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Maintenance and Care Guide

The Maintenance and Care Guide for Fugen Quartz Surfaces provides essential information to ensure the longevity and appearance of your quartz worktops. Here's a summary of the key points from the guide:

General Cleaning and Maintenance:

For regular cleaning, use hot soapy water and a soft sponge or cloth, followed by rinsing with hot water, and then drying with a cloth.

This simple cleaning routine should keep your quartz surfaces looking new when undertaken regularly. Non-polished finishes may require extra maintenance, as they are more sensitive to things like grease and fingerprints.

Stubborn Marks:

For stubborn marks that are unable to be removed with soapy water, use a mild non-abrasive cleaner such as CIF Cream cleaner. If you're unsure about which cleaner to use, contact the Fugen office for recommendations. DO NOT use strong acidic, alkali products, solvents, or highly abrasive cleaning products, as they can cause damage to your worktops (e.g., oven cleaner, caustic soda).

In the event of accidental spills, rinse them off immediately with warm water to minimise potential damage.

Heat Resistance

Fugen Quartz Surfaces offer good heat resistance; however, placing hot items directly onto the surface is not recommended. Sudden changes in temperature, known as thermal shock, can cause cracks or other damage to the worktop.

To protect your surface, always use a trivet, heat-resistant mat, or chopping board under hot pans, pots, or appliances.

Important: Small kitchen appliances like air fryers, which generate a significant amount of heat, should also be used with protective mats or boards underneath to prevent heat-related damage over time.

Scratch Resistance:

Fugen Quartz Surfaces are scratch-resistant. It's imperative to steer clear of sharp or abrasive tools, as they have the potential to result in damage.

General Care:

When dealing with heavy or rough objects, exercise caution, as their contact with the quartz can lead to noticeable abrasions, as such avoid dragging or sliding large appliances across the worksurface.

However, excessive force or downward pressure with metal objects can affect the worksurface, avoid cutting directly on the surface or applying downward force from hard or metal objects (e.g. throwing keys, tools etc onto the worktop).

Following these care and maintenance guidelines will help you preserve the beauty and quality of your Fugen Quartz Surfaces.

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