

Care & Maintenance

Quartz Countertops

Thank you for choosing quartz countertops from DDN! With proper care, your surfaces will stay beautiful and durable for years to come.



Daily Care & Cleaning

- Use a soft cloth or sponge with mild soap and warm water for everyday cleaning.
- Dry with a soft towel or microfiber cloth for a streak-free finish.
- · Avoid abrasive pads, harsh chemicals, or bleach-based products.



Dried Spills & Stubborn Messes

- For dried-on spills, a hot damp cloth is usually enough to loosen and wipe them away.
- If necessary, use a plastic razor blade scraper (the kind used to remove stickers from windows). Keep the blade at no more than a 45-degree angle—never straight up and down—to avoid scratching the surface.
- Avoid metal or plastic putty knives, which can leave marks on quartz.



Avoiding Stains

- Quartz is non-porous and highly stain-resistant, but it's best to wipe up spills quickly, especially coffee, wine, oils, vinegar, and citrus.
- · Stick to gentle cleaners—avoid powdered abrasives like Bar Keepers Friend®, as they may dull the surface if misused.



Heat Protection

- · Quartz is heat-resistant, not heat-proof.
- Always use hot pads or trivets under pots, pans, crockpots, air fryers, and similar appliances.
- · Sudden or prolonged heat exposure can cause discoloration or cracking.



Scratch & Chip Prevention

- Always use a **cutting board**—never cut directly on your countertop.
- · Avoid dropping heavy or sharp items, especially near edges and corners, which are more vulnerable to chips.



What to Avoid

- No harsh chemicals like oven cleaner, drain cleaner, paint remover, or nail polish remover.
- Avoid scouring pads, steel wool, or anything abrasive.
- Do not use quartz as a step stool or work surface—excessive pressure or weight can damage the countertop.



Polishing & Sealing

- Quartz requires no sealing or waxing—ever.
- The surface maintains its shine with basic cleaning.
- If you'd like an occasional shine boost, use a stone-safe spray polish, but it's not necessary.

