

## Care & Maintenance

Caring for your new Crush surface is very simple. Clean with mild neutral pH soap and warm water. You may use cleaning solutions that are non-abrasive such as Simple Green daily cleaner. Mild detergents that contain small amounts of bleach are also acceptable for stubborn stains. Do not use full strength bleach or aggressive chemical cleaners or solvents.

Depending on aesthetic preference, you may use most over the counter granite and stone polish/cleaners to maintain the luster of your counter. Simple Green "Stone Polish" is recommended.

Because Crush is composed of recycled natural stones, it has been factory sealed with a simple penetrating wipe on granite and stone sealer. It is recommended to re-apply a penetrating granite and stone sealer once per year or by preference. Enrich'N'Seal made by Aqua Mix Inc. is recommended and can be found at most local hardware stores.

Crush is heat resistant and scratch resistant. Prolonged exposure to high temperatures can cause discoloration or damage, so it is recommended to avoid direct contact with very hot pans and the use of a hot pad or trivet beneath the pan is recommended.

While Crush is highly durable and scratch resistant, it is not recommended to cut directly on your Crush surface. This can dull your knives and can cause damage to the surface. It is recommended to use a cutting board.