

A close-up photograph of a cobblestone path. The stones are dark grey and rectangular, arranged in a grid pattern. The spaces between the stones are filled with bright green moss. Several fallen leaves, some yellow and some brown, are scattered across the path. The lighting is bright, creating strong shadows and highlights on the stones and moss.

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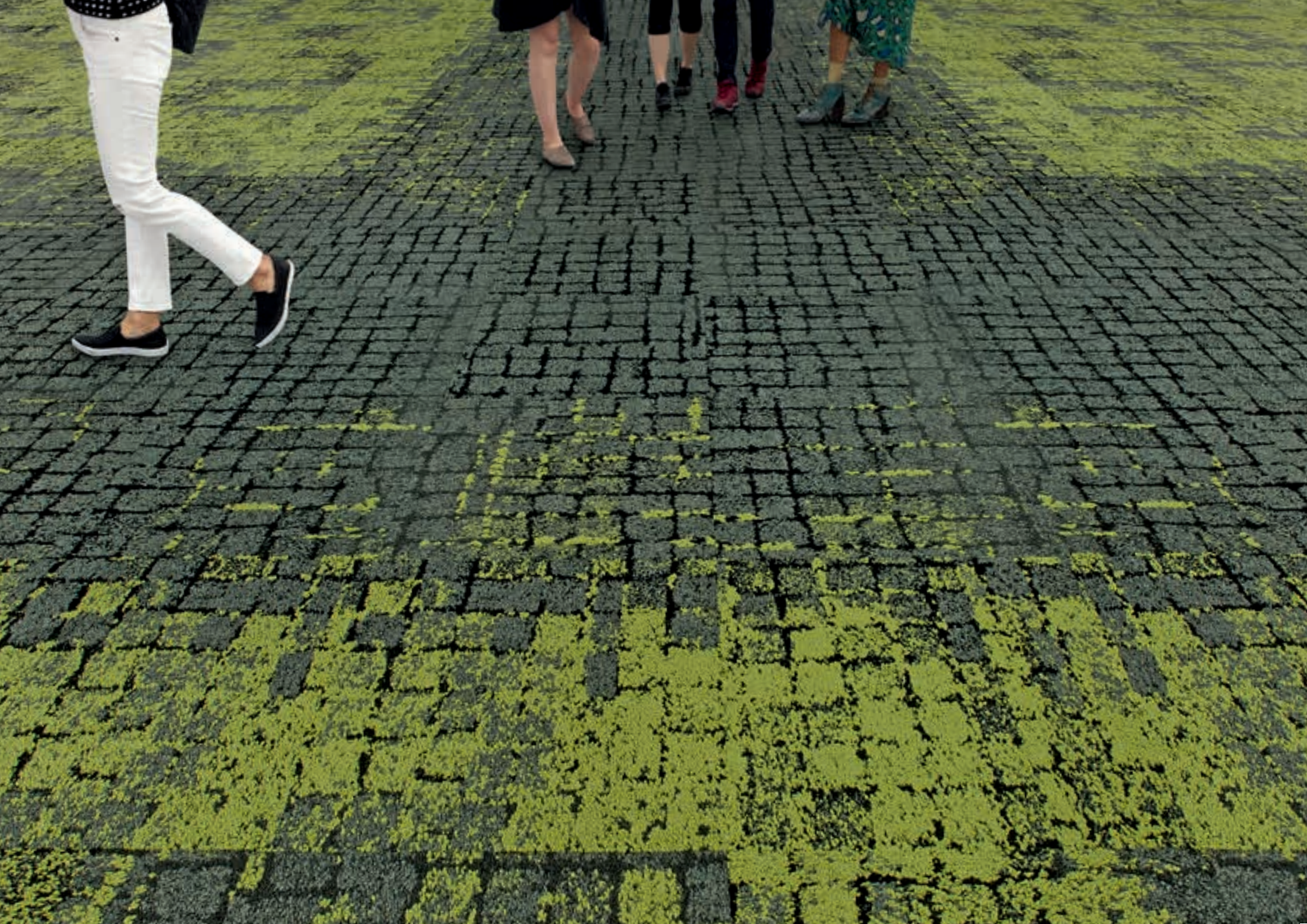
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# Human Connections™ Collection

Technology continues to make our lifestyle smoother, faster and more banded together through the cybersphere. As a result, we humans yearn for connection, whether it is to other humans, tactile touch, or surrounding ourselves with elements from nature. Now more than ever, tech work environments around the world are proof that people need to meet, collaborate and connect in real physical spaces. This need is driving radical change in design. The office of the future is where movement allows people to meet and mingle, often referred to as collision spaces.

40+ years ago, work spaces evolved out of garages and informally inhabited post industrial warehouses. Whether intentional or financially driven, ad-hock, “anti-design” environments introduced the new cool. Recent discussions once again compare urban design to workplace strategy. Formal design and planning for the next generation offices incorporate urban elements such as neighborhoods, town squares, parks and shops allowing for pedestrian movement and people centric spaces creating zones for interaction. In *The Death and Life of Great American Cities*, Jane Jacobs' prolific urban design teachings help guide us into the next genre of design: not a form of chaos, rather representing a complex form of order, embracing the organic nature of people and space. In *The Social Life of Small Urban Spaces*, William Whyte observed urban behavior driven by the needs of people in small spaces: people tend to sit where there are other people and places to sit. Triangulation is the external stimulus providing a link that connects people.

Technology, generational demand, and flexible work policies have created a tribal culture that allows work to happen anytime, anywhere. The new urbane working environments support this nomadic behavior as our new mobile working class migrates between life style hubs and community co-working environments in these tech cities.

As bringing nature into our working and living environments evolves beyond trend into a movement, always inspired by biophilia - the study of how nature contributes to our wellbeing and makes us feel; bringing nature indoors via natural cityscapes, is the featured design solution connecting these worlds. Janine Benyus recounts how like in an ecosystem, the city is complex and thrives on diversity. Human Connections embraces nature's elements in interactive, gritty urban hip neighborhoods.

## The Collection

The genesis for Human Connections is the dynamic quality of a work force that is in constant, people oriented movement; a neighborhood, whether leading pathways for zoning, wayfinding or crossing points, all fostering interaction. This concept of the collection is a broader offering than a traditional, single surface with choices of colors and patterns.

The collection transcends multiple-scales, offering a multitude of choices and combinations; it is part of a greater system. The product line genuinely mimics city surfaces such as turfs, patterns, textures and grounds. The names in the collection, Paver, Stone, Moss and Course are reminiscent of the actual materials of a cityscape in colors represented in nature, stone-like warm grays, an array of greens, and include pops of color as small punctuations, much like flowers in bloom bring color to the landscape.

Human Connections not only includes new designs but correlates to past collections. This new strategy offers infinite choices and combinations that blur lines between the traditional aspects of floor and ground. The floor cannot force people to connect, but it can inspire a call to our natural instincts. Human Connections is the most versatile product line we have designed to date.



Rue-105590 Green | Kerbstone-105572 Granite



Out, The New In



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105570 Flint | Moss-105560 Granite/Moss  
Moss in Stone-105564 Granite Edge | HN830-104242 Kiwi



Hip Neighborhoods



Rue-105591 Yellow | Stone Course-105583 Yellow/Stone



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105570 Flint | Moss-105560 Granite/Moss  
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# Paver

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105557 Slate

105558 Flint

105559 Onyx



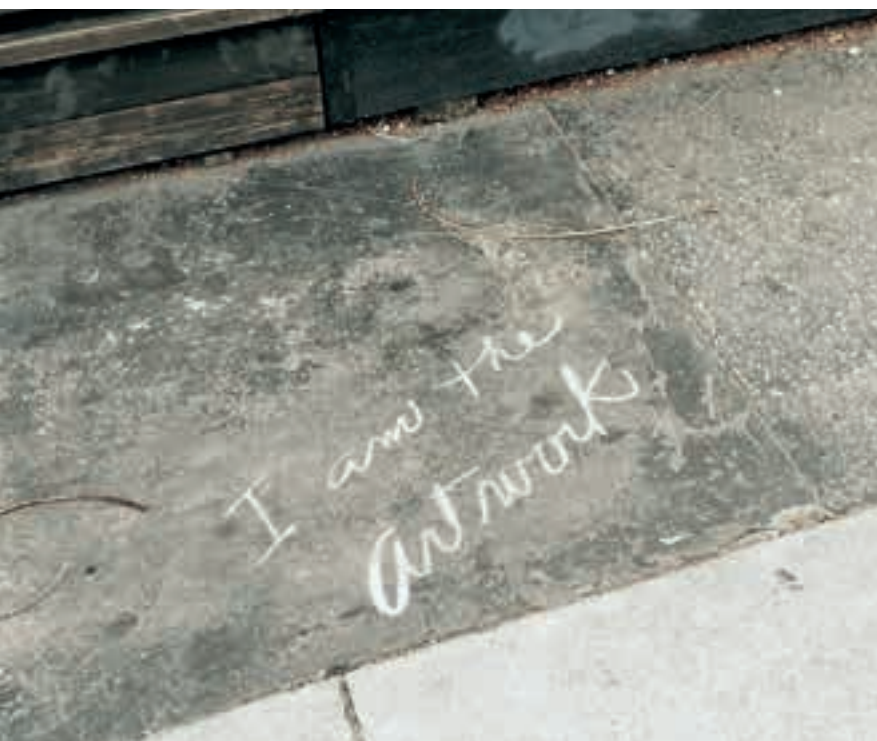
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Social Connections





Paver-105556 Granite, 105557 Slate, 105558 Flint, 105559 Onyx



Paver-105556 Granite, 105559 Onyx

# Flagstone

105576 Granite

105577 Slate

105578 Flint

105579 Onyx



Pattern Language

Flagstone-105576 Granite, 105578 Flint, 105579 Onyx



Flagstone-105576 Granite, 105579 Onyx



Flagstone-105579 Onyx | Sett in Stone-105568 Granite

# Kerbstone

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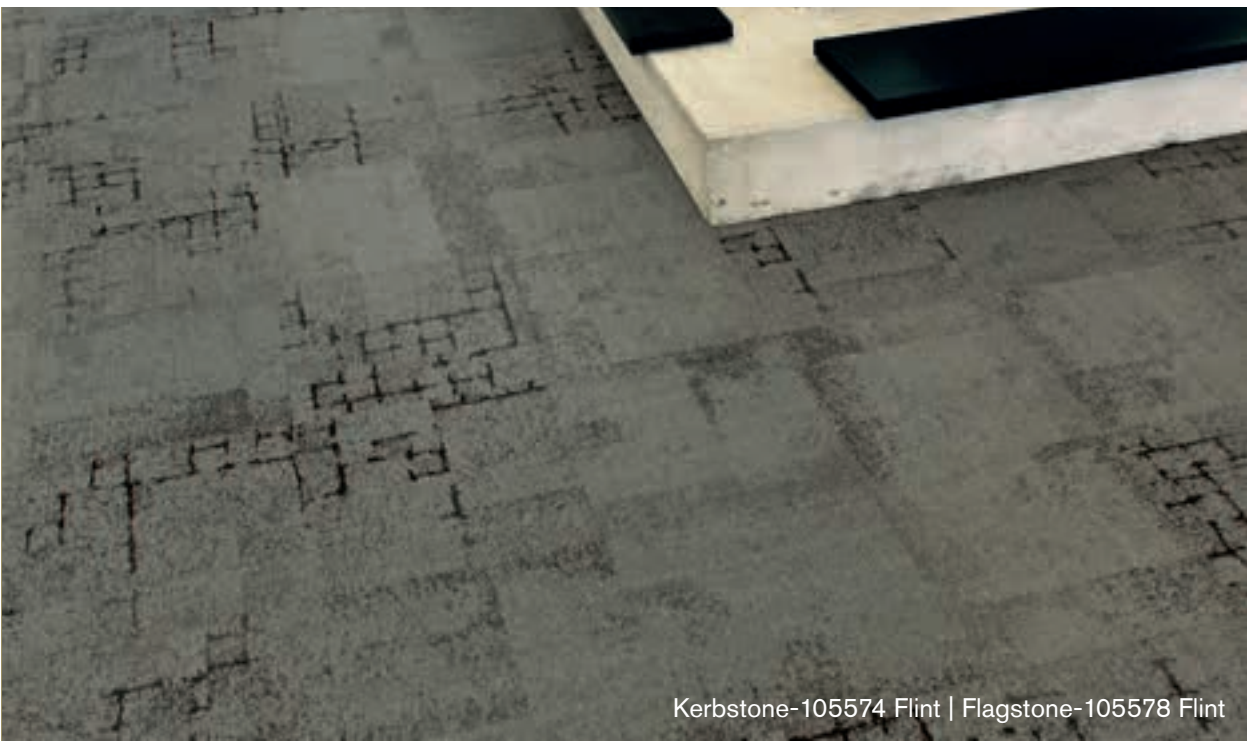
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Kerbstone-105573 Slate

Creative Vibe



Kerbstone-105574 Flint | Flagstone-105578 Flint



Kerbstone-105575 Onyx | Flagstone-105576 Granite

# Sett in Stone

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105570 Flint

105571 Onyx



Crossing Points

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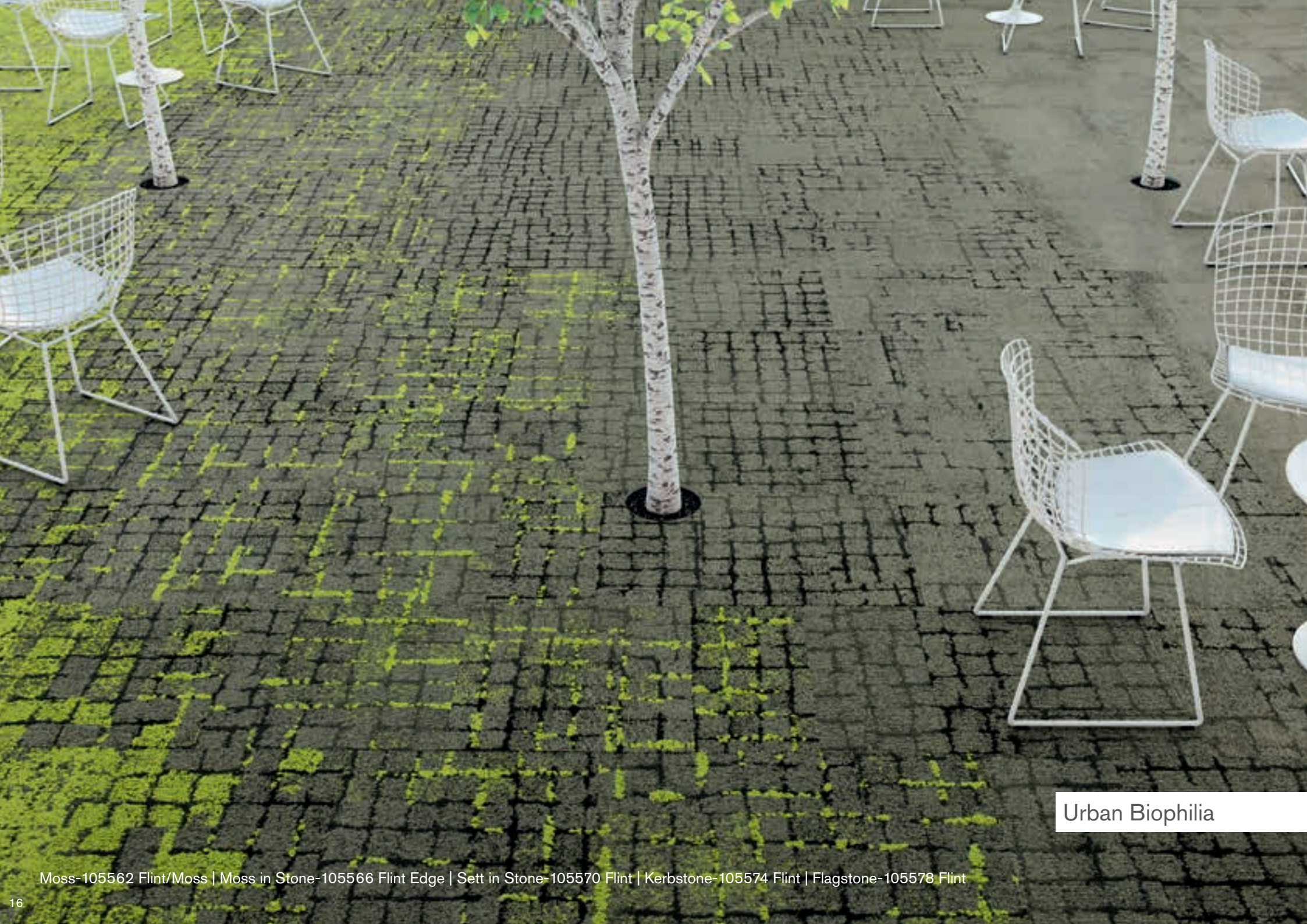
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Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | Flagstone-105576 Granite | Stone Course-105582 Green/Stone



Urban Biophilia

Moss-105562 Flint/Moss | Moss in Stone-105566 Flint Edge | Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | Kerbstone-105574 Flint | Flagstone-105578 Flint





# Moss in Stone

105564 Granite Edge

105565 Slate Edge

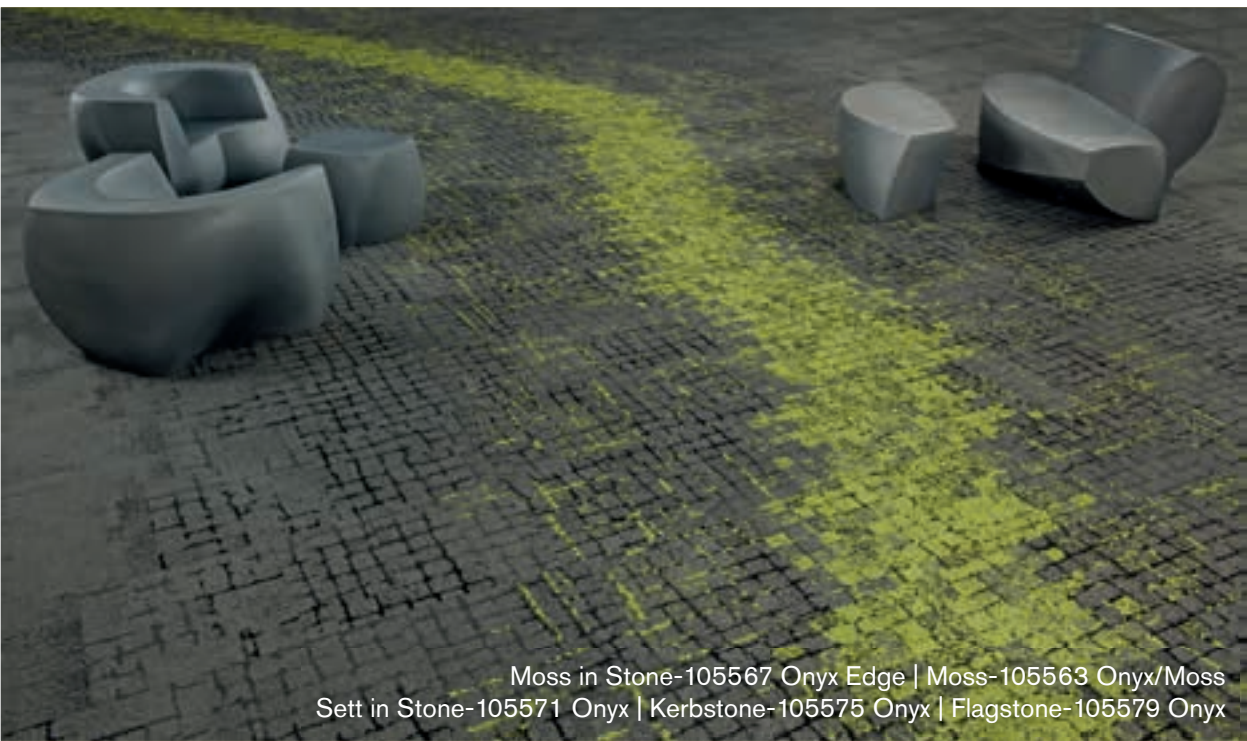
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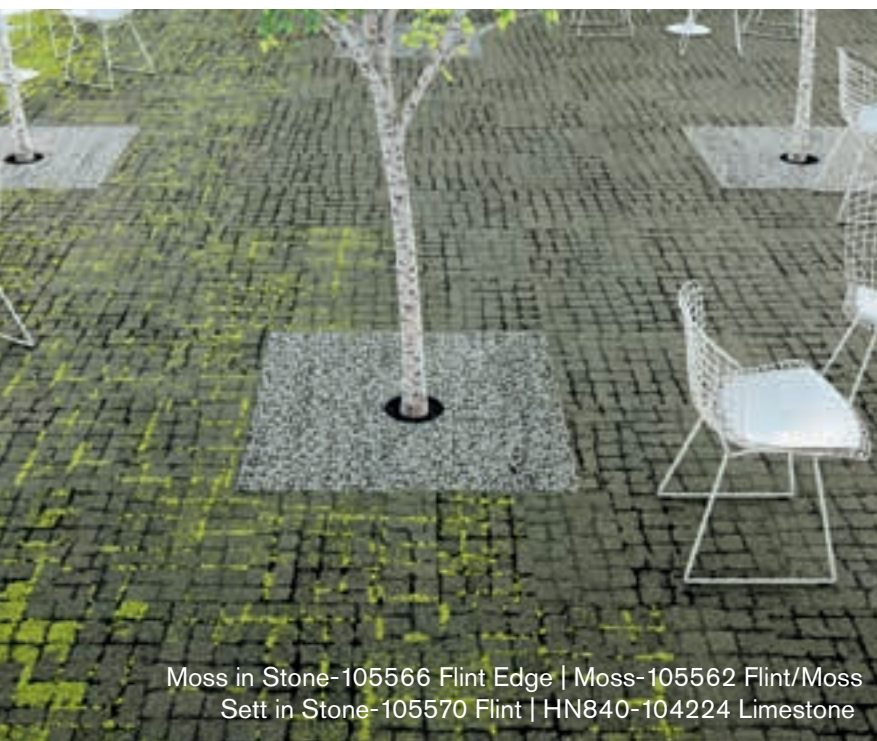


Moss in Stone-105564 Granite Edge

Nature Infused



Moss in Stone-105567 Onyx Edge | Moss-105563 Onyx/Moss  
Sett in Stone-105571 Onyx | Kerbstone-105575 Onyx | Flagstone-105579 Onyx



Moss in Stone-105566 Flint Edge | Moss-105562 Flint/Moss  
Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | HN840-104224 Limestone



Moss in Stone-105567 Onyx Edge | Moss-105563 Onyx/Moss

# Moss

105560 Granite/Moss

105561 Slate/Moss

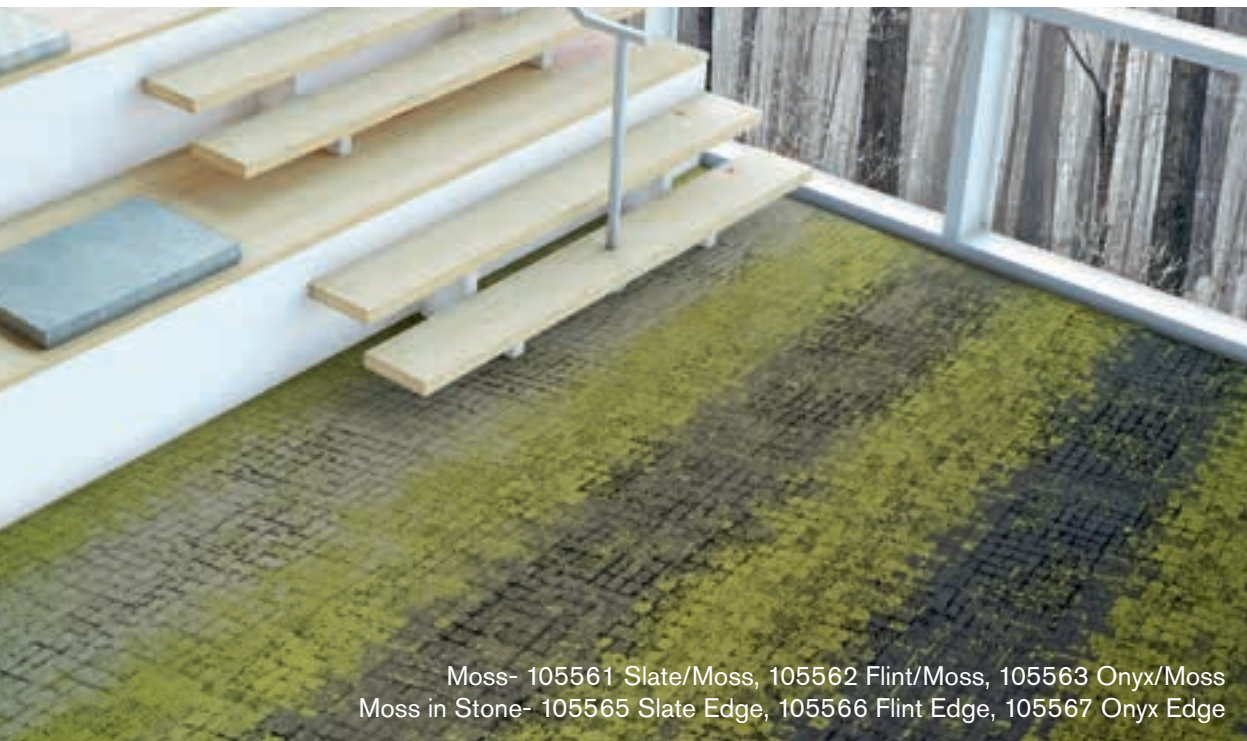
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105563 Onyx/Moss



Gritty Urban Nature

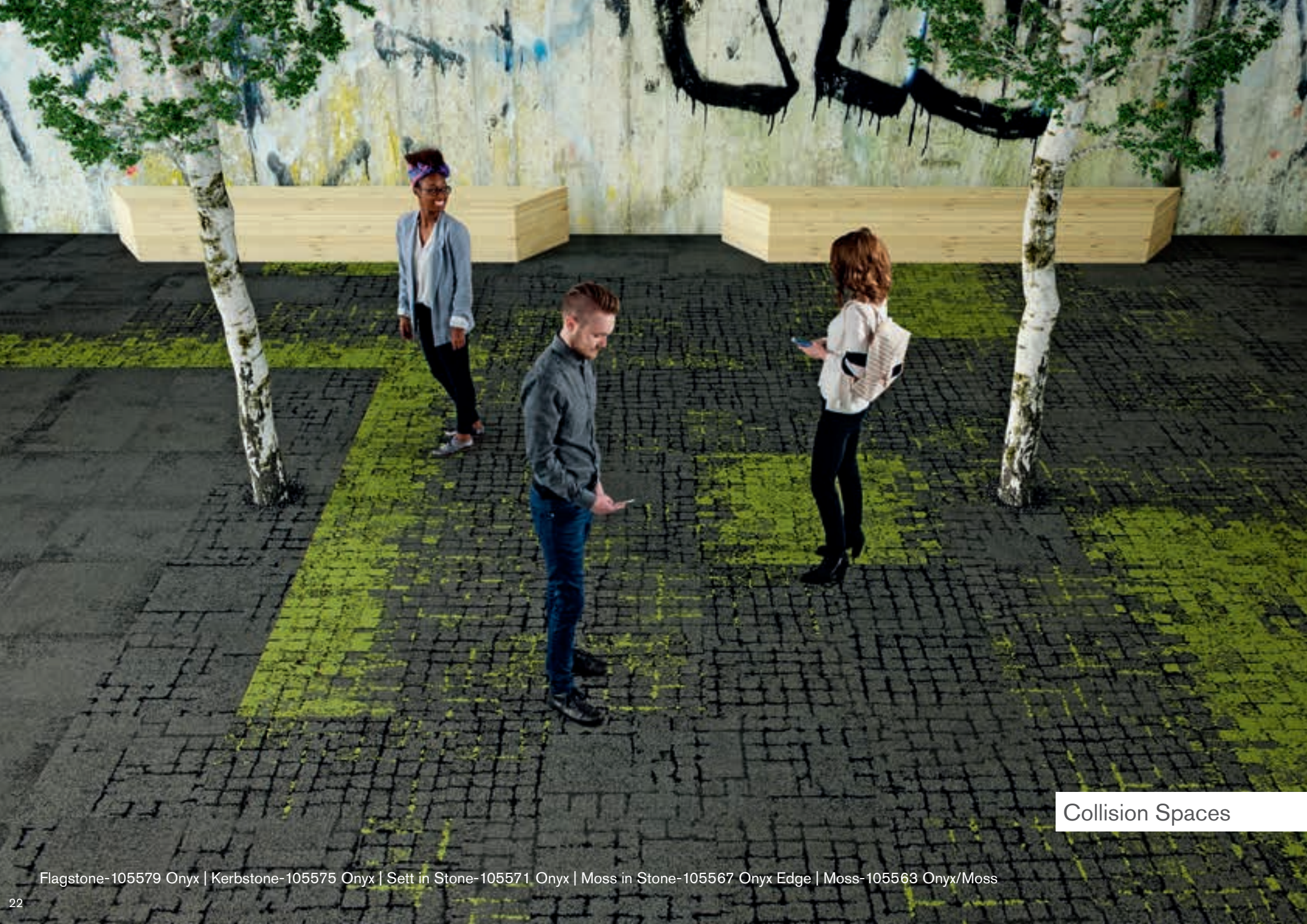
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Moss- 105561 Slate/Moss, 105562 Flint/Moss, 105563 Onyx/Moss  
Moss in Stone- 105565 Slate Edge, 105566 Flint Edge, 105567 Onyx Edge



Moss-105562 Flint/Moss



Collision Spaces

Flagstone-105579 Onyx | Kerbstone-105575 Onyx | Sett in Stone-105571 Onyx | Moss in Stone-105567 Onyx Edge | Moss-105563 Onyx/Moss



Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | Moss in Stone-105566 Flint Edge  
Moss-105562 Flint/Moss | UR103-100641 Grass



Moss in Stone-105566 Flint Edge  
Moss-105562 Flint/Moss | UR103-100641 Grass





Meeting Spaces

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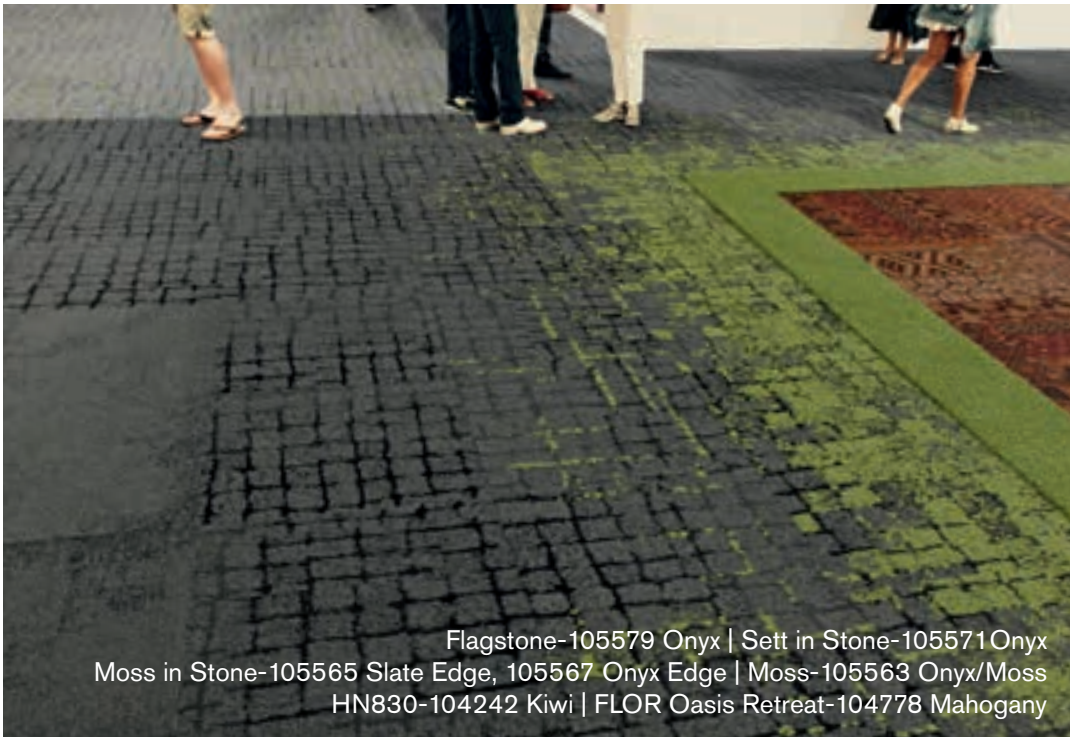
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Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | Moss in Stone-105566 Flint Edge  
 Moss-105562 Flint/Moss | UR103-100641 Grass



Flagstone-105579 Onyx | Sett in Stone-105571 Onyx  
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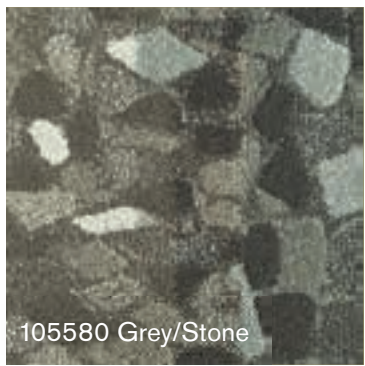
Pathways



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Sett in Stone-105570 Flint | Stone Course-105580 Grey/Stone



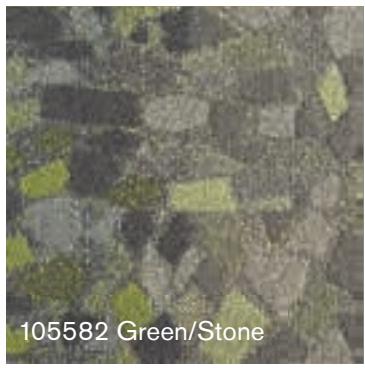
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105580 Grey/Stone



105581 Teal/Stone



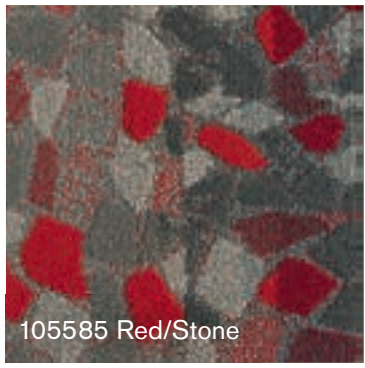
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105586 Pink/Stone



105587 Purple/Stone

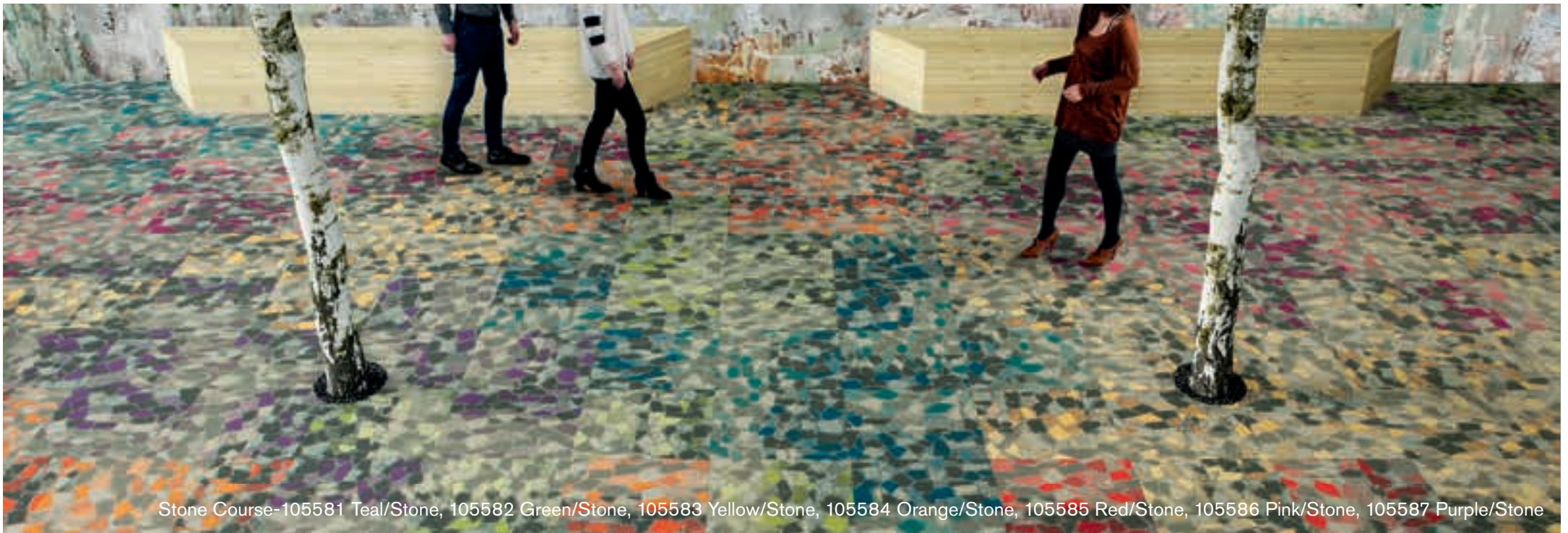


Wayfinding

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Stone Course-105586 Pink/Stone | Rue-105594 Pink | Paver-105556 Granite



Stone Course-105581 Teal/Stone, 105582 Green/Stone, 105583 Yellow/Stone, 105584 Orange/Stone, 105585 Red/Stone, 105586 Pink/Stone, 105587 Purple/Stone



Refuge Spaces

Flagstone-105577 Slate | Stone Course-105580 Grey/Stone, 105581 Teal/Stone, 105582 Green/Stone, 105584 Orange/Stone, 105586 Pink/Stone, 105587 Purple/Stone



Paver-105559 Onyx | Sett in Stone-105571 Onyx  
Stone Course-105580 Grey/Stone, 105581 Teal/Stone, 105582 Green/Stone



Flagstone-105576 Granite, 105578 Flint | Stone Course-105580 Grey/Stone



Kerbstone-105575 Onyx | Stone Course-105583 Yellow/Stone



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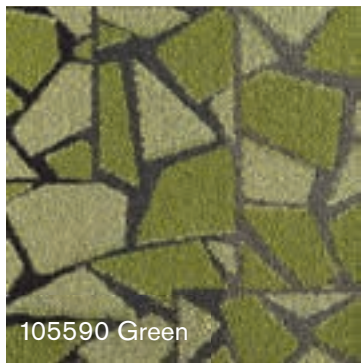
# Rue



105588 Grey



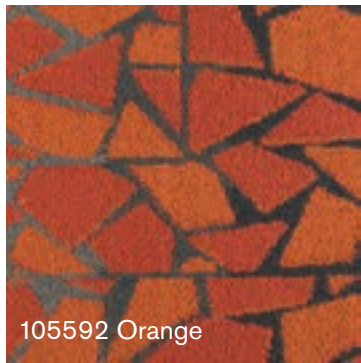
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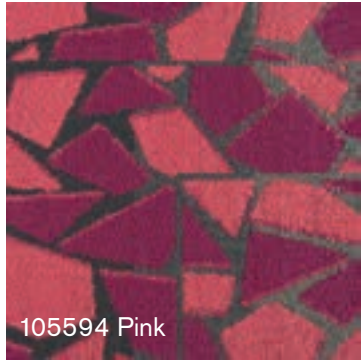
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Rue-105590 Green

The Meeting Place





Rue-105588 Grey, 105590 Green, 105591 Yellow, 105592 Orange, 105593 Red



Triangulation

Rue-105589 Teal, 105590 Green, 105591 Yellow, 105592 Orange, 105594 Pink, 105595 Purple  
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Rue-105592 Orange



Flagstone-105579 Onyx | Rue-105591 Yellow



Rue-105590 Green



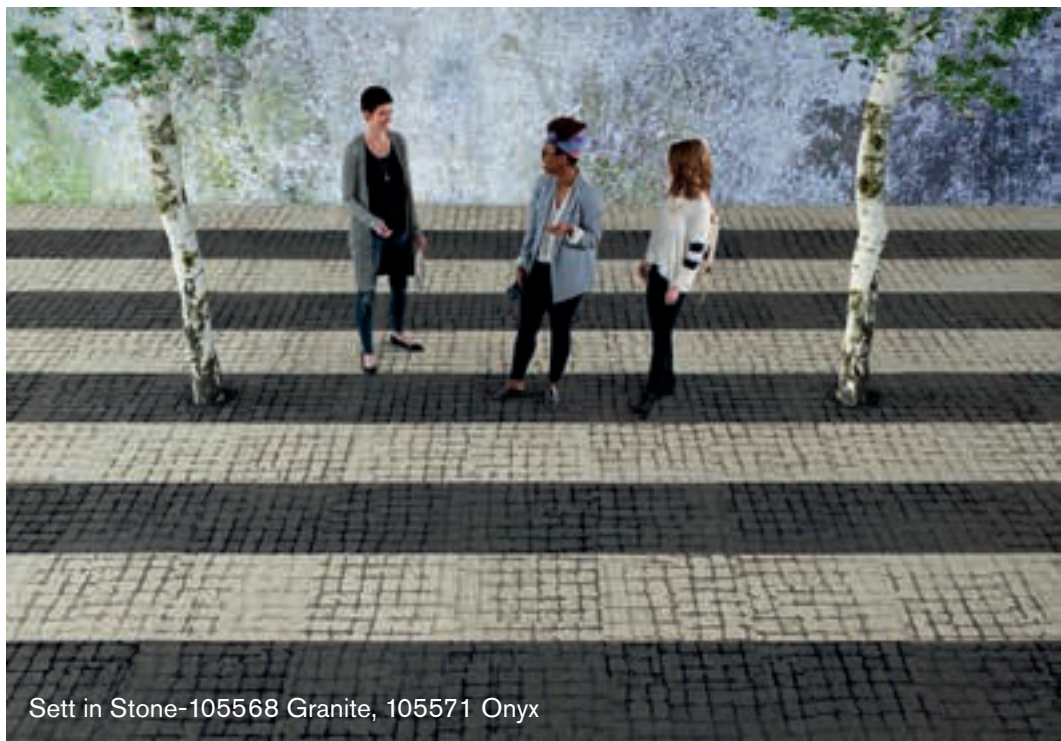
Street Scapes



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Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105570 Flint, 105571 Onyx



Street Scapes

Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx

Social Spaces





Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx



Sett in Stone-105568 Granite, 105571 Onyx

Paver

Flagstone

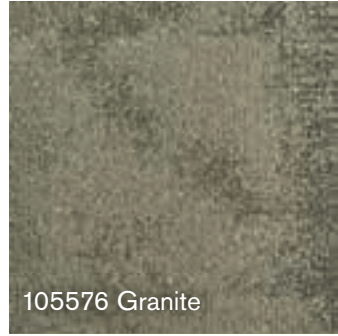
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Sett in Stone

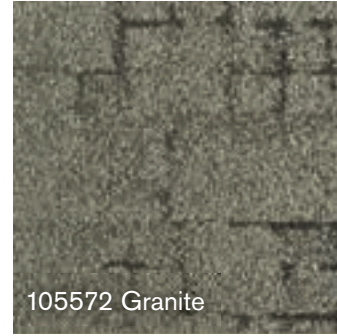
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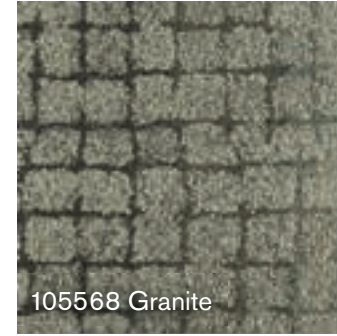
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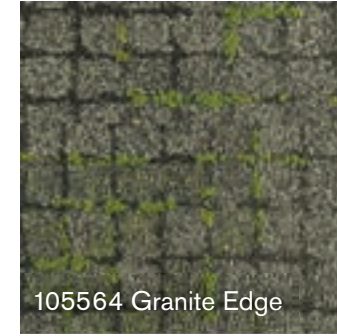
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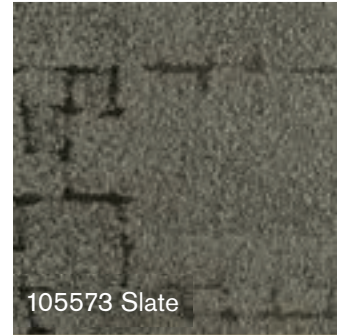
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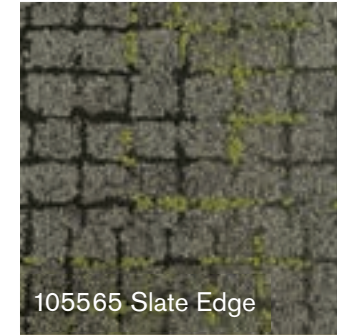
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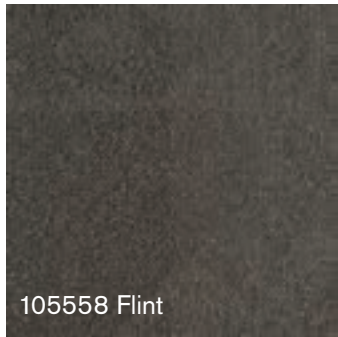
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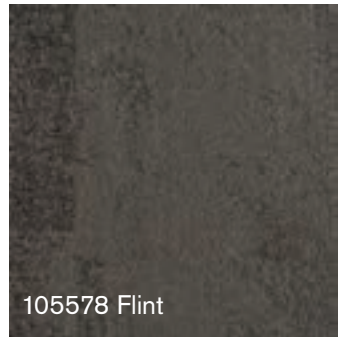
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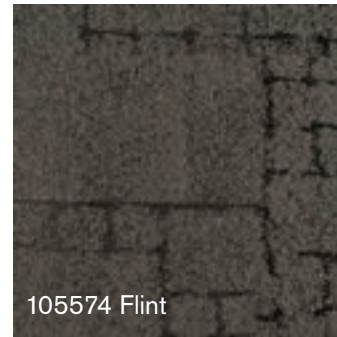
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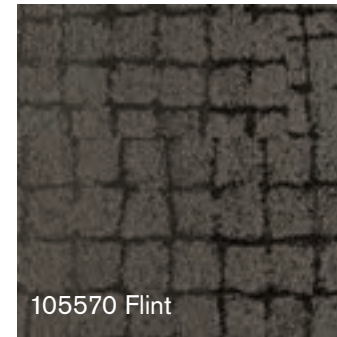
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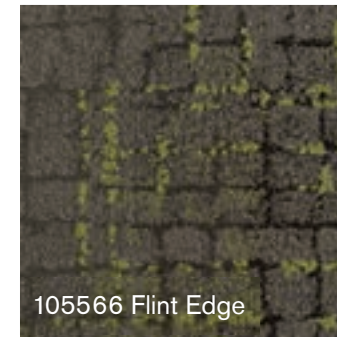
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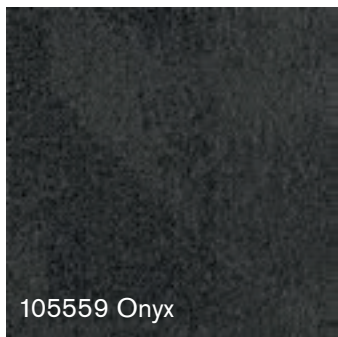
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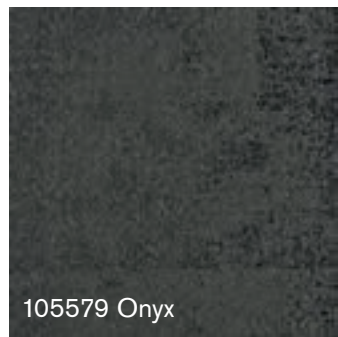
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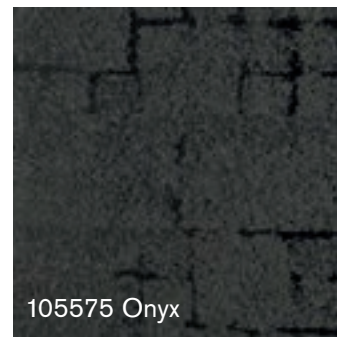
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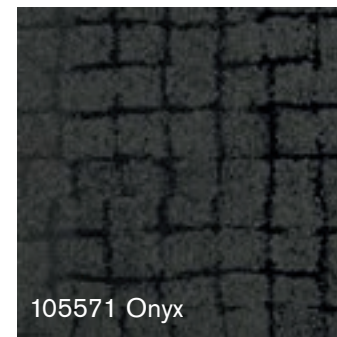
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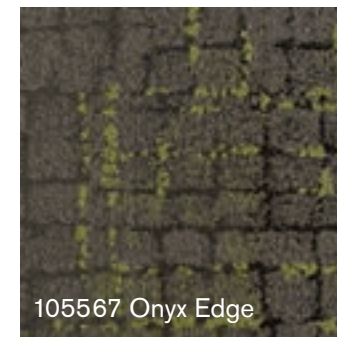
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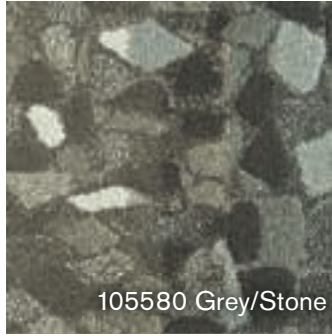


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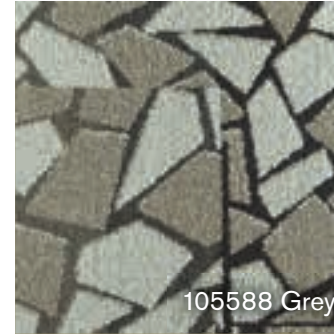
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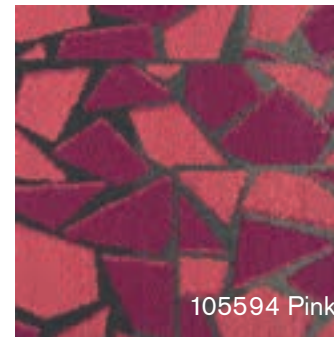
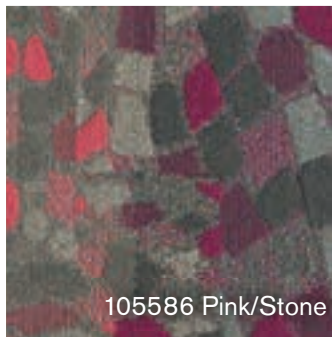
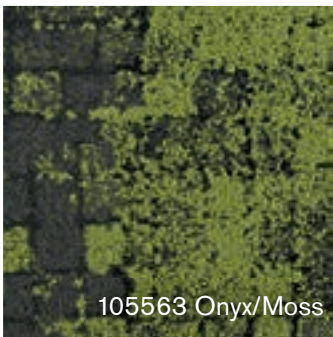
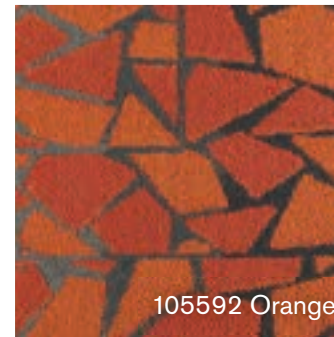
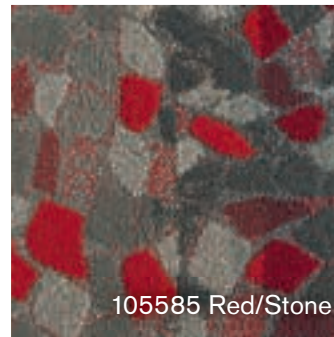
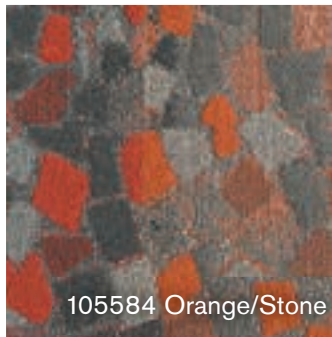
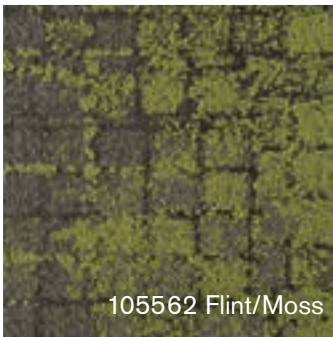
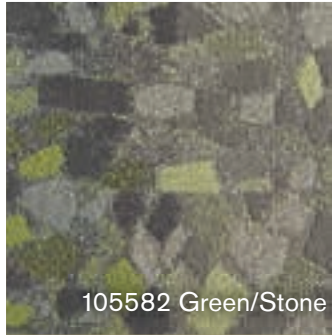
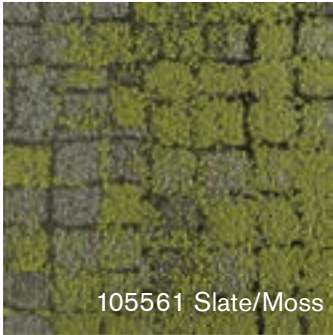
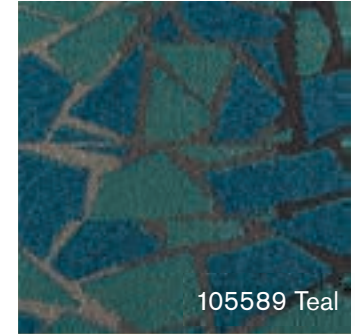
Stone Course



Rue



Rue





Rue-105588 Grey



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Sett in Stone-105568 Granite

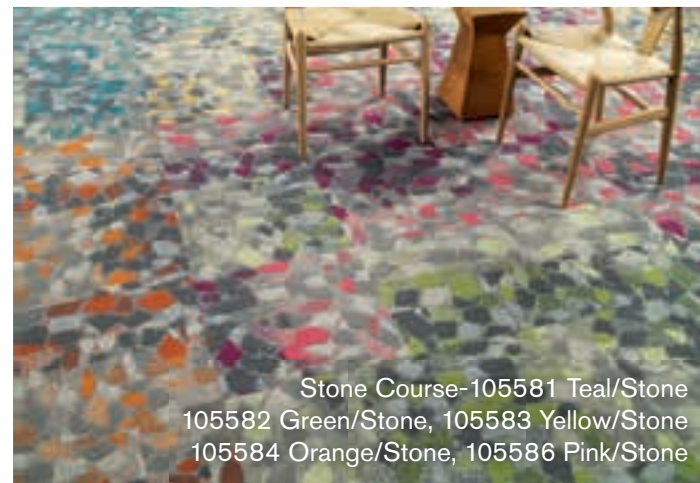




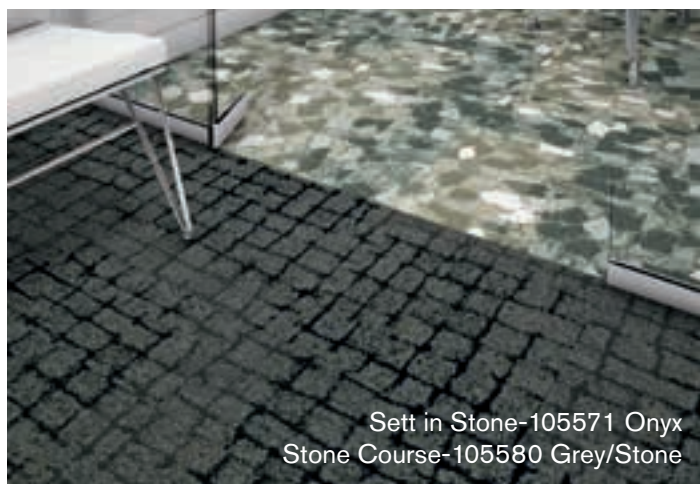
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Stone Course-105581 Teal/Stone  
105582 Green/Stone, 105583 Yellow/Stone  
105584 Orange/Stone, 105586 Pink/Stone



Sett in Stone-105571 Onyx  
Stone Course-105580 Grey/Stone





## Human Connections Collection

Carpet cannot make humans connect.  
It can define wayfinding, pathways, crossing points,  
create attractive meeting places and collision spaces.

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