

Quartzite: Care & Maintenance

Quartzite is a durable and popular alternative to granite and marble. It starts as sandstone and overtime, with extreme heat and pressure, it forms Quartzite. Quartzite is not indestructible and since it is a product of nature, it is porous and should be sealed to help shield the surface from stains.

Everyday Care

- Clean the stone with a few drops of neutral cleaner, stone soap or mild dishwashing detergent and water.
- Do not use products containing vinegar or acidic acids when cleaning.

Sealing Your Stone

- Universal Marble & Granite seals the Quartzite upon installation.
- Natural stone's durability is in full effect when accompanied by regular sealing.
- Universal Marble & Granite recommends sealing your Quartzite every 6-12 months (depending on color).

Stains

Apply a non-abrasive household cleaner and rinse to remove residue.

Spills

- Use mild dish soap and water. Repeat several times if needed.
- Blot and clean the spill immediately when including, but not limited to, alcohol, nail polish remover, hair products, harsh chemicals, etc.

Bath and Other Frequently Wet Areas

- Soap scum and staining can be minimized by using a squeegee after each use and regular sealing.
- To remove soap scum, use a non-acidic soap scum remover or a solution of ammonia and water. Keep in mind, however, frequent or over use of an ammonia solution may eventually dull the stone surface.