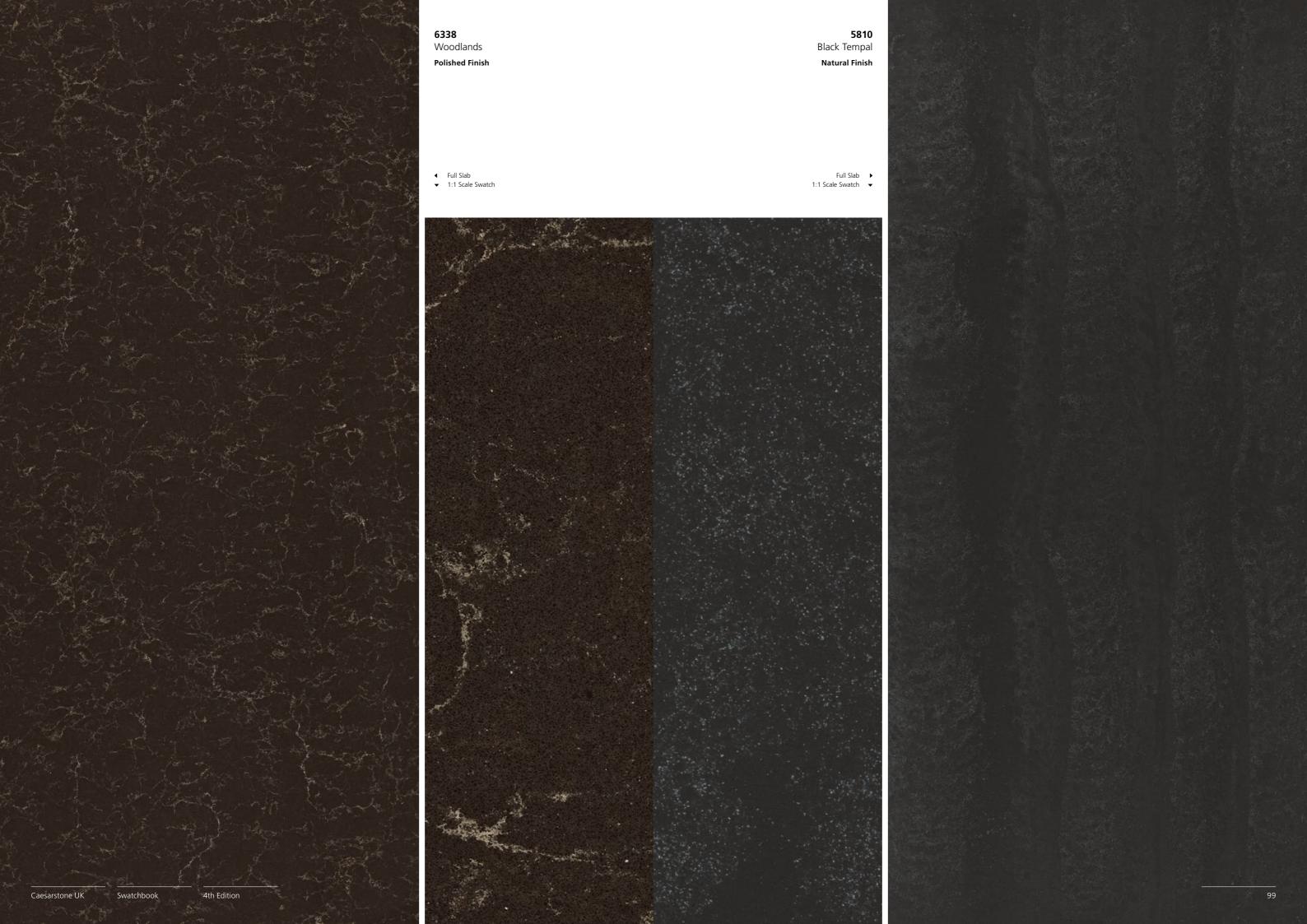


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4033 4120 Rugged Concrete Raven Rough Concrete Finish **Polished Finish** ◆ Full Slab▼ 1:1 Scale Swatch Full Slab ► 1:1 Scale Swatch ▼

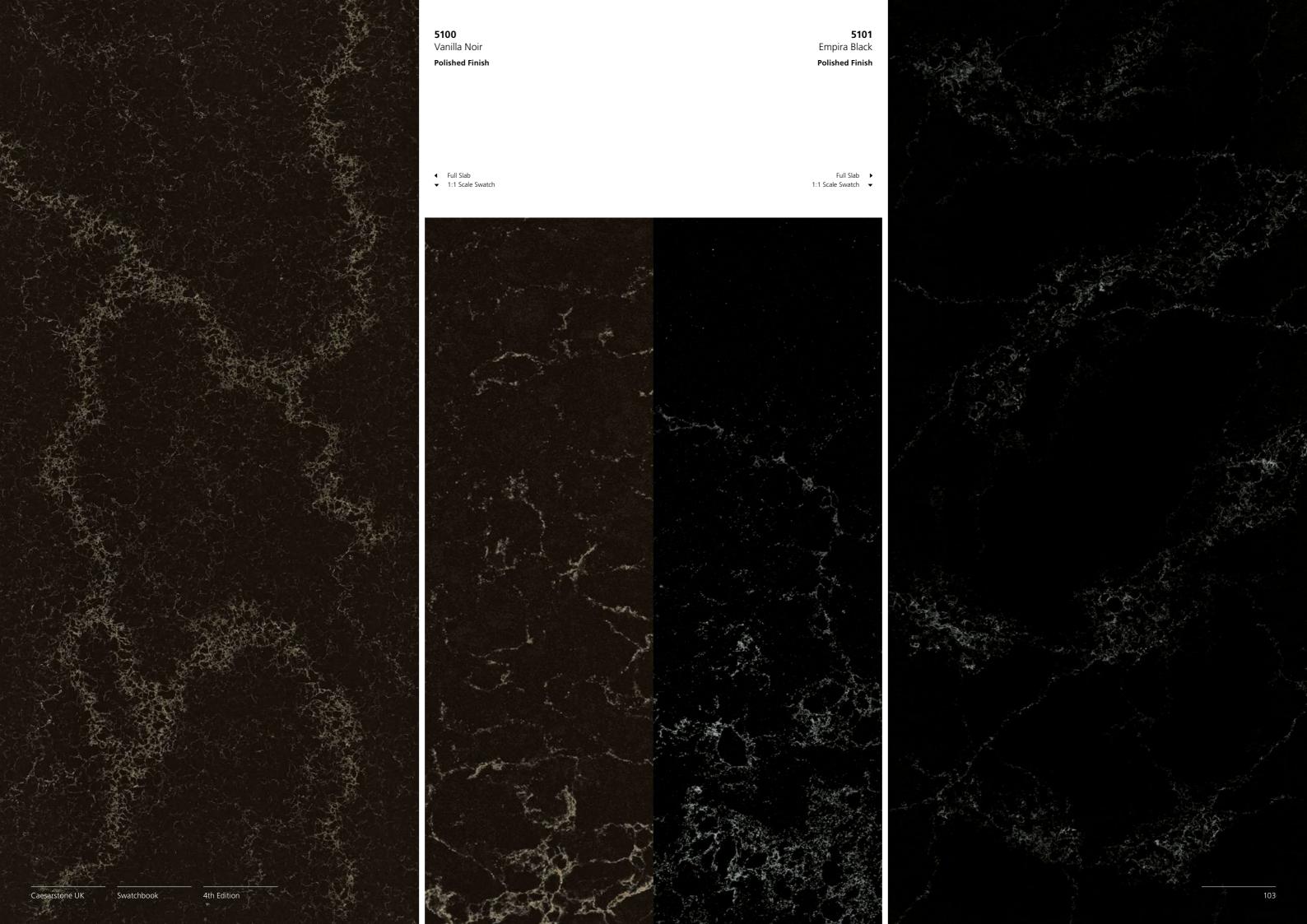


3100 5820 Jet Black Darcrest **Polished Finish Honed Finish** ◆ Full Slab▼ 1:1 Scale Swatch Full Slab ► 1:1 Scale Swatch ▼

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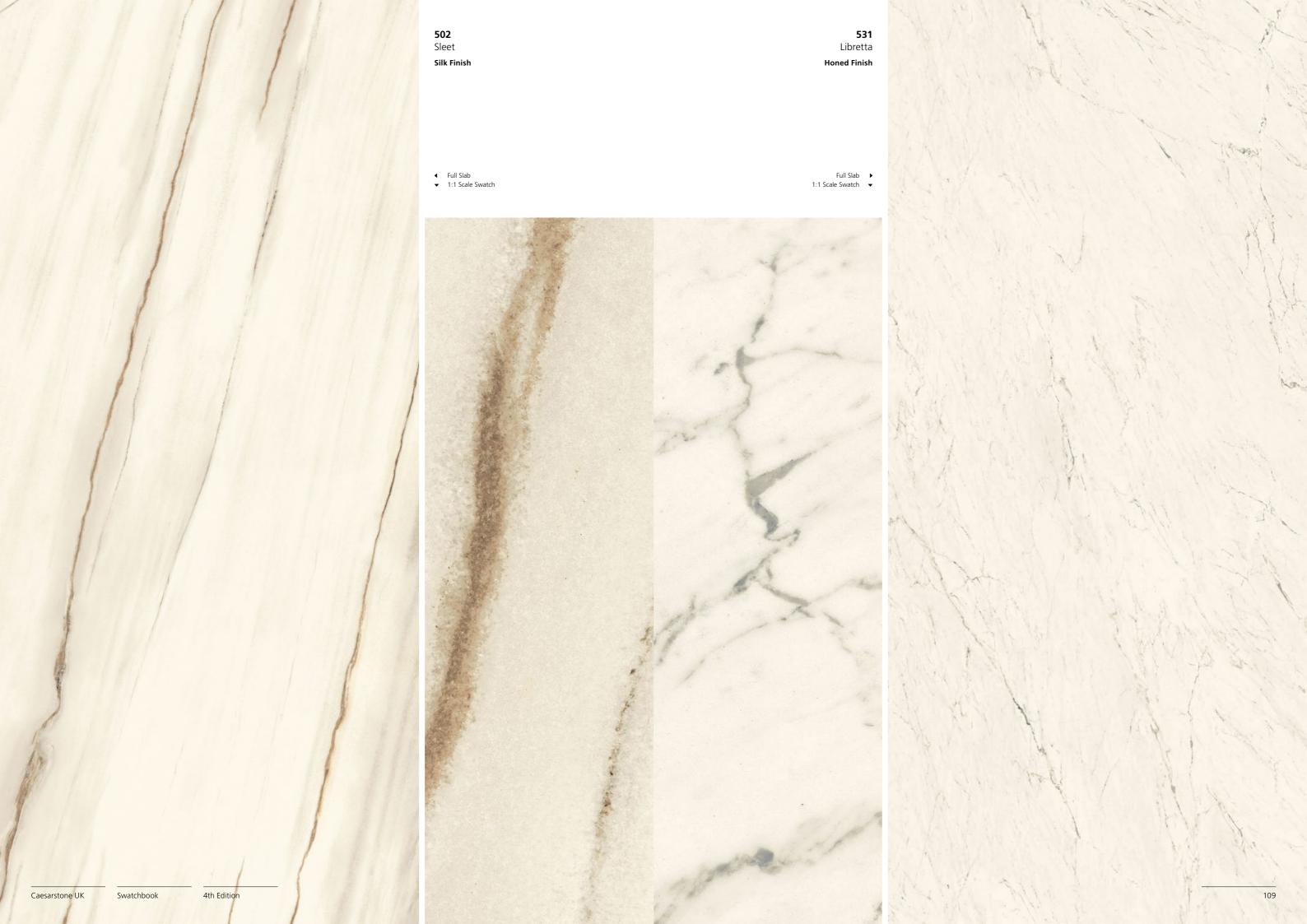


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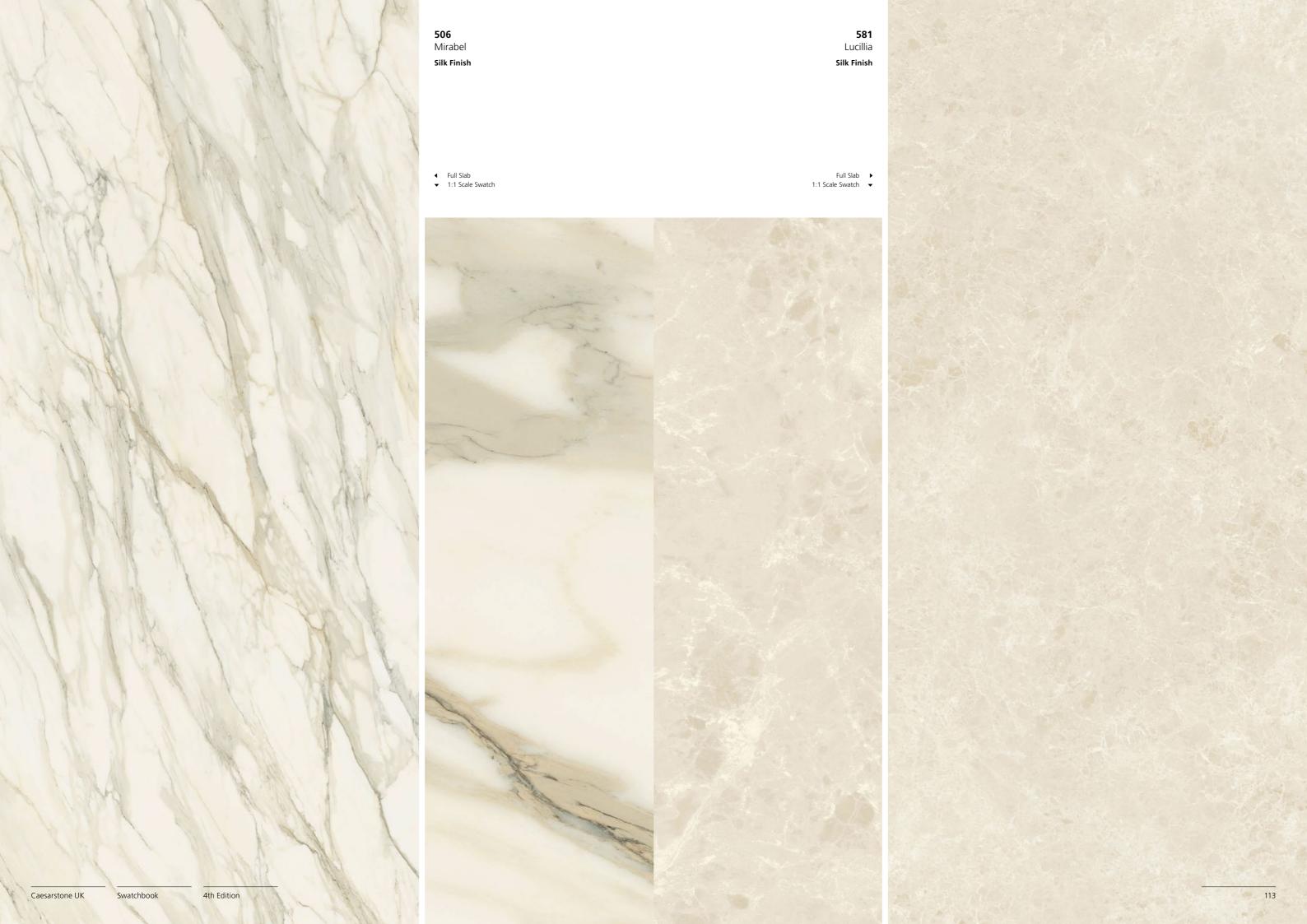
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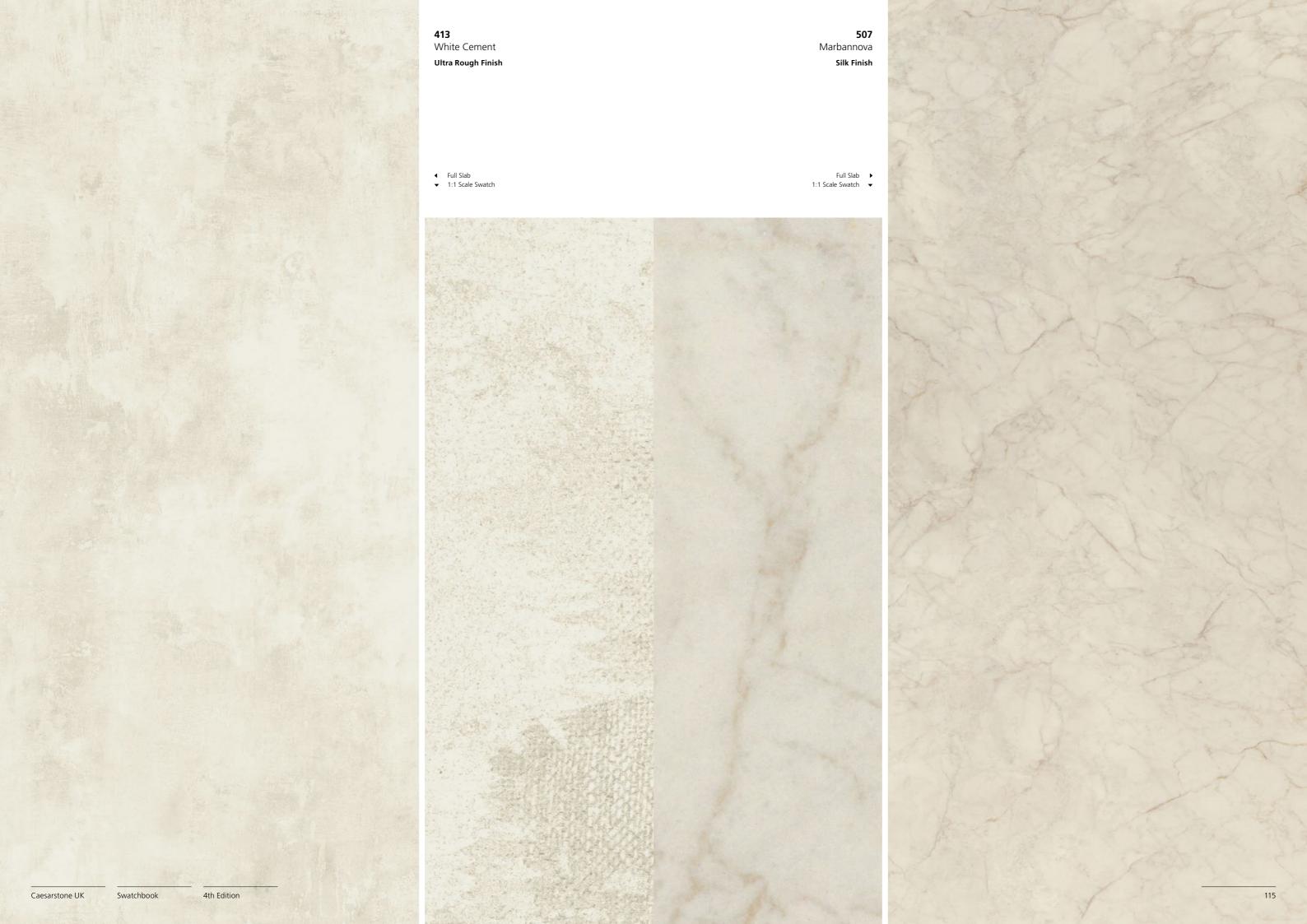
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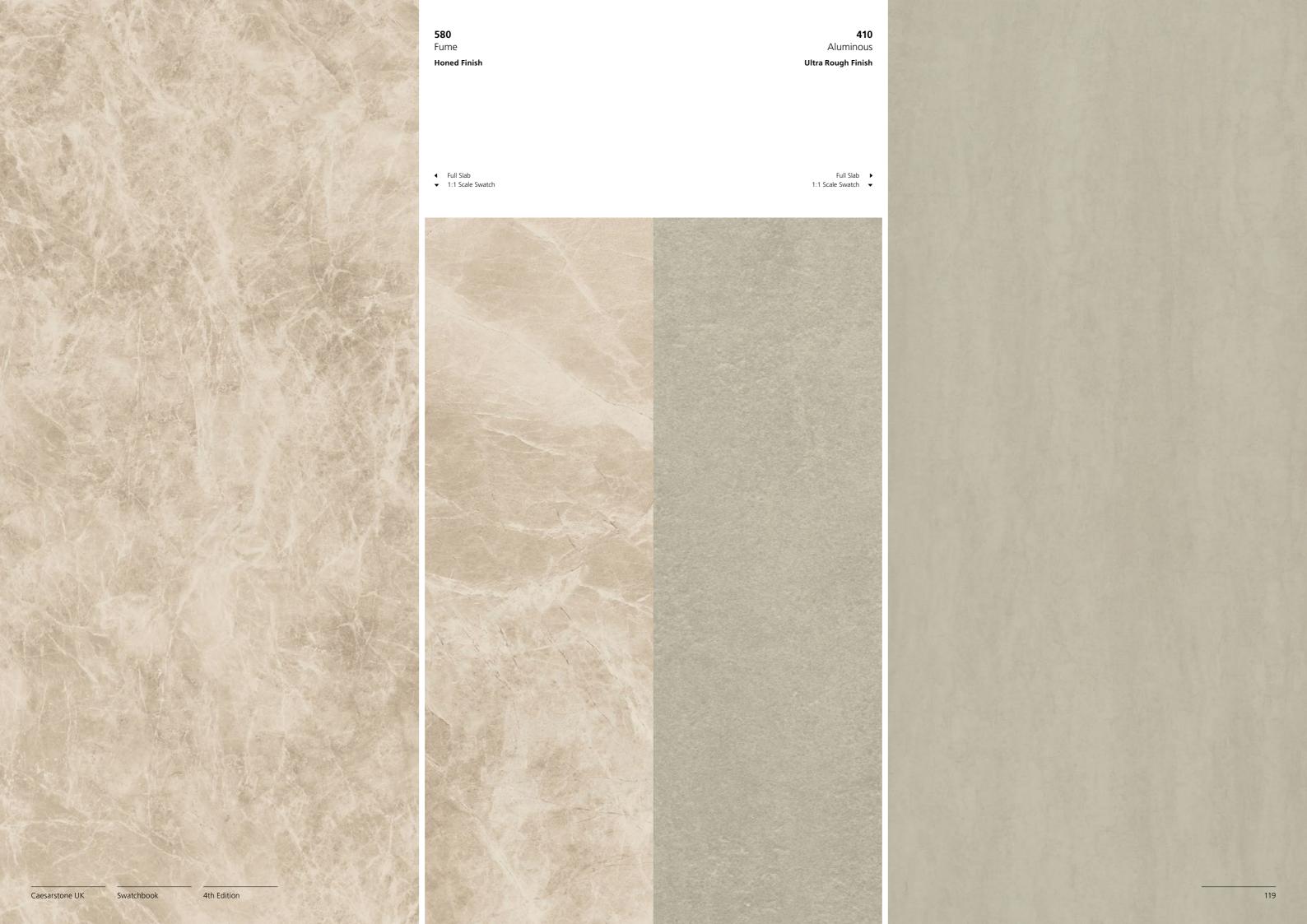




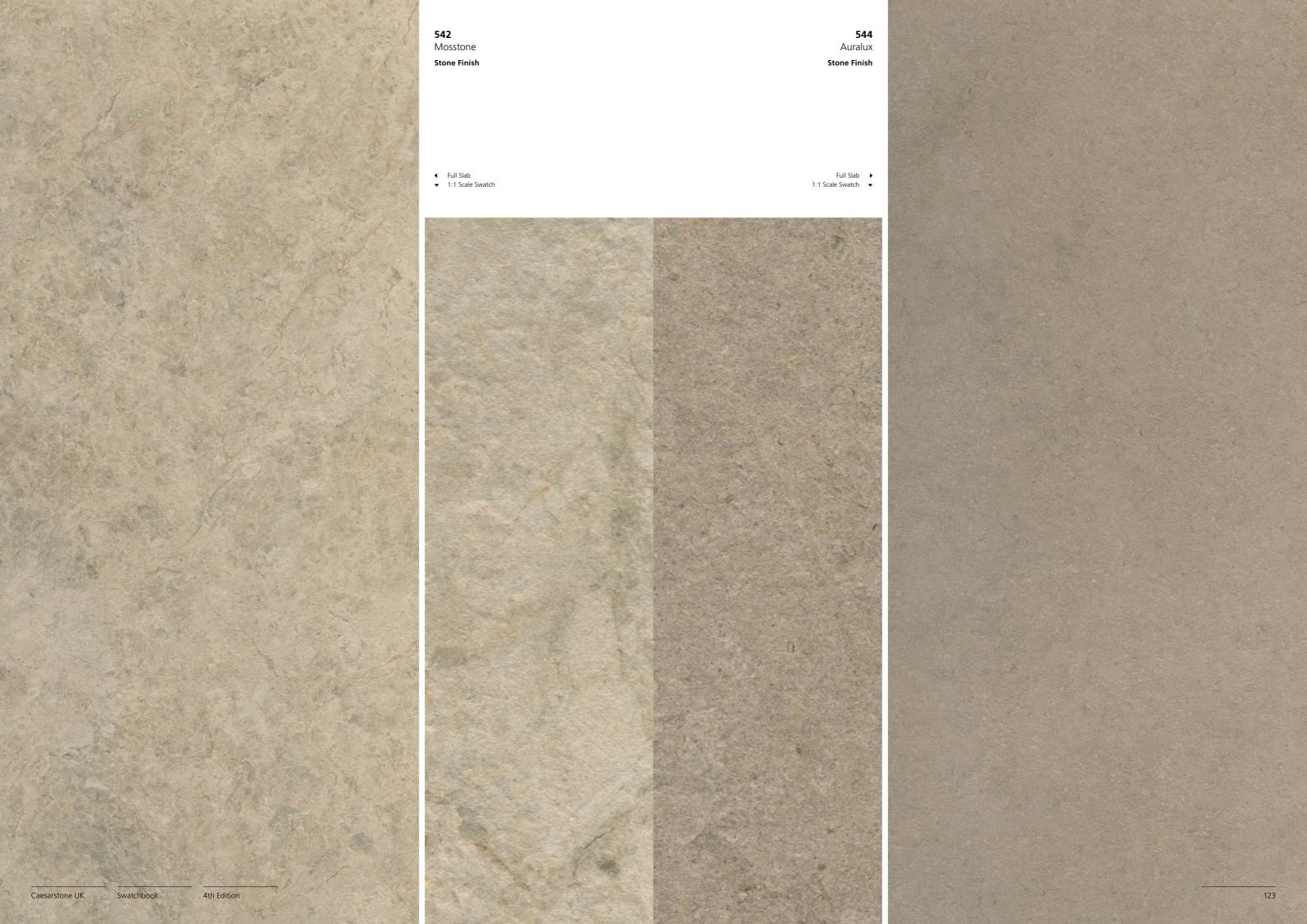


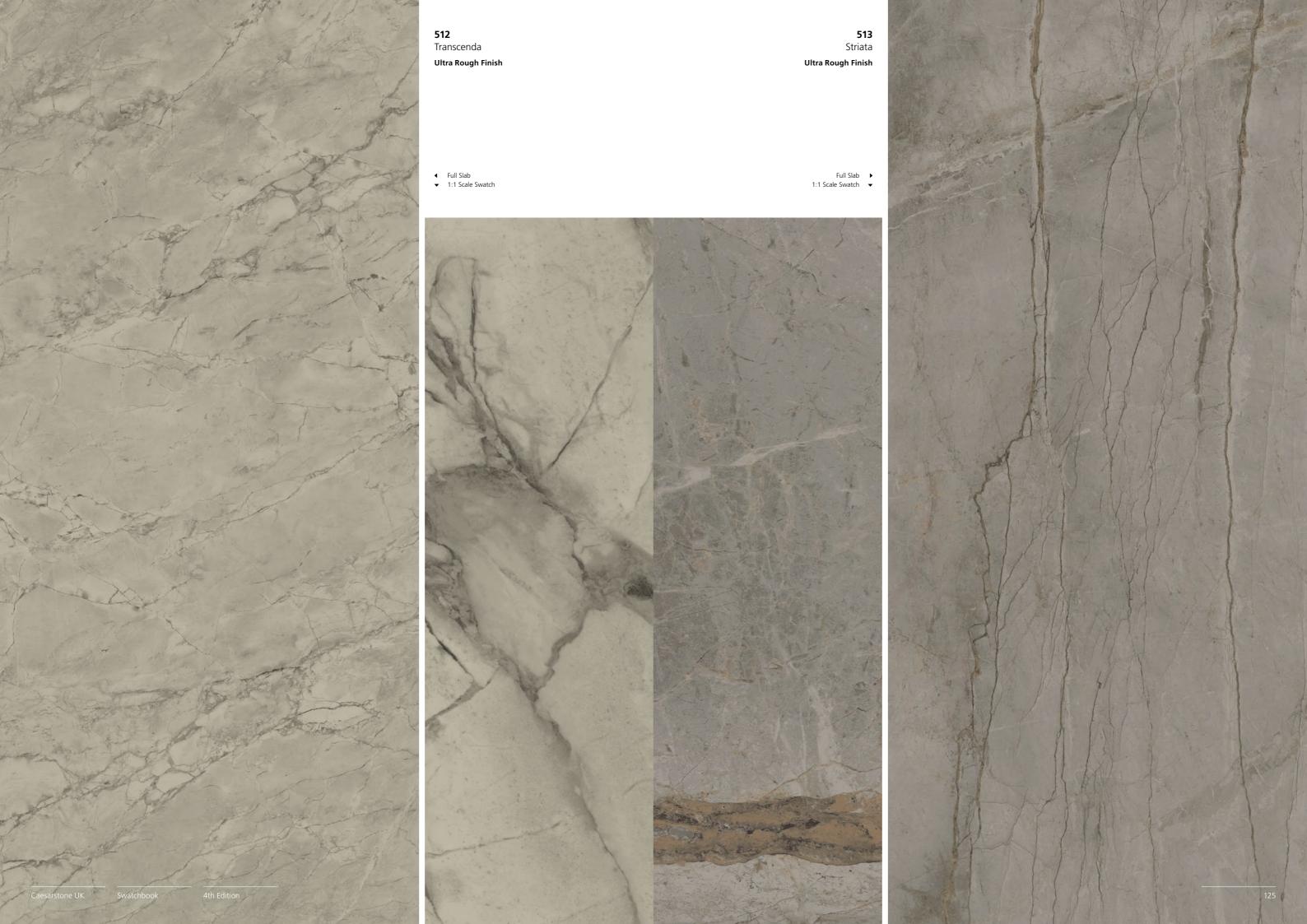




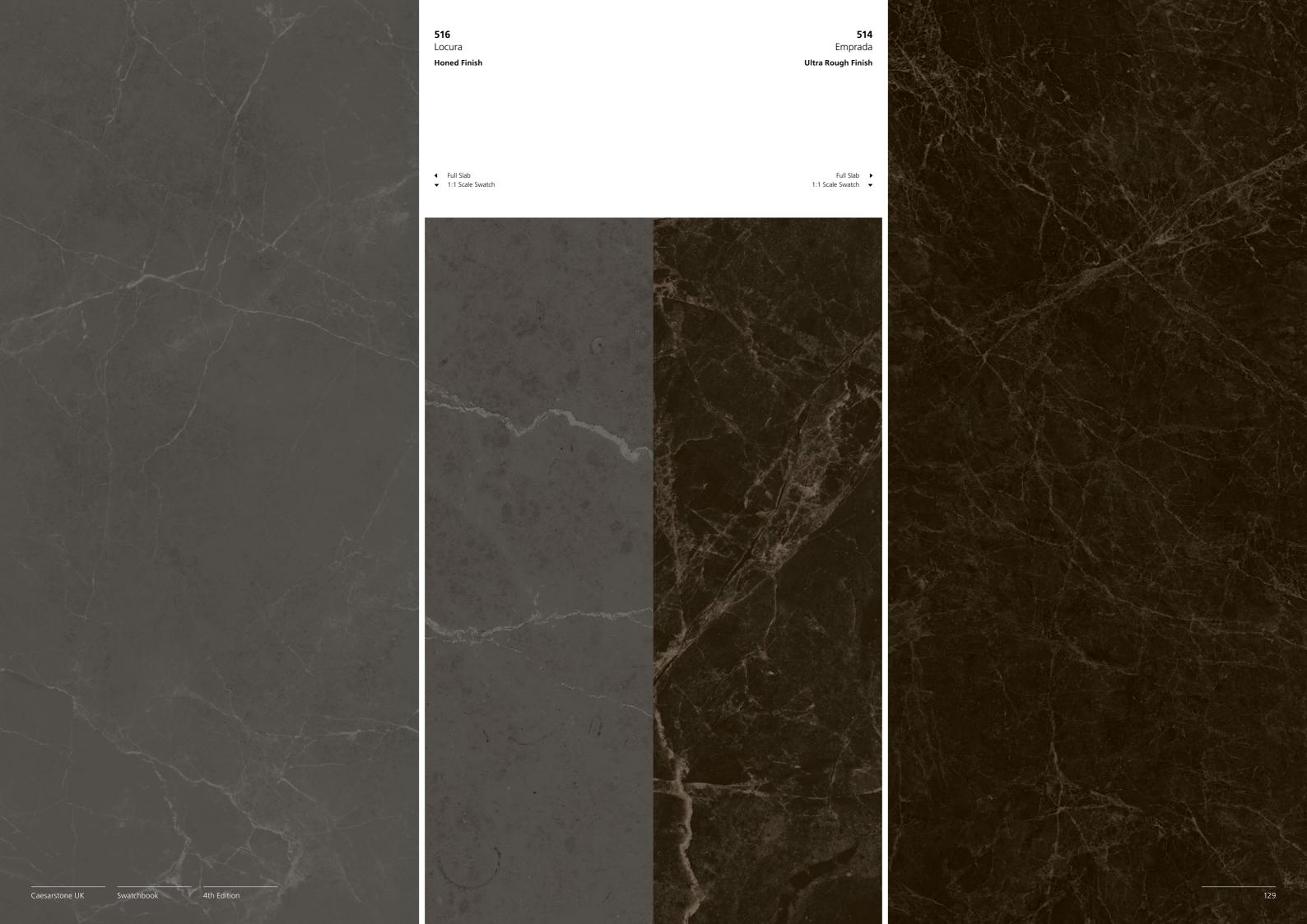


543 550 Marenstone Silvax Stone Finish Stone Finish ◆ Full Slab▼ 1:1 Scale Swatch Full Slab ► 1:1 Scale Swatch ▼ 121 4th Edition Caesarstone UK Swatchbook





411 533 Concrita Silverdrop Ultra Rough Finish **Honed Finish** ◆ Full Slab▼ 1:1 Scale Swatch Full Slab ► 1:1 Scale Swatch ▼







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