

Tense Material

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Description

Coffee table with mono-material finish. The important technological innovation it incorporates, combined with the tensioning capacity of the components makes it possible to build tabletops in large sizes which remain perfectly flat and also extremely light.

The 1³/₈ thick tabletop is a load-bearing composite board built with an internal frame consisting of either aluminum profiles and polystyrene filler, except for the brass top which has an acrylic resin honeycomb filling covered with two outer layers of aluminum. 1³/₈x1³/₈ steel legs with internal structural tie-rod.

Frame and tabletops are available in:

. Stone, in reconstructed stone, transparent acrylic finish. Top, edges and legs coated with application of 1/8" thick material

. Stone, in reconstructed stone white Calce and black slate, this particular finish is a mineral compound composed of marble and quartz. It is spread manually over the entire surface of the table, and after application a maturation process at room temperature is required. After a manual sanding process, the material is protected with a water-based nanotechnological finish. Top, edges and legs covered with the application of a thickness of about 5/8" of material.

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. Marble, this particular finish, reconstructed marble, is made starting with marble dust that has been mixed with a filler and is then spread manually over the entire surface of the table. Top, edges and legs are covered with a sheet of material in a thickness of about 1/8". Finishes: black ebony and white Carrara marble.

. Brass, in brass plate, matt brushed finish and transparent acrylic cover. Top, edges and legs coated by a brass plate.

. Diamond (glossy red): an innovative material processing and stratification technique that showcases the top, its qualities and the depth of the color. The material stratification process is based on a special mass-colored concrete resin around 1/8" in thickness which is expertly combined with a binder and applied by hand all over the top in a deliberately irregular and non-uniform way. The subsequent combination of the black patina, rough, dynamic and with lots of shadowy areas, and the surface finish consisting of various layers of polyester, extremely thick, smooth and very glossy, creates an original lens effect notable for its color and depth. Surface, edges and legs with application of 1/8" thick material composed of a masscolored cement base and surface finish in glossy polyester.

. Natural oak wood with transparent acrylic finish. Top, edges and legs coated by 1/8" thick solid wood.

. Carbone, created in solid natural oak wood, thickness 1/8", subjected to surface acid etching treatment applied by using natural acids without chemical additives. This innovative process inspired by alchemists of the past allows to alter the organic properties of wood. The reaction of tannins contained in wood generates natural "burning" that endows the surface with a unique carbonised effect.

Contact with the natural acid enhances sensitive wood with the shade and colors of warm intense black, rich in natural gradations that are not uniform but unique. The natural surface features a special extensive matt finish that is rough and worn, a genuine visual and tactile experience for the user. Top, edges and legs covered with a sheet of material in a thickness of about 1/8".

. Fine wood, in Italian walnut, transparent acrylic finish. Edges and legs covered in walnut, processed with sawed effect (series of irregular cuts of different depths). Top covered in wood, fine smooth finish with variable slats which give the surface a distinctive array of shades, exalting the natural characteristics of the wood and raw material. Made in Italy.

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Top & Frame: Reconstructed stone / Reconstructed marble.

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Dimensions (Available heights: 13³/₄ or 17³/₄)

Rectangular A: 55¹/₈W x 17³/₄D

Rectangular B: 63"W x 17³/₄D

Rectangular C: 70⁷/₈W x 17³/₄D

Rectangular D: 55¹/₈W x 31¹/₂D

Rectangular E: 63"W x 31¹/₂D

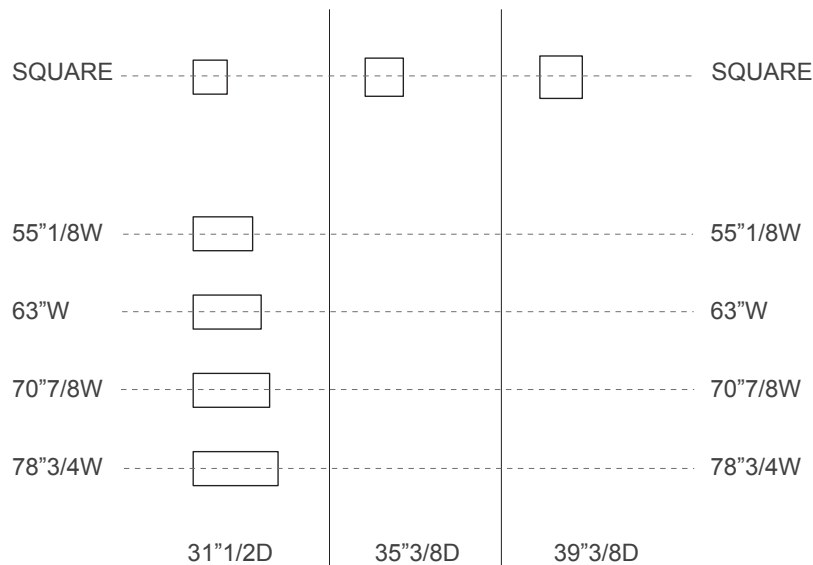
Rectangular F: 70⁷/₈W x 31¹/₂D

Rectangular G: 78³/₄W x 31¹/₂D

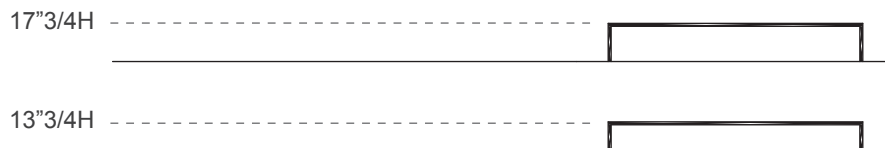
Square H: 31¹/₂W x 31¹/₂D

Square I: 35³/₈W x 35³/₈D

Square J: 39³/₈W x 39³/₈D



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