

USE & CARE GUIDE

QUARTZ STONE



Comprehensive Use & Care Guide for Quartz Stone

Quartz stone is an exceptionally durable and non-porous engineered surface composed primarily of natural quartz crystals (about 90–93%) mixed with polymer resins and color pigments. It's widely used in residential and commercial applications for countertops, vanities, wall cladding, and more. With proper maintenance, quartz surfaces can remain beautiful and functional for decades.

Daily Cleaning

Consistent daily cleaning preserves both the surface hygiene and luster:

- Use a soft microfiber cloth or non-abrasive sponge with warm water.
- Add a few drops of mild pH-neutral dish soap to remove grease, dirt, and bacteria.
- Dry with a clean, lint-free cloth to avoid streaks and water marks.

Quick Daily Steps:

1. Wipe crumbs or debris with a dry cloth.
2. Dampen a cloth with soapy water for a quick once-over.
3. Dry the surface thoroughly to maintain shine and avoid buildup.

Recommended Products:

- Gentle dish soap (e.g., diluted Dawn, Ivory)
- Non-abrasive all-purpose cleaner (pH-neutral)
- Non-ammonia based glass cleaner

Avoid:

- Abrasive cleaners or scouring powders
- Acidic cleaners (vinegar, lemon juice)
- Alkaline solutions (bleach, ammonia)
- Waxes, polishes, or sealants not formulated for quartz

Managing Spills & Stains

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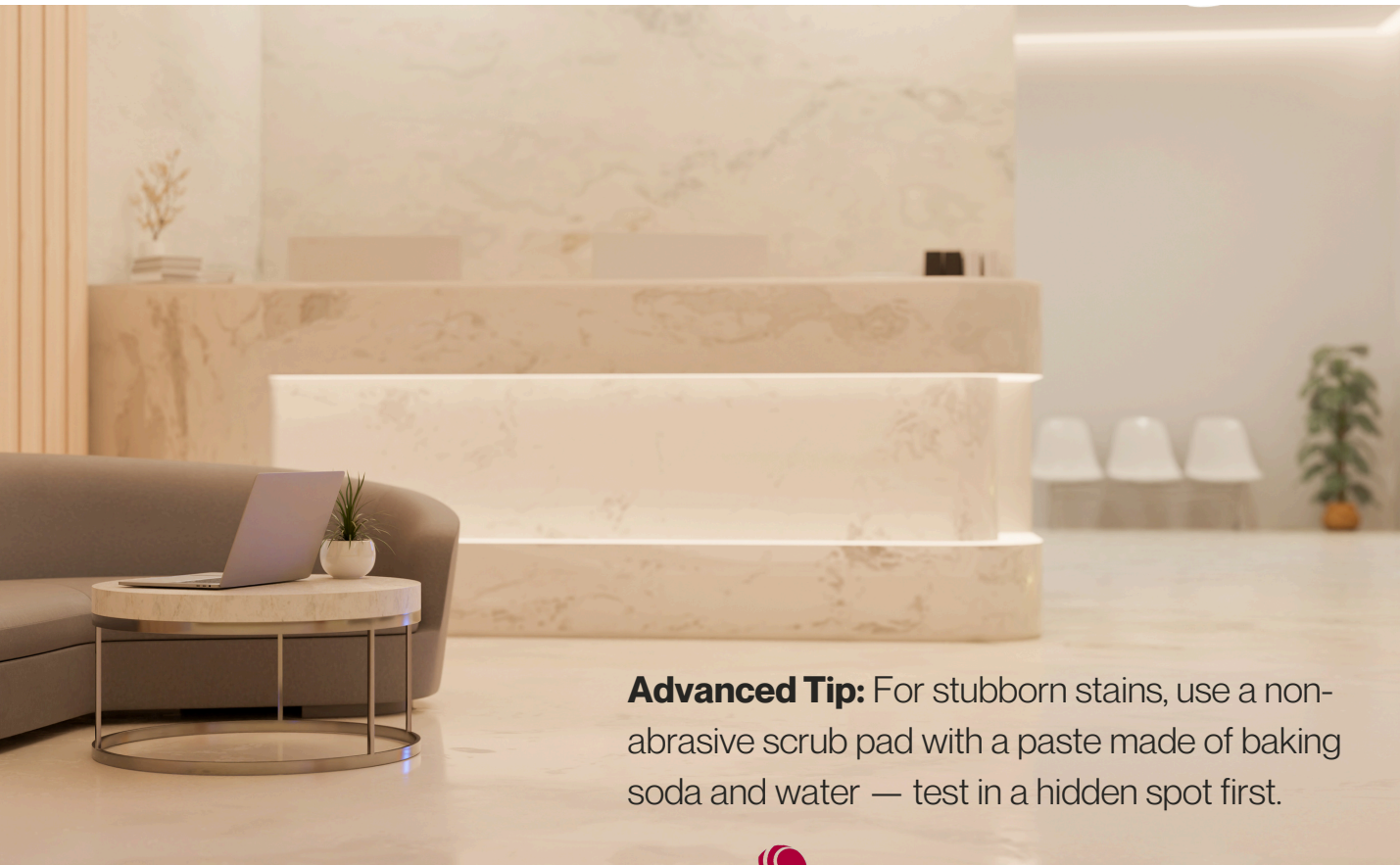


Quartz is stain-resistant but not stain-proof. Immediate attention prevents discoloration:

Spill Type

Response

Coffee, Wine, Juice	Clean with mild detergent + water. Rinse and dry.
Pen Ink or Markers	Use isopropyl alcohol or acetone. Test on inconspicuous area first.
Grease, Oils	Apply degreaser or dish soap. Let sit briefly, then scrub gently.
Gum or Dried Food	Gently scrape with plastic scraper. Follow with soapy water.
Paint, Nail Polish	Use non-acetone polish remover. Rinse thoroughly after use.



Advanced Tip: For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive scrub pad with a paste made of baking soda and water — test in a hidden spot first.

Heat Resistance Precautions

While quartz is engineered to resist moderate heat, it is not heat-proof:

- Always use trivets or hot pads under cookware or heated appliances.
- Avoid sudden temperature changes that may cause thermal shock.
- Do not place curling irons, straighteners, or toaster ovens directly on the surface.

Safe Practice: Limit exposure to heat exceeding 99°C



Scratch Prevention

Quartz is scratch-resistant, but misuse can damage the surface:

- Use cutting boards for chopping or slicing — never cut directly on quartz.
- Don't drag heavy pots, pans, or appliances.
- Clean sand or grit particles regularly, especially in high-traffic kitchens.





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Impact Protection

Though robust, quartz can be damaged by hard impacts:

- Handle heavy cookware with care to avoid chipping edges.
- Install protective edge guards in high-use areas if needed.
- Avoid dropping objects like cast iron pans or glass containers.

For chips or deep damage, consult a licensed fabricator for repair.



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UV & Chemical Resistance

Do not use:

Paint strippers / Turpentine / Oven cleaners / Industrial solvents

Quartz is best suited for indoor use due to UV sensitivity:

- Avoid prolonged exposure to direct sunlight — may cause yellowing or fading.
- Clean chemical spills immediately with mild soap and rinse well.
- Store household cleaners away from quartz surfaces to avoid accidental spills.

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Monthly & Deep Cleaning

Monthly:

- Deep clean with a specialty quartz or stone cleaner.
- Use soft bristle brush in textured or matte surfaces.

Polished Finish:

- Buff with dry microfiber cloth to enhance shine.

Matte Finish:

- Wipe gently in circular motion to prevent streaks.
- Avoid waxes or polishes to maintain matte effect.

What to Avoid Entirely

- Never seal quartz surfaces — they are naturally non-porous.
- Don't use steam cleaners, high-pressure water, or mechanical buffers.
- Avoid prolonged contact with dyes, food coloring, and inks.
- Do not place quartz over direct heat sources or open flames.

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Professional Care & Warranty

- Follow manufacturer's care guidelines to maintain product warranty.
- For extensive repairs, always work with licensed stone specialists.
- Keep original invoice and care documents for warranty claims.

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Quartz: The Elegant, Easy-Care Stone.

With simple maintenance, your
quartz surface will retain its
beauty, shine, and resilience for
many years.



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