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PRODUCT INFORMATION	TYPE OF PRODUCT	Tiling
	COMPANY NAME	Daltile
	PRODUCT/COLLECTION NAME	Recycled Glazed Floor Tile
	DESCRIPTION	Tile for floors, walls, countertops, pool decking, pool lining, and trim
MATERIAL	MATERIAL CONTENT	Hazard Ingredients:
FEEDSTOCK		Crystalline Silica (Quartz)
		Amorphous Silica (fused)
		Hydrous Aluminum Silica (Clay)
		Aluminum Silica (Feldspar)
	RECYCLED CONTENT %	Pre-Consumer: 55.0% Post-Consumer: 5.0%
	RAPIDLY RENEWABLE CONTENT %	N/A
	HARMFUL ADDITIVES	None
	HARMFUL EMISSIONS	None
	EMISSION STRENGTH	None
	OVER TIME	
	TREATMENTS	N/A
MANUFACTURING	MANUFACTURING	Over 48 million pounds of material that cannot be used to make new tile products was
	PROCESS	recycled in state-approved beneficial reuse programs, including: Land reclamation, Roadbed
		base material, and Raw material for brick and cement manufacturing. A major component of our floor tile products is a by-product from a manufacturing process that
		makes products for the roofing industry, which was formerly disposed of as waste. This
		means Daltile has helped prevent an average of over 175 million pounds per year from ending
		up in our nation's landfills.
		Currently all manufacturing facilities recycle water to a great extent, and we are working
		towards our goal of zero discharge of process wastewater from any of our plants in the near
		future.
		Daltile's eight manufacturing facilities in the U.S. and Mexico provide the opportunity for our
		products and raw materials to be closer to more building projects, thus conserving fossil fuels required for transportation. In addition, we have several strategically placed Regional
		Distribution Centers and Sales Service Centers/Stone Showrooms across United States and
		Canada that allows us to maximize the volume of every truckload for the most efficient
		transportation our products. Further, a fuel saving device is being applied to reduce fuel
		consumption by 10%-20% and emissions by an average of 50%. Additionally, our
		manufacturing operations use clean-burning natural gas as an energy source in all of our
		kilns, which minimizes air pollution. No fuel oils or coals are utilized. Manufacturing plants
		have reduced natural gas demand over 8% in the last two years. Our holistic corporate
		approach to conservation has included innovative modifications to air compressor systems, installation of high efficiency lighting and office occupancy sensors, leading to a savings of
		over 18 million KWHr per year.
	HARMFUL EMISSIONS	Not available
	LOCATION OF MANUF.	Richmond, IN
	PLANT	DOOF COE
	TESTS/CODES	D.C.O.F. C.O.F. Moisture Breaking Chemical Abrasion Wet Dry Absorption Strength MOH's Resistance Resistance
		N/A > 0.5 > 0.6 < 3.0% = 250 lbs. 8 Resistant 3
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	CERTIFICATION	Greenworks
INSTALLATION	INSTALLATION	Step 1: Surface Preparation, Step 2: Layout, Step 3: Applying Adhesive, Step 4: Cutting Tile,
	PROCEDURE	Step 5: Setting Tile, and Step 6: Grouting Joints
		Special care should be given when installing tiles 20" and larger
	INSTALLATION	Select the right adhesive for the substrate you're using. Carefully read and follow all
	ADHESIVES	instructions and precautions on the adhesive or mortar package. Mix only enough to be used
		within 30 minutes. Using the type trowel recommended on the adhesive package, spread a 1/4" coat on the surface of one grid area, using the flat side of the trowel. Do not cover
		guidelines. Next, use the notched side of trowel to comb adhesive into standing ridges by
		holding trowel at a 45-degree angle. Then remove excess adhesive, leaving a uniform, ridged
		setting bed. Don't spread a larger area than can be set in 15 minutes.
	UNIT COST	Sale price per sq. ft. varies from \$3 to \$10
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	LIFE CYCLE ANALYSIS	By their very nature Daltile's products have always been an earth-friendly design element.
	EXTRACTION	Simply because ceramic tile can last much longer than soft surfaces, as well as all other hard
		surfaces, it won't likely be replaced for decades.
	END OF SERVICE LIFE	Tile may be recycled see above information
MISC. PROPERTIES	QUALITIES/PROPERTIES OF PRODUCT	Durable, long lasting
	MISC. COMMENTS	Suitable for exterior walls in freezing and non-freezing climates when proper installation methods are followed.
	CONTRIBUTION TO LEED POINTS	MRc4: Recycled Content
COMPANY PROFILE	GREEN PHILOSOPHY	Daltile stands for beautiful design in every way possible. Because we believe the best design includes consideration for the environment, we believe in Greenworks™, our philosophy and commitment to helping create beautiful designs in ways that may also reduce environmental impact.
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MAINTENANCE	AFTER INSTALLATION	Ceramic Tile - Routine Care Glazed tile products should be cleaned routinely with an all-purpose, low VOC household or commercial cleaner. A multipurpose spray cleaner, which removes soap scum, hard water deposits, and mildew designed for every day use, can be used on wall tile areas in residential baths and showers. The entire area should be cleaned and scrubbed with cleaner solution through the use of a cotton mop, cloth, sponge, or non-metallic brush. The entire area should be rinsed with clean water to remove any cleaning solution residue. Remember that you should sweep or vacuum floor areas prior to cleaning to remove any dust or debris. Routine cleaners should never contain hazardous or polluting products including, but not limited to acids or ammonia. Acids can damage the grout and the glazed surface of the tile, and ammonia can discolor the grout. Unglazed tile should be cleaned routinely with concentrated tile cleaners that have a neutral pH for safe regular use. These cleaners are better suited at removing grease, oils and normal spills from unglazed products. Again these products will vary depending on the application, amount of traffic and the use. The product chosen should also be compatible with cleaning the grout joints at the same time. Grout Maintenance: When heavy duty grout cleaning is required, you will need to use a professional strength Tile & Grout Cleaner that is capable of removing grease, soap scum, body oil, mildew stains, algae, and synthetic or acrylic waxes from the grout joints. However, such a product should contain non-polluting chemicals and low VOC levels. Grout Color Restoration: When grout has been stained to the point that it cannot be maintained or returned to its natural color, you can return the grout back to its original color or any other color through the use of a "grout stain". Prior to staining, the grout joint should be cleaned thoroughly to remove any dirt, oils, grease or sealers with a professional strength Tile & Grout Cleaner.