

*Beautiful stone panels over a concrete block backup system create a sophisticated and long-lasting exterior for important buildings.*

**Recommended Building Types**

Institutional Buildings, including museums, places of worship, universities and schools; healthcare facilities; hotels, restaurants and shopping centers; sports stadiums, theatres and casinos; and high-end single family and multi-family residential  
Buildings requiring a high fire rating  
Noisy environments

**Benefits**

- Sophisticated, solid stone exterior over a structural concrete block backup system – works especially well in urban settings
- Nearly unlimited design potential, with many different stone types, finishes, and surface textures available
- Most types of stone have exceptional durability and are long-lasting
- Low maintenance
- Concrete block backup acts as the structure, with vertical and horizontal reinforcement grouted into place
- Continuous concrete masonry backup permits anchor attachment anywhere within the field of the wall. Stud backup systems require added structural framing, placed precisely at stone anchor-age points
- Excellent heat capacity
- Inherently fire proof with fire ratings up to 4 hours
- Great for noisy environments – naturally dampens sound
- One trade erects both the structural and skin layers of the wall

