

A smart investment with Simpolo Tiles

Choosing the right tiles for a space and purpose can often leave one feeling very confused. Simpolo Tiles & Bathware is aware of this, which is why we have created this tile guide to assist you in choosing tiles. The majority of your tile- related queries will be addressed below, which will also assist you in making wise choices each time you visit a tile store.

Tile Sizes:

Tiles can come in a variety of sizes. Tile is considered large when it reaches 800mm or greater. Tile also comes in squares from 600mm to 1200mm, but usually come in 600mm squares. Rectangular tile typically comes in sizes like 600x600mm, 800x800mm or even larger sizes like 1200x1200mm.

Tiny tiles come in smaller sizes like 58x250mm & 198x198mm and can be arranged easily into different Patterns.

Layout Pattern:

It's time to decide how to arrange your tile once you've decided on its style. To view an extensive list of your tile layout alternatives, The resources listed below might also be useful:
Each tile is unique and different from others.

Classification of Tiles:

In technical terms, tiles are categorised based on two primary factors: the degree of water absorption in the tile's body and whether the tile's top surface is glazed or unglazed. Finish is important for functional reasons in addition to appearances. Are you constantly trying to choose different tiles for different areas? We offer you a choice of tile design alternatives with our assortment of types of tiles, each expertly crafted for areas:

1. Glazed Tile:

- Matt (GVT, SCS MATT, POSH, STRONGX, PROTECT, FTS [FEATHER TOUCH SURFACE], PAPERMATT)
- Glossy (PGVT, SCS [HIGHGLOSS], SSS [SUPER HIGHGLOSS], DRY GRANULA)

2.Full Body:

- Matt
- Polish

Special Texture: Glazed/ Fullbody

There are hundreds of alternatives on display in a tile shop. Choosing the appropriate tiles can be very difficult and time-consuming. However, we're here to offer you advice on how to choose the ideal tile. Each and every time! Tiles are an important component of any area you design, whether they are used for the walls, flooring, or even the occasional pillar. It makes sense that your primary consideration when selecting a tile would be its aesthetic qualities, such as its colour, tones, patterns, textures, etc. However, you could ignore a tile's usefulness because you are so taken to its beauty. It is a fact that not every space can utilise every set of tiles. For instance, flooring in your bathroom made of glossy tiles is a recipe for catastrophe.

Room setting matters:

The area and purpose of the surface you wish to tile are crucial considerations. Different room settings include:

- 1) Bathroom tiles
- 2) Kitchen Tiles
- 3) Parking Tiles
- 4) Elevation Tiles
- 5) Bedroom Tiles
- 6) Outdoor Tiles
- 7) Terrace Tiles
- 8) Living Room Tiles
- 9) Balcony Tiles
- 10) Swimming Pool Tiles
- 11) Elevation tiles
- 12) Commercial Tiles

Tiles & Themes:

Before you take it up, plan it. In each room, tiles are only one element of a larger theme. Strive to create harmony with your tiles and every other element of your interior design, including the furniture, lighting, and general colour scheme. Additionally, wall and floor tiles are frequently purchased in contrasting or complementary hues depending on the tastes of the individual. Utilise the spark digital showroom function on our website, www.simpolo.net, to see how your selected Simpolo tile selection would seem on the walls and floors of various living areas, such as living rooms, bedrooms, kitchens, bathrooms, and outdoor areas.

Purchase what your entire budget allows: Before deciding on the price of a tile "per square feet," create a comprehensive interior budget for your home. For instance, if you decide to install 160 square feet of tiles in your bedroom at a cost of Rs. 60.00 per square foot, the total cost would be Rs. 9600. And then you find a better-looking, higher-quality choice that costs Rs. 100.00 per square foot. Although this alternative shows a roughly 60% increase in cost, the room would only cost an additional Rs. 6400 in total for a much better aesthetic and longer-lasting investment. Thanks to mass production processes, tiles are now more reasonably priced.

Count the number of tiles you need with our Tiles calculator

- 1.**How can one calculate the appropriate tile quantity for their home?
- 2.**Determine how many tiles you'll need.
Multiply the length by the width to find the surface area.
- 3.**When measuring for flooring, add the amount needed for skirting.
Typically, a 3 to 4 inch floor tile skirting—a border—is fastened to one wall at the room's edges.
- 4.**Tiles are marketed in pre-packaged sets that have a specified quantity of tiles of a given size, usually measured in millimetres or centimetres.
It is necessary to appropriately convert all measurements to the same unit (for instance, square metres or square feet for both the room space and the area covered by all three tiles in a box).
- 5.**Tiles are sold in boxes. Because tiles may be cut or vary, and some cut parts may not be utilised, always add around 10% extra quantity, depending on the shape and size of the room.
In addition, it's a good idea to save a few tiles for later use.
- 6.**Unexpected incidents can result in some tiles breaking or needing to be repaired, which could prevent you five from getting the desired design or shade at that point in time.

Grouting

The final and advised stage in installing tiles is grouting. The beauty of the tiles is further enhanced by using the proper grout to fill the joints. Grout is available in an array of colours. Usually, a colour is selected that either complements or contrasts with the tile's colour. Joint grouts can be purchased with an epoxy or cement foundation.

Epoxy is more expensive but designed for areas where hygienic conditions and strong chemical resistance are essential. They provide increased stain and water resistance against chemicals common in household cleansers. Small pieces of polypropylene called grout spacers are used to hold tiles firmly in place during precise and speedy installation while also ensuring uniform grout joint width. Tile spacers make it possible to align tiles precisely, producing a flawless straight line finish. The sizes of spacers are 2 mm, 3 mm, 4 mm, 5 mm, 8 mm, and 10 mm.

Kitchen Tiles:

1. Because ceramic tiles are so easy to clean, they are most common in kitchen areas.
2. Highlighter-filled walls with contrasting light and dark hues are still popular.
3. Kitchen flooring can have a matte finish; the most common dimensions are 800x1600mm & 1200x1800mm

A home's kitchen is its centre, where fragrances and flavours intertwine to create stories. However, these smells and flavours may leave a lasting stain on the kitchen walls. Therefore, a simple painted wall is insufficient. You need something that is both fashionable and strong—something that embodies your identity. **Kitchen Wall Concept:** Because they are simple to keep and clean, tiles are a popular option for kitchen spaces. You have two options for the kitchen: use single-color tiles throughout, or use varied tiles to create a wall concept. Highlighter tiles, which include kitchen tools and cutlery, are a popular wall design. Highlighter tiles are incredibly easy to clean and have a shiny surface. **Kitchen Floor Concept:** Often overlooked, kitchen floors ought to be given consideration. In addition to being frequently used, kitchens are also prone to stains, particularly on marble floors. Simpolo kitchen floor tiles are a long-term, hygienic solution. There is very little upkeep needed for these tiles. Tiles with a matt or glossy finish are options.

Bathroom Tiles:

1. Highlighter tiles combined with light and dark tiles are used to create wall concepts. Using highlighter tiles, one can create accent or statement walls.
2. Matt-finished ceramic floor tiles are non-skid, making them perfect for bathroom flooring. These come in a variety of sizes and hues.
3. One of the most common floor sizes is 600x600mm & 600x1200mm.

One goes to the toilet to find serenity. Nonetheless, while the entire house is being built, designed, or refurbished, it frequently continues to be the most disregarded area. Bathrooms are sometimes overlooked because they are perceived as less apparent than other places or because they are too small to be of any use.

But more than any other place you wish to exalt, does your bathroom reveal more about your character and sense of hygiene?

Let us assist you in selecting the ideal tile to add a "wow" factor to your bathrooms.

Bathroom Wall Concept: Your bathroom walls give off a first impression of your personality. Wall ideas are well-liked, and there are many of styles to suit any need.

The most common sizes for Vitrified tiles are 600x1200mm, 800x1600 & 1200x2400mm. Vitrified tiles absorb less water and are simpler to maintain and clean. They are also readily cladable on the wall.

Highlighter tiles are artfully arranged with light and dark tiles to create a vibrant mix for wall themes.

Bathroom floor concept: When it comes to creating the illusion of a larger bathroom, tiles are essential. Bathroom flooring is very important since choosing the wrong flooring might be dangerous.

Because they are non-skid, Vitrified tiles with a matte finish are among the most preferred options. 600x600mm & 600x1200mm is the most widely used size.

Bathroom floor tiles come in a variety of hues, tones and dimensions. These are safe for children and senior family members, and they require little upkeep. Here are some examples of well-liked bathroom tiles.

Living Room Tiles

1. Larger 1200x1800mm & 800x1600mm vitrified tile slabs are still the most common choice for living rooms.
2. Marble and oak Tile floors are still popular alternatives for living rooms because they can be wiped, appear classy, and are simple to maintain.
3. Use accent walls in your living room by covering the walls with tiles. You can also use neutral tiles to create a glitzy look on all the walls.

Although you spend a lot of time in your living room, it's also the first place visitors see when they come to your house. Additionally, tiles can be the long-lasting and sturdy choice for you if you want to step up your game.

Living Floor floor concept: For living rooms, vitrified tiles are the most common flooring options. Simpolo offers a wide selection of patterns and designs for living room floor tiles.

You can choose larger vitrified tiles to give your living area an upscale and elegant appearance. GVT is a common size in larger slabs, measuring 1200x1800mm. It can provide your living area a touch of sophistication and quality style. Larger slabs minimise the visible joints in the room, making your interiors appear more expansive and opulent.

The most common tile patterns for living rooms are still marble and hardwood Tile.

In contrast to marble slabs, marble tiles are less expensive, easier to keep, and come in a variety of colours and patterns. Marble slabs and tiles have an identical appearance.

Additionally, you may use Simpolo website to explore the world of tiles and look at additional popular tiles for your living room.

[Living room floor tile link](#)

Living room wall concept: Wall tiles for living rooms are becoming more and more popular in this area. Even though you enjoy painting or applying wall paper, tiles are a one-stop shop that looks better, lasts longer, and is more sophisticated.

Tiles may be used for many different things; you can make an accent wall out of them or use marble or book match marble tiles. In addition to looking fantastic, glossy, and matte finishes last longer than paint or wallpaper.

Tiles provide your living spaces a luxurious appearance that makes an impact on visitors.

Bedroom Tiles:

- 1.If you want your area to appear larger and brighter, go for vitrified tiles with neutral shade in glossy finishes on walls and matt finish for the flooring.
- 2.Another popular material that may be used in many ways is wooden planks combined with other tiles.
- 3.Give tiles a chance on your bedroom walls and use neutral-coloured tiles to create chic accent patterns that will improve the room's overall appearance.

The bedroom should instantly make you feel more at ease because it is a private area. You should carefully consider your particular style, habit, and upkeep while designing the cosy bedroom area.

Bedroom Floor concept : Bedroom flooring can be covered with vitrified Tiles.

If you want to create the illusion of more space and light in your room, we suggest larger, glossy vitrified tiles.

Although oak tiles and marble floors still rule bedrooms, designer and digital tiles are gradually catching up with the current style. Marble floor tiles in a variety of hues, such as beige, brown, white & grey, look stunning. Additionally, you shouldn't think twice about choosing the timeless hardwood tiles.

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Elevation tiles

1. Elevation tiles are a great method to draw attention to your walls and are suitable for both indoor and outdoor use.
2. They are robust and guard against bacterial and fungal threats to walls.
Popular options include terracotta, concrete, brick, stone, and other rustic designs with a natural appearance.

3. Sleek marble tiles in various sizes and hues (1200x2780mm, 1200x2400mm, 1200x1800mm, 800x1600mm & 600x1200mm) are also popular.

Elevation wall concept: Elevation tiles are a fantastic way to cover your walls.

Elevation tiles are a great method to draw attention to your walls and are suitable for both indoor and outdoor use. They are more resilient than paint and shield walls from bacterial and fungal threats. Simpolo Tiles offers a wide variety of styles, from sleek-looking marble tiles in various hues and sizes to terracotta, brick, stone, and other natural-looking rustic patterns.

Outdoor Tiles:

1. For gardens, walks, etc., look for flooring solutions that are long-lasting and weatherproof without sacrificing design or aesthetics.
2. There are three types of outdoor tiles or pavers: natural stone, concrete, and brick.
3. The most common sizes in this range are 400x400mm, 400x800mm, 600x600mm & 600x1200mm which are available in 10mm, 12mm, 16mm & 20mm thicknesses.

Outdoor floor tile concept:

For garden walks or outdoor spaces, you need to choose flooring alternatives that maintain design and beauty without sacrificing durability or weather resistance.

Paver or outdoor tiles are ideal for this.

These tiles are weather resistant and made specifically for outdoor use.

They come in a range of sizes and colours to suit your needs.

These tiles are suitable for outdoor applications such as terraces, balconies, and garden paths. Here, you can also view a variety of paver tiles.