



CARE AND CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

Meridian Solid Surface®

Your Tower Industries Meridian Solid Surface® is made from a non-porous blend of polyester resin and natural mineral fillers. It is solid from front to back and from top to bottom, with no surface coating or overlay finish to disrupt. Your Meridian Solid Surface® has been fabricated by skilled craftsman using quality tools and premium materials. You can protect the beauty of your Meridian Solid Surface® and ensure a long life of trouble-free service by observing the following suggestions.

GENERAL CARE AND CLEANING

1. Meridian Solid Surface® is easy to clean using warm water and any normal household detergent, followed with a clear water rinse. Mildly abrasive cleaners may be used with caution on Satin and Matte-Finished Meridian Solid Surface® products, but should be tested in an inconspicuous area before using. Abrasive cleaners should not be used on Gloss-Finish Meridian Solid Surface® products.
2. Normal household stains and minor abrasions may be easily corrected using a white, green, or maroon Scotchbrite® Scouring Pad by 3M Corp.
3. Deep scratches or gouges in your Meridian Solid Surface® may be sanded with standard 220 & 320-grit sandpaper. Depending on the severity of the damage and the finish of your product, we suggest that you begin with the least coarse grit first and work your way up to the finest grit sandpaper. You may then use a Scotchbrite® Scouring Pad to return the product to its original luster.
4. DO NOT apply sealers, waxes, penetrants, or other topical treatments to your Meridian Solid Surface® under any circumstances.

Dark-Colored Meridian Solid Surface® Products

Generally speaking, darker colors of Meridian Solid Surface® look their best when finished to a higher luster in order to bring out their true beauty. Because of this, darker colors will often require more frequent buffing and polishing. If you own a dark-colored Meridian Solid Surface® product, we suggest that finishing and/or polishing be completed by a skilled solid surface fabricator/installer.

Meridian Solid Surface® Kitchen Sinks and Lavatory Bowls

All Meridian Solid Surface® Kitchen & Bath sinks are cycle-tested to withstand liquid up to 175° F. Therefore, with the average home water heater set at 130°-140° F, Meridian Solid Surface® sinks will provide outstanding performance under normal household use. Care must be taken to avoid sudden temperature extremes, such as filling a sink with ice followed immediately by boiling water, or vice versa. We suggest that you run tepid water from your faucet when draining boiling or extremely hot water in your Meridian Solid Surface® sink.

Appliances with Extreme Heat Sources

Do not place appliances with extreme heat sources on your Meridian Solid Surface®. Examples of such appliances are electric skillets, crock pots, George Foreman grills, and other appliances with bottom-mounted heating elements. These appliances generate heat in excess of 350° F with minimal shielding between the heating element and the worksurface.

Note: Tower recommends the use of synthetic, non-oil-based plumbers putty, such as Hercules "Sta-Put" brand or any plumbers putty noted as "stain-less", with all Meridian Solid Surface® products.

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