

## TYPES OF WESTERLY GRANITE

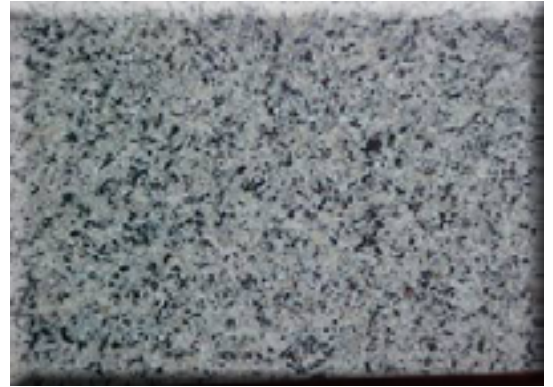
### BLUE (including blue-white and white)

Description: Fine grain, grayish in color

Sources: Holes # 1, 2, 3, and 5 on Quarry Hill and the Bradford quarries

Characteristics: Easily “tooled” (hand cut)

Uses: Statuary and fine carving



### LIGHT PINK (sometimes called cream)

Description: Very fine grain, white with pinkish tinge

Sources: Hole #6 on Quarry Hill nicknamed “The Creamery”

Characteristic: Very hard; difficult to cut by hand; better suited to machine finishing

Uses: Monuments



### DARK PINK

Description: Fine grain with pronounced pink tinge

Sources: North quarries—lower (deeper) beds

Characteristic: Very hard; well-suited to a polished finish

Uses: Monuments



### RED

Description: Medium grain with decided reddish color

Sources: North quarries—upper beds; Brand’s Oven

Characteristic: Polishes well; machines well; cuts well by hand; breaks evenly

Uses: Monuments and buildings

