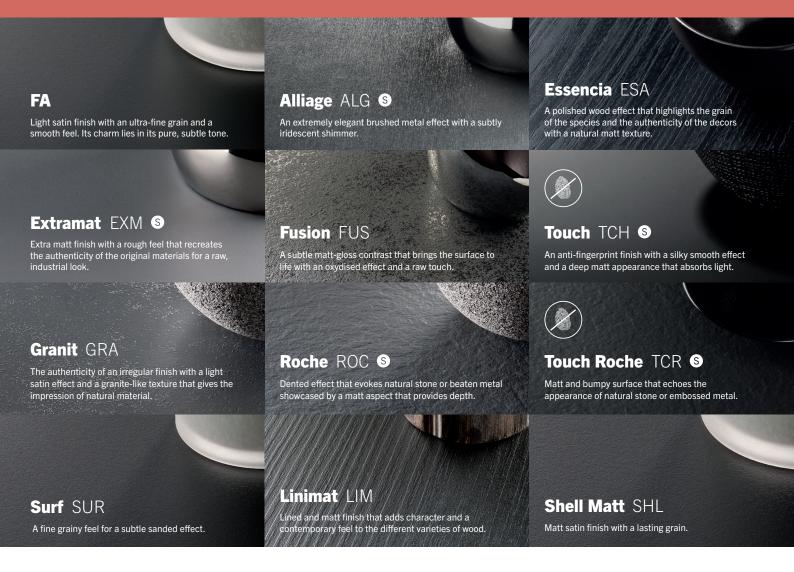


Precautions for use & maintenance

WORKTOP & SPLASHBACK



Choose the right finish for your worktop

To help guide you in your choice of worktop, please refer to the symbol S indicating the most delicate surfaces that require greater precaution during use and maintenance to preserve their visual aspect.

All our worktops are suitable for horizontal use in compliance with the requirements of EN438 and EN15186. In addition to normative tests, we carry out use and cleaning tests to ensure that our products meet your expectations on a daily basis.

Our matt and textured surfaces require special care: Alliage, Extramat, Roche (except Reysitop®), Touch and Touch Roche.

Common surface damage such as micro-scratches and changes in gloss will be more visible and show up more against dark decors.

However, on Touch and Touch Roche finishes, superficial micro-scratches can be repaired* using a magic eraser or a damp cloth and an iron.

Noir Roche: Repeated rubbing on the surface can cause visible changes, in particular a white, faded aspect. The product retains its normative technical characteristics.



Protecting and caring for your worktop and splashback

Protecting your surfaces

Protecting your surfaces from heat

Our AlloyTM, Monochrom and Reysitop® splashbacks are suitable for all types of cookers including gas.

Leave a 30mm gap between Alloy™ splashbacks and hob zones and a 100 mm gap between Compact HPL splashbacks and hob zones and avoid direct contact with flames.

Protecting your surfaces from scratches

Do not cut directly on the surface with a knife; always use a chopping board.

Do not slide rough objects over the laminate surface (ceramic plates, etc.). Ensure nothing ever rubs against delicate surfaces (S) and always use placemats or other protective items. Never use abrasive sponges for maintenance.

Protecting your surfaces from stains

Clean off any dirt immediately to avoid irreparable damage to the surface S. Anti-fingerprint finishes (Touch, Touch Roche) are more sensitive to food stains (tea, coffee, spices, etc.).

Any spilled liquid should be wiped up to avoid streaks, marks and limescale. Place a protective covering between the worktop and coffee machines or kettles when descaling.

Cleaning your surfaces

Routine maintenance

Clean the surface using a non-abrasive sponge and a mild household detergent. Rinse with clean water then dry the surface with a soft cloth. Clean the entire surface, not just the dirty area to avoid leaving marks.

Avoid using cleaning products likely to leave deposits on the surface, especially on matt, ultra-matt and textured surfaces (S).

If deposits build up on these surfaces, clean with a soft brush.

Never use abrasive, acidic or alkaline detergents (scouring cream, black soap, lime scale remover, soda-based cleaners, bicarbonate of soda, bleach, hydrochloric acid, etc.). Do not clean without wetting the surface.

Stain removal

For stubborn stains (ink, varnish), use standard solvents (nail varnish remover, acetone, white spirit, alcohol cleaner) and repeat the standard cleaning process (lather, rinse, dry). Carry out a test beforehand on a small area. Always refer to the manufacturer's user guide.

Disinfection

Use conventional household disinfectants. Carry out a test beforehand on a small area. Always refer to the manufacturer's user guide.



For more information, see our technical data sheets on maintenance and resistance to chemical products available on polyrey.com.

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