

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

YOUR COMPLETE GUIDE TO MAINTAINING AND ENHANCING THE BEAUTY OF SHARFISTONE® QUARTZ SURFACES

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I. INTRODUCTION

SHARFISTONE® QUARTZSURFACES ARE ENGINEERED QUARTZ SURFACES DESIGNED TO MEET AND EXCEED INDUSTRY STANDARDS. UNDERGOING RIGOROUS CERTIFICATION INSPECTIONS, THESE SURFACES ARE CERTIFIED TO BE MORE RESISTANT THAN NATURAL MARBLE SURFACES AGAINST SCRATCHING, ETCHING, STAINING, CRACKING, AND OTHER COMMON CAUSES OF FAILURE.

II. SURFACE COMPOSITION

SHARFISTONE® QUARTZ SURFACES ARE FACTORY-PRODUCED ENGINEERED QUARTZ SLABS. THESE SURFACES COMBINE HIGHLY PURIFIED QUARTZ POWDER WITH RESINS, BINDING AGENTS, AND OCCASIONALLY PIGMENTS TO ACHIEVE DISTINCT DESIGNS.

III. STAIN RESISTANCE

WHILE SHARIFSTONE® QUARTZ SURFACES RESIST PERMANENT STAINING WHEN EXPOSED TO LIQUIDS SUCH AS WINE, VINEGAR, TEA, LEMON JUICE, SODA, FRUITS, AND VEGETABLES, THEY ARE NOT SCRATCH-PROOF. IMMEDIATE CLEANUP IS CRUCIAL TO PREVENT STAINS. FRESH SPILLS CAN BE MANAGED WITH MILD DISHWASHING DETERGENT AND A SOFT CLOTH OR SPONGE.



IV. STAIN REMOVAL

FOR DRIED SPILLS OR HEAVY STAINS, USE A LEADING BRAND SURFACE CLEANER WITH A NONABRASIVE SPONGE, EMPLOYING A CIRCULAR RUBBING MOTION. REPEAT AS NECESSARY, ESPECIALLY FOR DARK AND STUBBORN STAINS. ENGINEERED QUARTZ IS LESS PRONE TO DEEP PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS COMPARED TO NATURAL STONE SURFACES LIKE MARBLE.

V. CLEANER SELECTION

MOST LEADING BRANDS OF HOUSEHOLD CLEANERS WILL INDICATE IF THEY ARE SAFE FOR USE ON QUARTZ SURFACES. ALWAYS TEST IN A SMALL AREA BEFORE APPLYING TO THE ENTIRE SURFACE.

VI. GENERAL CARE

WHILE SHARFISTONE® QUARTZ SURFACES SHARE SOME VULNERABILITIES WITH NATURAL STONES, THEIR ENGINEERED NATURE PROVIDES ENHANCED RESISTANCE TO COMMON ISSUES. REGULAR CARE AND PROMPT ATTENTION TO SPILLS WILL MAINTAIN THE BEAUTY AND DURABILITY OF YOUR SURFACES.