



LONG RAKE SPAR  
Specialist Decorative Aggregates

## Decorative Aggregates and Landscaping Stone





Ice Blue Chippings



Heritage Quartz Chippings



Graphite Chippings



Slate Paddlestones



Since 1867 Long Rake Spar has been one of the UK's leading suppliers of specialist decorative aggregates. Our extensive experience, expert knowledge and commitment to quality continues to help transform landscapes.





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This exclusive range of superior products has been carefully chosen from quarries around the globe to provide landscapers with a unique, highly decorative finish.

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Ideal for driveways, paths, borders and landscaping schemes; gravel and chippings offer an environmentally sensitive surfacing option in a variety of colours, materials and sizes.

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Mediterranean Cobbles



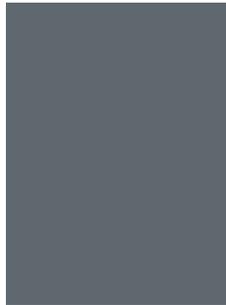
At Long Rake Spar, we have been working alongside landscapers for over 150 years to bring the very best decorative aggregate products to British gardens. We know that your garden is an extension of your home; a space to relax and recharge. With this in mind we've created **The Natural Selection** to help bring your landscape to life.

Launched in 2008, the Natural Selection is a unique range of decorative aggregates that have been carefully chosen to add aesthetic appeal and durability to your garden. Our continuous commitment to product development means that the collection is constantly renewed to reflect current colour and design trends whilst providing smart solutions for outdoor spaces.

The selection includes an unrivalled range of gravel, chippings and slates that provide SuDS compliant surface solutions for paths, driveways, borders and planting beds. It also features naturally rounded pebbles and cobbles alongside boulders, rockery and feature stones to add decoration to your garden.

Our versatile products are suitable for a wide variety of applications and have been chosen to enhance hard landscaping projects. Throughout this brochure you will find information and guidance to help you get the most from the materials you choose via our suitability icons.

Whether you are exploring the most economic options, searching for an environmentally friendly solution or looking for a low maintenance surface, the Natural Selection will help you find the right aggregate for your garden.





Blue Slate

# Welcome to The Natural Selection



Apricot Gravel



Onyx Chippings

# MORE THAN 150 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AND EXPERTISE

Since 1867 we've been committed to discovering new products and transforming the landscaping industry.

Product development and responsible supply are at the heart of our business, allowing us to provide stockists around the country with an unrivalled range of decorative aggregates and landscaping stone. Our market-focused approach and extensive experience mean that we are able to introduce products that meet the ever-changing needs of customers.

We supply the UK's widest range of decorative aggregates and source products from quarries around the world. We also work closely with British quarries to source products that match local building and garden stone.



**We responsibly source products from quarries around the globe ...**



**... and process them at our UK facilities ...**



**... before distributing them to stockists nationwide.**





Rye Depot

Our decorative aggregates are processed at strategically placed depots around the UK. All our imported products and a variety of our UK sourced products are shipped directly into our dockside storage facilities and onto our various production sites. This helps dramatically lower our carbon emissions and reduce the number of lorry movements on the UK's roads.

Materials are washed and graded to a superior standard, achieving unparalleled levels of cleanliness and sizing. Products are then packaged and prepared for distribution to our nationwide network of stockists where landscapers and homeowners can order bulk bags or pre-pack bags to help transform their outdoor space.



Blue Slate



Long Rake Spar and its processing facilities is now certified to ISO 9001: 2019 for the manufacture of decorative aggregates.

# INSPIRATION AND INSTALLATION

**HELPING YOU TO TRANSFORM YOUR  
OUTDOOR SPACE**



## **CHOOSING THE RIGHT PRODUCT**

Our decorative aggregates are available in a variety of material types, colours and sizes that are suitable for multiple applications. Throughout this brochure you will find icons, images and information that will help you easily select the right product for your project.



## **GOT A QUESTION? CONNECT WITH US**

If you're looking for help and advice, inspiration or technical data about our products you can visit our website which features a wealth of information. If you'd like to get in touch with our team you can connect with us on social media or email us.



## **VISIT YOUR NEAREST STOCKIST**

All of our products are available through our nationwide network of stockists. Ask in-store for advice about sampling products and ordering from your local landscaping retailer.



# HEAD OFFICE

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# LRS DEPOT

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# DISTRIBUTION POINTS

- ID** Inverkeithing Docks
- GD** Gunness Docks
- LRS** LRS Depot
- WD** Whitchurch Depot
- RYE** Rye Depot



**Icons:** this brochure contains icons to help you select the right product.



Fish Friendly



Recycled



Available in  
Bulk Bags



Suitable for  
Driveways

**Note:** please be aware that aggregates and landscaping stone are natural products and variations in size and colour may occur due to geological and processing variables. Products may also appear darker in colour when wet and may appear different to images depicted within this brochure.



Polar Ice Chippings



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# PLATINUM RANGE

The Platinum Collection brings together our leading landscaping aggregates. Exclusive to Long Rake Spar, these products add a distinctive finish to your garden.



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**POLAR WHITE** 8-11, 20mm  
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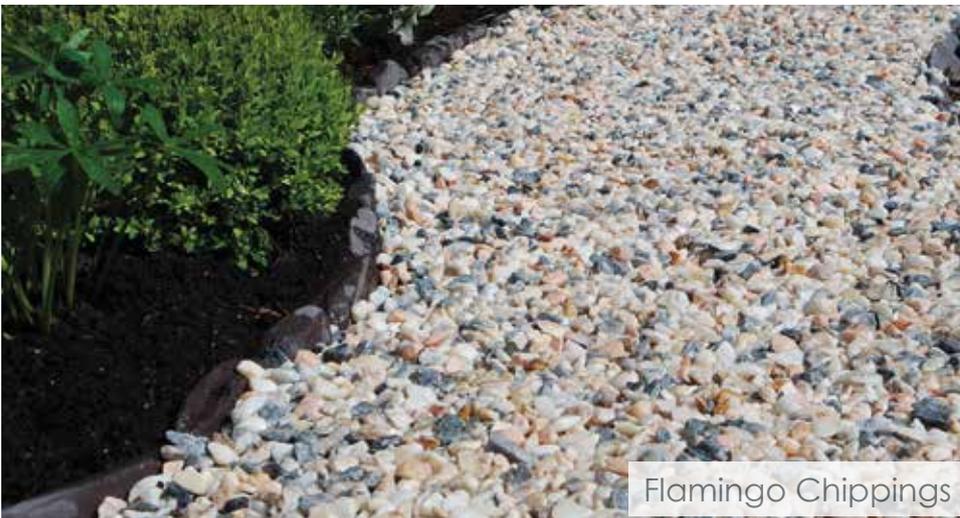
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Flamingo Chippings



Polar White Chippings



Charcoal Slate



Slate Paddlestones



Plum Slate



Blue Slate

# SLATE

Our range of premium Welsh slate is ideal for using on pathways and planting beds. Choose from a variety of colours and sizes to add a contemporary twist to your garden project.



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**PLUM SLATE** 40mm



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**BLUE SLATE** 40mm



# SLATE



**CHARCOAL SLATE 20, 40mm**



**BLUE SLATE 20, 40mm**



As agents for Welsh Slate we can ensure that all our slates, paddlestones and rockery are authentically sourced from British quarries. This ensures a premium quality within all our slate products.



Charcoal Slate



Blue Slate



Slate Paddlestones



**GREEN SLATE 20, 40mm**



**PLUM SLATE 20, 40mm**



Plum Slate



Green Slate



**SLATE PADDLESTONES 50-100mm**  
Available in Plum/Green/Blue/Charcoal



**CELTIC PADDLESTONES 100mm**

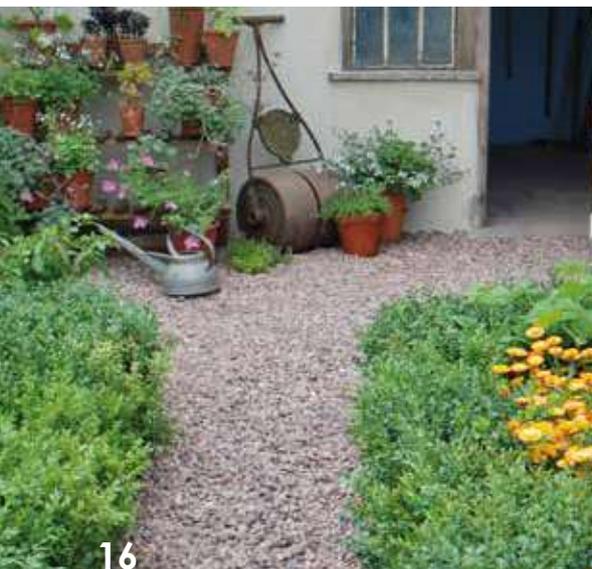




Graphite Chippings



Apricot Gravel



Cheshire Pink



Onyx Chippings



# DECORATIVE GRAVEL & CHIPPINGS

The gravel and chippings collection provides an unrivalled choice of aggregates for gardeners looking to create unique outdoor spaces.



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**POLAR ICE 20mm**



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**COTSWOLD 10-20mm**



# DECORATIVE GRAVEL & CHIPPINGS



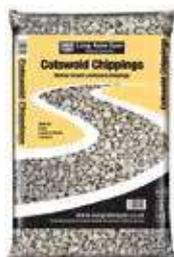
**APRICOT** 14-22mm



**BLACK CHIPPINGS** 6, 10, 14, 20mm



**BLACK ICE** 3-8, 20mm



**COTSWOLD** 3-8, 4-10, 10-20mm





**DERBYSHIRE GOLD** 10-20mm



**FLAMINGO** 3-8, 14-20mm



Flamingo, Onyx and Polar White Chippings

**Coverage**  
1 x Bulk Bag laid at 50mm depth will cover approximately 10m<sup>2</sup> or 1 tonne of gravel or chippings laid at 50mm depth will cover approximately 12m<sup>2</sup>.



Black Ice Chippings

# DECORATIVE GRAVEL & CHIPPINGS



**GOLDEN FLINT** 6, 10, 14, 20mm



**GRAPHITE CHIPPINGS** 14mm



**GREEN GRANITE** 14, 20mm



**HERITAGE QUARTZ** 10, 14, 20mm



**ICE BLUE** 3-8, 20, 50-70mm



**MOONSTONE** 20mm





**MULTI MIX** 3-8, 8-11mm



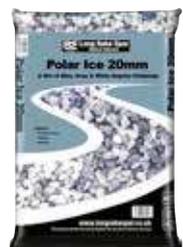
**ONYX** 3-8, 15-20mm



**PEA GRAVEL** 6, 10, 14, 20mm



Flamingo Chippings



**POLAR ICE** 20mm



Onyx Chippings



Ice Blue Chippings

# DECORATIVE GRAVEL & CHIPPINGS



**POLAR WHITE** 3-8, 8-11, 20mm



**RED GRANITE** 6, 10, 14, 20mm



Sunset Red Chippings



Heritage Quartz Chippings



Polar White Chippings



**SALMON PINK** 14mm



**SILVER GREY GRANITE** 14mm



**STAFFORDSHIRE PINK** 14, 20mm



**SUNSET RED** 14-20mm



**WHITE LIMESTONE** 6, 10, 14, 20mm



**YORKSHIRE CREAM** 10, 20mm

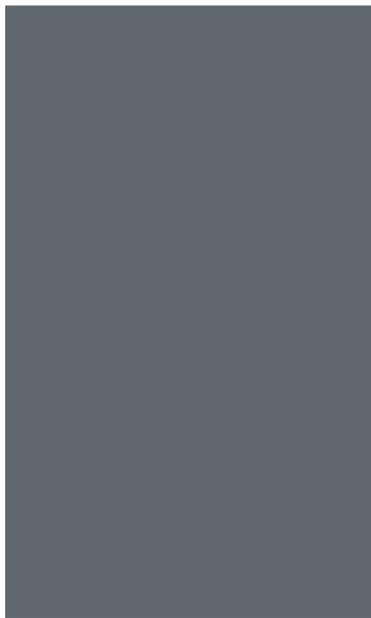




White Pebbles



Oyster Pebbles



Scottish Pebbles



Ebony Black Pebbles



# PEBBLES

This collection contains naturally rounded and tumbled pebbles, available in a range of textures and sizes which are excellent for giving borders and plant pots an attractive finish.



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**SCOTTISH PEBBLES** 20-30mm



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**FLAMINGO PEBBLES** 20-50mm



# PEBBLES



**BLACK POLISHED** 15-30, 50-80mm



**EBONY BLACK PEBBLES** 8-15, 15-30, 30-60mm



**DOVE GREY PEBBLES** 8-16mm



**DUCK EGG PEBBLES** 15-30, 30-50mm



**FLAMINGO PEBBLES** 20-50mm



**ICE BLUE PEBBLES** 20-40mm





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2019



**OCEAN BLUE PEBBLES** 10, 14, 20mm



**JAPANESE BEIGE** 15-30mm



Rainbow Pebbles



Ice Blue Pebbles



Dove Grey Pebbles

# PEBBLES



OYSTER PEBBLES 10, 20, 40mm



RAINBOW PEBBLES 20-40mm



## Coverage

1 x Bulk Bag laid at 60mm depth will cover approximately 9m<sup>2</sup> or 1 tonne of pebbles laid at 60mm depth will cover approximately 10m<sup>2</sup>.

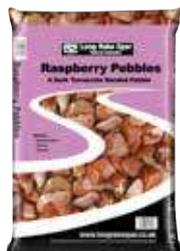


Japanese Beige Pebbles

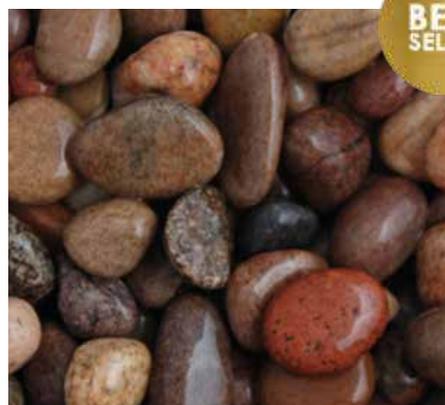


Raspberry Pebbles





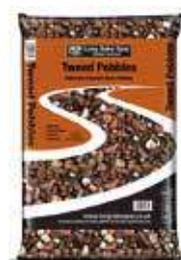
**RASPBERRY PEBBLES** 20-40mm



**SCOTTISH PEBBLES** 8-14, 14-20, 20-30, 30-50mm



**SILVER GREY PEBBLES** 20-40mm



**TWEED PEBBLES** 20-40mm



Scottish Pebbles

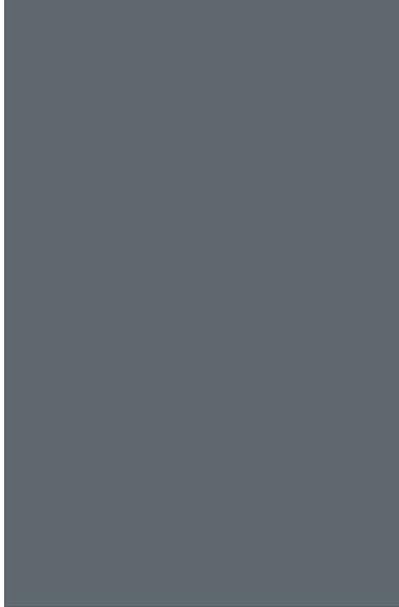


**WHITE PEBBLES** 20-40mm





Ice Blue Cobbles



Duck Egg Cobbles

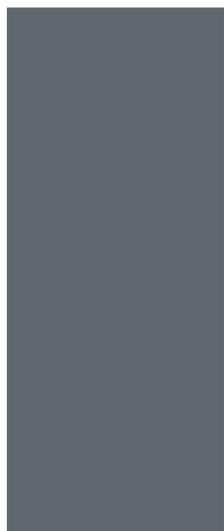


Mediterranean Cobbles



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Rainbow Cobbles



Scottish Cobbles



# COBBLES

Our natural cobbles are sourced from raised beaches and alluvial deposits, or suitable rock types are tumbled to produce more specialised rounded cobbles.



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**SCOTTISH COBBLES** 50-75mm



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**WHITE COBBLES** 40-90mm



# COBBLES



**EBONY BLACK COBBLES** 60-120mm



**COTSWOLD COBBLES** 40-90mm



**DOVE GREY COBBLES** 40-90mm



**DUCK EGG COBBLES** 60-120mm



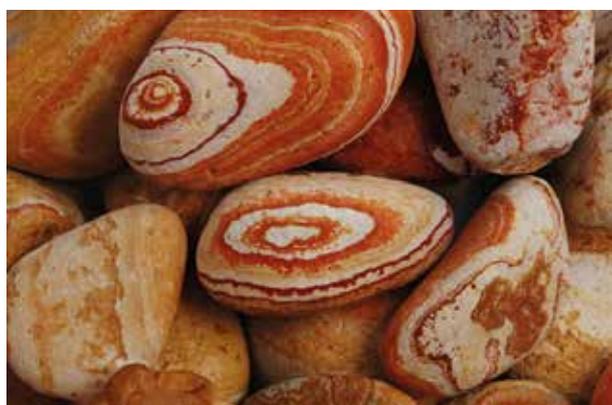
**ICE BLUE COBBLES** 40-60mm



**MEDITERRANEAN COBBLES** 60-120mm

Supplied in net bags, crated





**RAINBOW COBBLES** 40-90mm



**SCOTTISH COBBLES** 50-75mm



White Cobbles

**Coverage**

1 x Bulk Bag laid at 80mm depth will cover approximately 6m<sup>2</sup> or 1 tonne of cobbles laid at 80mm depth will cover approximately 7m<sup>2</sup>.



Tweed Cobbles

# COBBLES



SILVER GREY COBBLES 40-90mm



TWEED COBBLES 40-90mm



Rainbow Cobbles



Scottish Cobbles



Black Cobbles





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**WHITE COBBLES** 40-90mm



White Cobbles

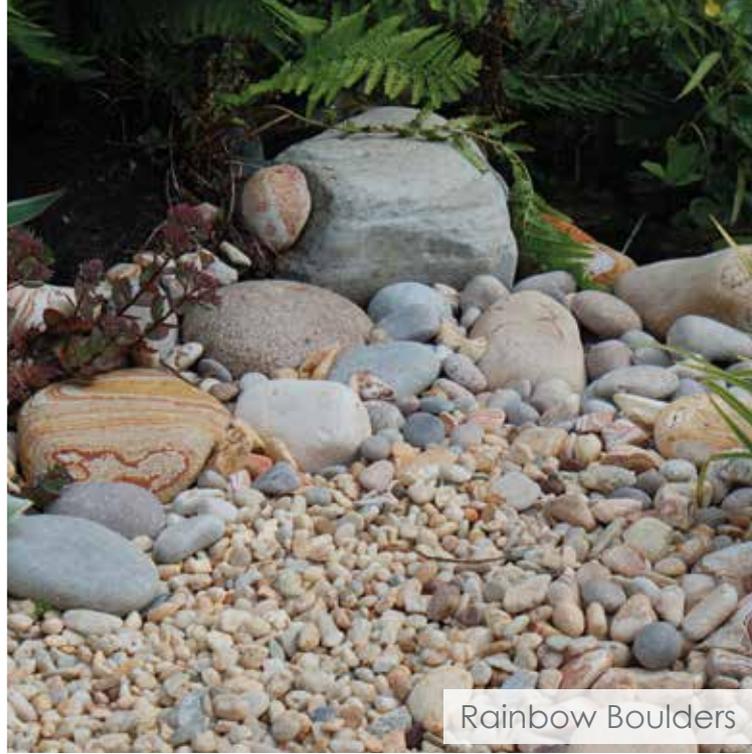


Dove Grey Cobbles

Combine sizes of pebbles, cobbles and boulders to build a soft, wildlife friendly edge for ponds and water features. Keep an eye out for our fish friendly icon to help you choose a suitable product.



White Boulders



Rainbow Boulders



Scottish Boulders



Scottish Boulders

# BOULDERS

Our attractive boulders, ranging from 150mm - 700mm in diameter, enhance any hard landscaping project. Smooth round boulders add impact and interest with their unique colour and texture.



**SCOTTISH BOULDERS** 300-500mm  
Pieces per crate 10 Approx



**WHITE BOULDERS** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx

# BOULDERS



**ANGEL WHIRLPOOL** 200-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



**CAMBRIAN BOULDERS** 100-150, 150-300mm  
Pieces per crate 85 Approx



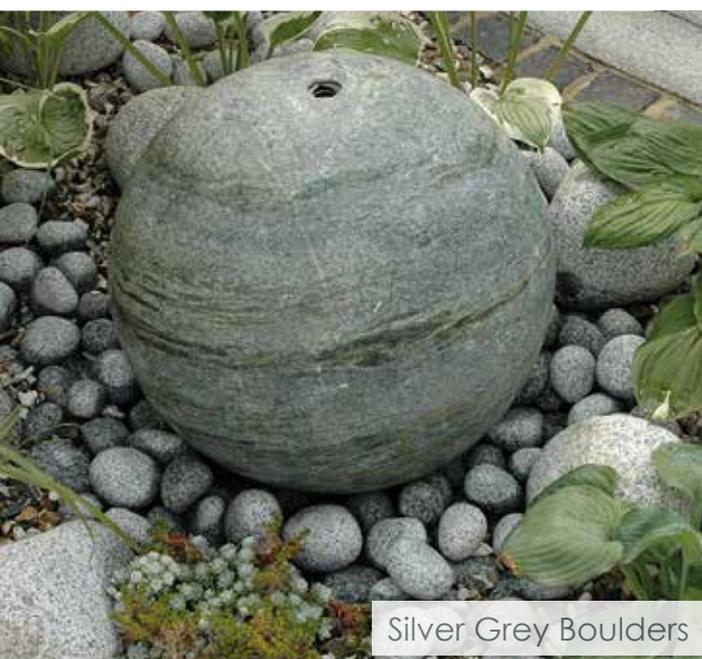
Scottish Boulders



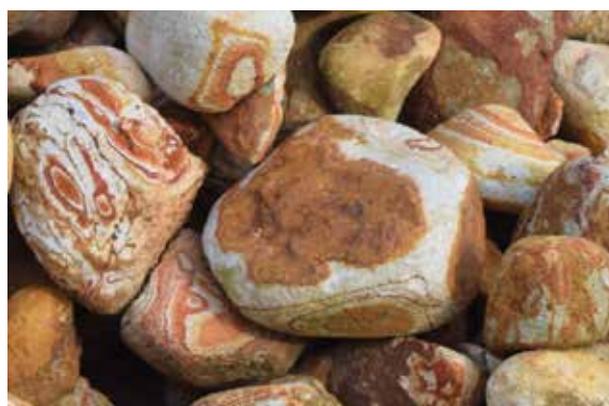
**EBONY BLACK BOULDERS** 150-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



**LEYLAC MARBLED BOULDERS** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 30-40 Approx



Silver Grey Boulders



**RAINBOW BOULDERS** 200-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



Leylac Boulders



**RED LAGUNA BOULDERS** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx

# BOULDERS



**RIVIERA MARBLED BOULDERS** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 30-40 Approx



**BEST  
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**SCOTTISH BOULDERS** 100-200mm  
Pieces per crate 300 Approx



**QUADBOULDERS** 200-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



**BEST  
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**WHITE BOULDERS** 200-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



Angel Green Boulders



Rainbow Boulders

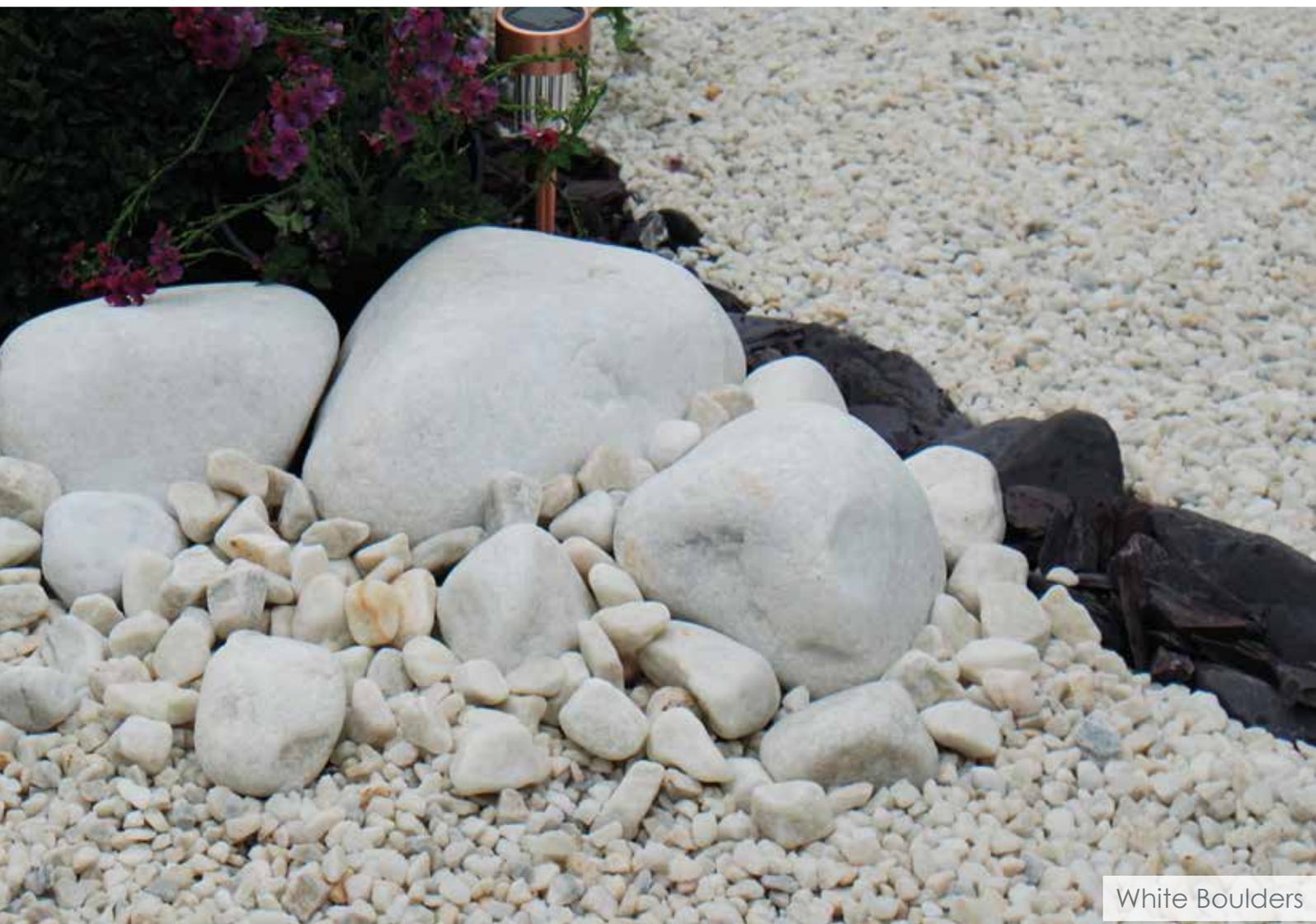




**SCOTTISH BOULDERS** 300-500, 500-700mm  
Pieces per crate 20/10 Approx



**SILVER GREY BOULDERS** 200-300mm  
Pieces per crate 40-45 Approx



White Boulders



Slate Rockery



Slate Rockery



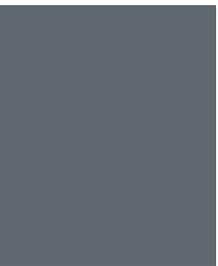
Lumbshill Rockery



Lumbshill Rockery

# ROCKERY

Our rockery stones are supplied in standard size pieces starting at 250mm, packed at approx. 70 pieces/crate with the option of larger sized pieces, supplied to order.



**COTSWOLD ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**PLUM SLATE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



# ROCKERY



**BLUE SLATE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**COTSWOLD ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**LEYLAC MARBLED ROCK** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 30-40 Approx



**LONGSTONE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**RUSTIC SLATE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**RIVIERA ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 30-40 Approx



**GREEN GRANITE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**GREEN SLATE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**PLUM SLATE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**RED SANDSTONE ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx



**YORKSTONE BROWN ROCKERY** c.250mm  
Pieces per crate 70 Approx





Red Onyx Monolith



**ANGEL GREEN** 400-600, 600-1200mm



**LEYLAC** 400-600, 600-1200mm



Leylac Monolith



Riviera Monolith





# FEATURE STONES

The Feature Stone range includes striking monoliths and quartz stepping stones that can be used to build eye-catching garden displays and enhance landscaping schemes.



**QUARTZ STEPPING STONE** 300-400mm  
Pieces per crate 60 Approx



**RED ONYX** 400-600, 600-1200mm



Apricot Monolith, Flamingo Chippings



**RIVIERA** 400-600, 600-1200mm





Goldpath

## Goldpath Self Binding Gravel



**GOLDPATH 0-11mm**



Goldpath

Goldpath is a cost effective, durable, textured surface suitable for a wide spectrum of applications from rural footpaths, parks and golf courses to lightly trafficked parking areas and large corporate landscaping schemes.

### Spread Rates

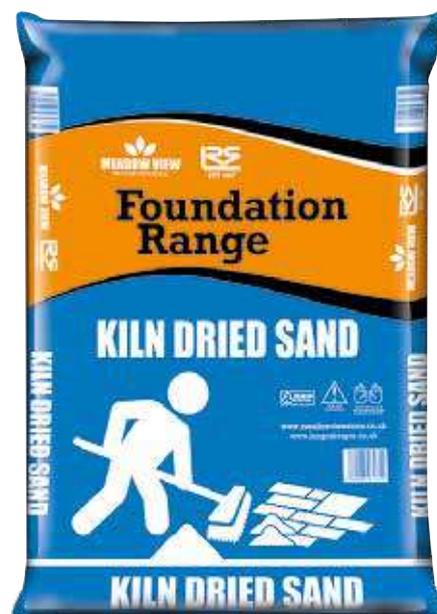
**Depth 50mm** = 100kg/m<sup>2</sup>

**Depth 100mm** = 180kg/m<sup>2</sup>

## Kiln Dried Sand



**Kiln Dried Sand <1mm**







# ANCILLARY PRODUCTS

Seasonal products that are sustainable, reliable and safe to use. This range includes Goldpath, a superior self-binding gravel; clean and safe Happy Faces Play sand and Kiln Dried Sand.



Leisure Sand

## Leisure Sand



LEISURE SAND 0-1mm





Multi Purpose Compost

## HORTICULTURAL RANGE

Our compost is produced from premium sedge and moss peat deposits, which are combined with natural wetting agents to produce a high quality growing medium.



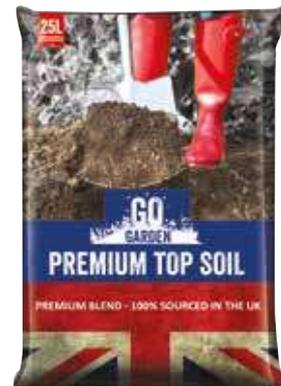
Landscaping Bark Mulch



**MULTI PURPOSE COMPOST**  
Available in 50 or 70 Litre Bags



**LANDSCAPING BARK MULCH**  
Available in 50 Litre Bags



**ADVANCED TOP SOIL**  
Available in 25 Litre Bags



**HORTICULTURAL POTTING GRIT**  
2-4mm



Landscaping Bark Mulch



# ANCILLARY PRODUCTS

Our compost is produced from premium sedge and moss peat deposits, which are combined with natural wetting agents to produce a high quality growing medium. We also supply a vast and diverse range of aggregates for rough cast pebble dashing.



Ashton Cream



Barley Corn



Black & White



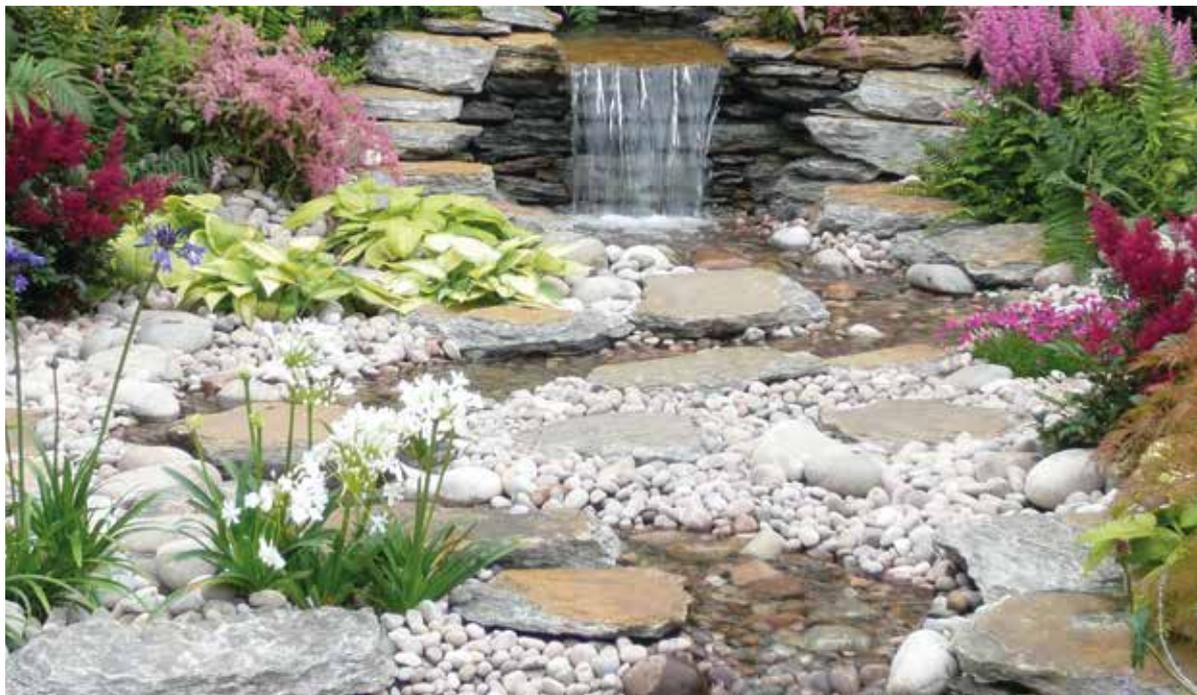
Harvest



SEE FULL RANGE ONLINE AT [www.longrakespar.co.uk](http://www.longrakespar.co.uk)

## PEBBLE DASHING RANGE

An extensive selection of bespoke blends and traditional dashing aggregates are supplied for external wall finishes or rough cast. Supplied in sizes varying from 3-9mm this range of small chippings is also ideal for Alpine Gardens and Pot Toppers.



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