

## Care Instructions for (Quartz-)Composite Kitchen Work Tops

Quartz-Composite is an engineered stone made from quartz bound together by resin. These manufactured surfaces are very dense and robust. As with all exclusive materials, the correct care system is essential in maintaining the appearance and the technical properties. The following care instructions ensure well maintained surfaces:

### Maintenance (every-day cleaning)



Lithofin MN Easy-Clean is ideally suited for quick and easy cleaning during and after cooking. This mildly alkaline product removes oily and greasy deposits and leaves the surface clean and clear.



Directions: simply spray the cleaner on the surface and wipe it off with a moist cloth.

**HINT:** do not allow oil and grease to remain on the surface. Clean the kitchen work top and back splash directly after cooking to prevent oil and grease from gumming. Spills of pigmented substances (such as grapes, berries, wine, juice, etc.) should also be wiped up immediately.

Leaving water on the surface for extended periods of time may temporarily lead to a slight darkening, which will usually dry out completely.

### Removing stubborn dirt deposits

Stubborn marks and dirt deposits as well as stains from felt or grease pens, nail polish, paint, etc. can be removed with Lithofin MN Power-Clean or Lithofin WAX-OFF. Metal scoring from pots or knives can be carefully removed with mild cream cleaners.

Please Note: strong degreasing agents will leach out the material, while soaps build layers. Both types of products should therefore not be used on quartz composite. Scouring pads or powders and similar abrasives may lead to dull spots.

**HINT:** Always try the product and method in an inconspicuous spot to ensure suitability.



### Additional care

To maintain the properties of quartz composite – especially in case of frequently used kitchen work tops – Lithofin MN Refresh should be used regularly. This treatment will maintain an easy to care for surface and will protect the even appearance. Lithofin MN Refresh was developed specifically for quartz composite. It is



easy to use, has a pleasant odour and dries quickly. We recommend to treat the surface on a monthly basis.

Directions: The surface must be clean, free of oil or grease and dry. Use Lithofin MN Power-Clean before treating the surface. Apply Lithofin MN Refresh to a small area and immediately distribute the product with a dry cloth. Wipe the surface until the product has dried completely and no streaks are visible. Then treat the next small area.



The surface can be used again right after the treatment has dried.

**Please Note:** surfaces treated with the recommended products pose no health concerns once dry (according to tests by LGA Nuremberg)

If you require advice or are in any way unsure about these instructions, please call our **Technical Support Line at (01962) 732126**

△ This information should be considered to be informal and non-binding. The products must be used according to local conditions and materials. Instructions must be read carefully and followed closely. Always test the product in an inconspicuous area. (GB5.14ggs/8.11)

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