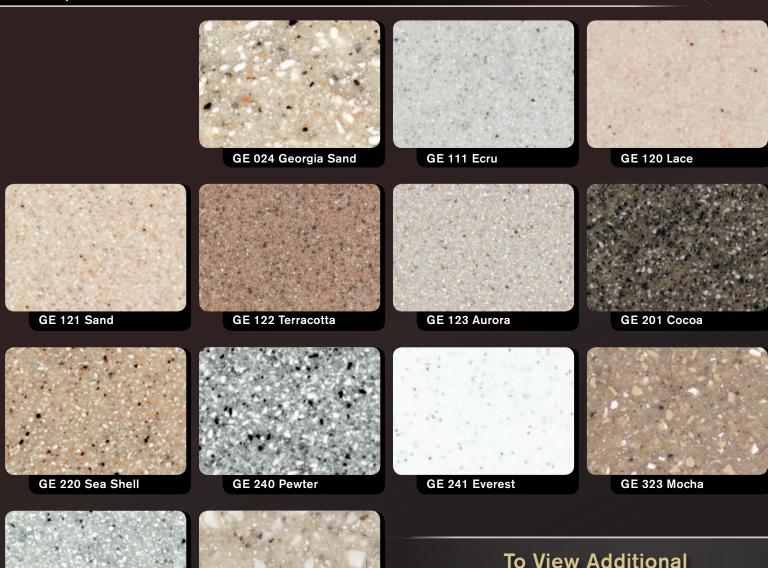


Distinctive. Durable. Timeless.

Huber's Granite Elite® is a precision formulated, ready-to-use mixture of alumina trihydrate (ATH) and pigmented polymer granules for manufacturing non-gelcoated solid surfaces and gelcoated cultured granite. It is typically used to produce kitchen and bath surfaces such as countertops, sinks, tubs and shower bases.

Popular Granite Elite Colors







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Why Granite Elite® from Huber Engineered Materials?

Product Appearance

- Solid surfaces made with Huber's Granite Elite® can be easily cleaned and repaired.
- The materials used to make Granite Elite are inherently stain and corrosion resistant.
- Huber is able to match virtually any customer color requirements, so let us know your custom color needs.
- The surface's high chip density combined with our quality ingredients create brilliant color and hue.

Product Performance

- Excellent batch-to-batch color consistency.
- Low resin demand with consistent resin to filler ratios.
- Superior air release characteristics.
- Fast wet-out in the mixing process.
- Consistent gel and cure characteristics.

Huber Engineered Materials

- Huber is a trusted supplier of alumina trihydrate (ATH) and calcium carbonate to the cast polymer industry and provides outstanding customer service, sales and technical support.
- Huber has an outstanding worldwide distribution network.

Granite Elite Technical Information

Physical Properties

Granite Elite colors are normally comprised of two to seven particle sizes of pigmented or semi-translucent granules and numerous color combinations to achieve the correct base color and granule sizing for the desired appearance. Granules range in size from +8 to -140 mesh and are mixed homogeneously by Huber into a combination of ATH grades for maximum particle packing and low resin demand. The specific gravity of Huber's Granite Elite products is 2.2, as ATH is a key ingredient. This refined chemical is a multi-functional extender that is pH stable in a range of 3 to 10 and, therefore, works effectively as a stain and corrosion resistant filler for solid surface products. ATH has a refractive index of 1.57, which allows for excellent translucency when used with polyester casting resins. The high-quality ATH used in Huber's Granite Elite has wet L values ranging from 87 to 90, which provides low color, excellent chip definition and translucency.

Formulating and Casting Tips

The recommended loading level for solid surface casting is 65% Granite Elite / 35% resin. Vacuum mixing is required for solid surface, and post cure is recommended. Initiator levels of 1.0% to 1.5% based on resin weight are normally used. For cultured granite, a loading of 70% Granite Elite / 30% resin can be used. Initiator levels of 1.5% on resin weight are normal, and moderate vibration is recommended.

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