

Care and Maintenance

Finishes

- The matt finish with low or no gloss is especially recommended for “high traffic” areas such as laboratories or in areas that are constantly exposed to persistent stains.
- The satin finish with a slight gloss is recommended for domestic and commercial uses especially because it is easy to clean and maintain.

Cleaning

- Clean with a damp cloth and gentle cream cleaners with microparticles. Rinse and dry the surface using a towel.
- For a perfect finish, always rub in a circular motion and apply cleaning treatments evenly over the whole surface. Darker colors may require more frequent attention in order to maintain a uniform finish.

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Argo™ is a solid, uniform and repairable material. For most accidental damage caused by impact, heat or chemical products, the repairs can be carried out by solid surface specialists.

Small cuts and scratches

- For satin surfaces, use a cotton cloth always rubbing in a circular motion. Carry out the regeneration treatment evenly over the entire surface.
- For matt surfaces, use an abrasive cleaner such as Ajax™ and a damp green ScotchBrite™ pad, rinse and then rub in a circular motion until removing all cuts and scratches and leaving a uniform finish.
- In case of deeper cuts, it is advisable to contact specialist in repairing solid surfaces.

Hard Water Marks

- Use a cleaner formulated for removing hard water marks such as CLR® or Lime-A-Way®.
- To enhance the gloss level on semi-gloss and high-gloss finishes, use a countertop polish such as Countertop Magic® or Hope's® Perfect Countertop™.

Safety and Caution

- Avoid excessive heat on the countertop. Argo™ is designed to withstand high temperatures, but extreme heat can cause damage to any surface.
- Use surface protectors when placing pots that have recently been removed from the stove top or oven.
- Avoid direct contact with devices that emit heat.
- Run cold water when pouring boiling liquids into Argo™ sinks.
- Avoid sliding heavy or hard objects over satin or gloss finish surfaces.
- Avoid harmful chemical products such as drain cleaners or paint solvents. Quickly remove any splashes of chemical products using plenty of soapy water to prevent damage.