

Data Sheet – Selected Rubble Walling Stone

Source of Supply

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Key Points to Choosing & Using Selected Rubble Walling Stone from Linhay Hill Quarry

The material:

- ❖ **Colour & Type** – the stone is a Devonian Limestone, generally a dark grey with occasional white veins of calcite and or red/brown veins of magnesium limestone. The general grey colour can vary from dark to light – pieces will not necessarily be the same colour and colour cannot be guaranteed.
- ❖ Example photos of loose stone and in a built wall.



- ❖ **Size / Weight** – individual pieces generally fall within the overall size range of 100mm to 400mm and typically weigh in the range of 7 to 30 kg. No two pieces will be similar in size, shape and weight.
- ❖ **Faces** – the stone is hand selected on the basis of having in essence one face which is not necessarily regularly flat, i.e. it may be concave or convex. The face will not necessarily be at right angles to a bedding face. The face will be random in both its shape and area.

Application and Use:

- ❖ Linhay Hill Quarry Selected Rubble Walling Stone does not naturally come out of the quarry in good regular sized, cuboid shaped blocks of stone. The limestone deposit is very dense but has no cleavage planes and few joint and bedding planes within the geology. It does not yield many, if any quoin stones.
- ❖ Whilst the stone can be dressed a little, single pieces will not break into smaller regular shaped pieces – being so dense it tends to shatter.
- ❖ On-site selection and use of the stone can take time and therefore your project costs can rise due to the increased time and labour costs to build with a natural stone.
- ❖ Do not try to use Linhay Hill Rubble Walling Stone to face up blockwork at bedding widths of less than 200 to 250mm. At a 200mm bed width, 1 tonne of stone will yield approximately 2m² of walling.
- ❖ Allow for approximately 10% wastage in your stone quantity and costings.
- ❖ We strongly recommend that you and or your stone mason come to Linhay Hill Quarry to see samples of the loose stone and in built walls before you order a delivery. To make an appointment to view the stone or if you have any questions, please telephone 01364 652601 and ask for the Technical Dept.