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QUARTZ (Countertop)

- DO NOT leave water on the surface for long periods of time. The most susceptible areas are those that are close to sinks.
- DO NOT use sharp objects to cut directly on the countertop surface. Instead, use protective materials such as chopping boards.
- DO NOT place the surface outside or anywhere that may be exposed to high levels of ultraviolet radiation.
- DO NOT place any objects that give off heat, or that have been recently removed from the cooker, onto the surface.
- DO NOT use water-repellents, sealants, polishes or similar products.
- DO NOT polish the surface.
- DO NOT place heavy objects that are unsuitable for countertop use on the surface.
- DO NOT use paint strippers, caustic soda or any products with a pH greater than 10. If you use bleach or solvents, you should
- rinse the surface with plenty of water imeediately. Never leave such products in permanent contact with the surface, as they may affect it after 12 hours. Avoid the use of any Chlorine-based products and any contact with Hydrofluoric acid.
- DO NOT use grease removers with a high mineral content, or very strong products containing 50% solutions of Hydrochloric acid or Sodium Hydroxide.
- DO NOT use any cleaning products that have a mineral content or that include microparticles in their composition.
- DO NOT use any scouring pads that may scratch the surface. Use the soft side of a cleaning sponge.

ACRYLIC (Countertop)

- To maintain the finish on your Acrylic top use only a soft cloth and weak solution of non-abrasive detergent.
- To remove scratches, marks, etc. rub gently with car cutting compound, car polish or household brass/silver cleaner.
- IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO REMOVE MINOR CUTS AND SCRATCHES YOURSELF BEFORE HIRING A PROFESSIONAL, THE STEPS BELOW WILL GUIDE YOU TO REFINISHING YOUR COUNTERS:
- 1. Rinse surface with warm, soapy water and dry completely.
- 2. Use a mild abrasive cleaner, on a damp sponge, and rub in circular motions over the area. To maintain the finish of the acrylic counters,
- it is importante to keep moving the abrasive cleaner and sponge over the surrounding areas to maintain a uniform finish.
- 3. Rinse counters thoroughly with warm, soapy water and wipe completely dry again. If marks persist, go over the areas once more, applying more pressure this time until the marks gone.

CERAMIC BASINS AND TOPS

- To maintain the finish on your ceramic top use only a soft cloth and weak solution of non abrasive detergent.
- Due to the glazed surface of ceramic tops, scratches cannot be repaired or removed.
- Due to ceramic being a handcrafted product that is fired at high temperatures, some visual distortion may occur. This is not a defect but can be seen to add to the beauty of the product.

GRANITE & NATURAL STONE

- DO clean surfaces with mild detergent or stone soap.
- DO thoroughly rinse and dry the surface with clean, clear water after washing.
- DO blot up spills immediately.
- DO avoid scratches which can occur with certain stoneware, or pizza stones containing Silica sand.
- DO save a chip which a professional may be able to reattach using epoxy.
- DO use coasters and trivets.
- DO NOT rest hot pans on your countertop.
- DO NOT use harsh cleaning products.
- DO NOT stand on your countertop for any reason.
- · DO NOT store bottles of cooking oil directly on your countertop.
- DO NOT leave acidic liquids on the surface which can dull the finish, (Lemon or Orange Juice, Vinegar, Soft Drinks, and Wine).
- DO NOT use abrasive products such as dry or soft cleansers.

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WOOD & LACQUER

- DO NOT leave water on the surface for long periods of time. The most susceptible areas are those that are close to sinks.
- Dust wood, lacquer, and linen pieces regularly with a soft cloth.
- Avoid placing them near heaters and air conditioning units to prevent over-drying or exposure to excessive moisture.
- Protect against extreme humidity changes, as dry air can cause wood to crack and lacquer to lift.
- Do not place hot or moist objects directly on the wood. Rubber or plastic left on the finish can also cause damage.
- Clean with a dry or slightly damp soft cloth. Avoid commercial, heavy-duty polishes or waxes as they can yellow light finishes.
- Stained or soiled wood, lacquer, or mother of pearl pieces should be professionally cleaned or refinished.

GLASS, CRYSTAL & MIRROR

• Clean glass and crystal by wiping with a soft damp cloth or a glass cleaner without additives. Apply the cleaner to a cloth rather than directly on the fixture to avoid overspray that may damage other finishes.

POLISHED METAL

- Clean polished metal with a damp cloth. Avoid commercial or heavy-duty polishes, as they can scratch or damage the finish.
- Recommended polishes can be used safely, but if there's a wax sealer coat, it may need re-waxing after polishing.

METALS

- Never use cleaners with alcohols or solvents on metals.
- Use fine cotton or extra soft cloths for cleaning. Tarnished metals should be professionally cleaned.

Caring for your matte black products

Given the microscopically rough (matte) surface it is important to avoid cleansers that include wax or filling agents. The wax will act to fill the imperfections in the surface to give it a polished look. Whilst such waxes are great to use on polished surfaces where they fill imperfections and provide a protective coat – they will leave shiny areas on your matte black surface and in time replace its matte finish with a splotchy polished one.

If you are not sure about your cleaner, and it includes chemicals you cannot identify then simply avoid it. Avoid wax based cleansers!

Note: Success with cleaners and procedures is dependent upon such factors as the hardness and temperature of the water, using exact measurements of ingredients, changes in cleaning formulas and the condition of the product being cleaned. Since there are variations within these factors, KUBEBATH cannot guarantee the effectiveness of the formulas.