Artdecors Lite with metallic finish are extremely thin stone veneers with a final coat of metal pigmented paint.

Artdecors Lite in concrete look are a combination of fiberglass and colored resin on the front.

**STANDARD SIZES**

- Regular size: 1.220 x 610 mm (metal finish & concrete veneers)
- Large format: 2.400 x 1.200 mm (metal finish)

Dimensional tolerance is ± 1.5 mm in length, width and at the right angles.

**WEIGHT**

approx. 1.8 – 3 kg/m²

**THICKNESS**

approx. 1.5 – 2.0 mm

**DENSITY**

~ 1.45 kg/m²

**THERMAL EXPANSION**

0.5 – 0.8 mm (up to 90°C)

**TEMPERATURE RESISTANCE**

up to 120°C

**PROCESSING TEMPERATURE**

10°C to 35°C are recommended.

**FIELDS OF USE**

Walls, ceilings, furnace construction, furniture.

**Note:** Not suitable for wet areas or outside!

**TOOLS**

Any commercially available tool (DIY-tools) for sawing, drilling, milling, cutting, bending or pressing. For industrial processing we recommend using diamond blade tools due to strong wear on wood blades.

If masking tape is used, please make sure that not adhesive is left on the sheet. Please use tape with low adhesion and do not leave the tape on the surface for too long. Test any adjustments to the materials and tools beforehand in any inconspicuous place or a test sheet.

When processing only use sheets that could lay flat and are completely relaxed! Applying heat through a hot air gun or underfloor heating can increase flexibility of material.

**LAMINATION ON WOOD, METALS, PLASTERBOARDS**

Lamination with 1-Component-PU-Adhesive (Polyurethane).

Compensating additives: Backing paper 120 g/m² or 0.8 mm HPL.

Use an additional 7 mm rubber with a hardness of 50 Shore. Depending on the design of the press, the pressure must be carefully selected.

**CLEANING**

Use a lint-free cloth for cleaning.

Use normal commercial cleaners.

**Important note:** Please not that acid cleaners attack the surface and are not suitable!

**ADHESIVES**

We recommend using Slate-Lite X-treme Bath+Exterior.

If you adhere in areas with temperatures from 90°C to 120°C (oven/fireplace) please use another adhesive like ASK DS770. Always use a B3 toothed shovel to adhere.

**SALES NETWORK**

R&D GmbH has an almost worldwide distribution network. Simply send us your request and we will redirect them to their respective distributors.

www.slate-lite.com

**SHIPPING / UNBOXING**

All sheets will be sent to you in a flat shipping box or pallet. Please check all packaging carefully and make sure that you don’t damage the material.

All transport lines can be used. Due to the low weight of material transport costs are quite low worldwide. For quick delivery even a parcel service can be used.

**STORAGE**

The storage of unsealed material must be dry, preferably frost-free and sun protected. Protect against climatic influences. Material should be stored flat in order to avoid deformation.

**QUALITY ASSURANCE**

For quality assurance, a german quality management is used. Starting in the purchase of the raw-material until the eventual shipment of the finished product, each square cm of the product is out through a strict quality control. All products are inspected by severly quality inspectors and tested until the final release to be shipped.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

Thanks to their lightness and thinness, our thin stone veneers are not only easy to work with and offer unique indoor and outdoor possibilities, but with Slate-Lite you also opt for an environmentally friendly stone decoration!

The emission rates on the transport routes are many times lower for Slate-Lite than for conventional stone slabs, which leads to a much more positive life cycle balance.

Most of our goods are shipped by sea to our central warehouse. With a pollutant quantity of approx. 15.1 grams of CO\(_2\) emissions per kilometer (source: NABU), the following example calculation of one of our containers results:

(Comparative calculation: Sea route India/Germany, granite slab vs. Slate-Lite)

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A sheet of Slate-Lite produces about 95% less CO\(_2\) than a conventional thick stone slab during transport!

In addition, the manufacturing process we have developed also conserves a lot of natural resources: Depending on the decor, we extract 200 – 400 sheets of Slate-Lite from the stone material of a single conventional stone slab of 2 cm!

Of course, we are also increasingly relying on recyclable solutions for our packaging, so that we have already been able to reduce the proportion of plastic waste many times over in recent years. And of course we will continue to work on this path in the future!

**INFORMATION: MATERIAL CHECK AFTER DELIVERY**

*Slate-Lite* is made of layered rock. Color differences in the individual plates and quartz veins that run through the stone, natural cracks or slight chipping may occur.

This is not a complaint reason, but is a feature of the natural stone surface!

Should you nevertheless discover a defect or too great changes in color and structure of the goods sent, we ask you to inform us immediately within 14 days.

Goods that are processed despite obvious defects are excluded from regression claims!