

Corsehill Sandstone

Corsehill Red Sandstone is a fine-grained sandstone from the Triassic age. Its hard-wearing and consistent texture makes it ideal for masonry, walling, cladding and paving. Oxidisation can sometimes occur on the face of the stone causing a dark discolouration.

Quarry Location

Corsehill quarry is located near Annan in Dumfries and Galloway. Corsehill was extensively quarried in the 1800s supplying stone to the likes of Liverpool Street Station in London. Having closed in the 1940s the quarry was reopened in 1982 and has since supplied many high-profile projects, with large reserves for the future. Due to the quality and durability of the quarried block, Cumbrian Stone's Corsehill Sandstone products can now be found on projects across all areas of the UK.



Corsehill walling and surrounds used on a primary school extension

Suitable for:

- Walling
- Paving
- Window/Door Surrounds
- Carved Feature Stones
- Cladding Panels
- Steps/Staircases
- Coping Stones
- String Courses
- Cornice Stones
- Balustrade
- Columns
- Portico/Feature Entrances

Natural Variations



Please note that printed colours may vary from printer to printer therefore the images contained within this datasheet are for reference purposes only. We would always recommend obtaining a sample of the stone for colour matching purposes. We are happy to supply a sample of any of our stones on request at the point of order.

These natural variations are indicative of the features that can be found within this sandstone. It is not possible to guarantee that any of the features shown will be present in any given stone, nor is it possible to guarantee the exclusion of any of these features.



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Technical Data

Cumbrian Stone's Corsehill Sandstone has been independently tested in line with British and European Standards*. The results of these tests are as follows:

Density	1980kg/m ³	Breaking Load @ Dowel	NPD
Compressive Strength	32 MPA	Slip Resistance (Dry)	NPD
Water Absorption	60.5g/m ² /sec ²	Slip Resistance (Wet)	NPD
Porosity	24.90%	Abrasion Resistance	NPD
Durability (Freeze Thaw)	NPD	Vapour Permeability	NPD
Flexural Strength	5.6 MPA	Reaction to Fire	Euroclass A1



From initial advice and guidance through to the manufacture and supply of bespoke natural stone products, our team of natural stone experts are on hand to assist with all of your natural stone requirements on projects of all sizes.

Give us a call, send us an email or drop in and visit our showroom today to find out how Cumbrian Stone can help with your next natural stone project.

*Please note that as natural stone is a natural product there can be variations in the composition of the stone that would result in these test results varying across the raw material. These results are an average taken from the testing of multiple samples taken from several quarried blocks. Cumbrian Stone would always recommend consulting a structural engineer to establish the minimum required properties where natural stone is being used for structural purposes, and the results contained on this sheet are not to be taken as a structural recommendation in any case.

