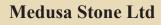
## **Marble Worktop Information**

Marble is a softer, slightly porous stone with various surface finishes. It is characterized by swirls of colour and the ability to take a very high polish finish. It is durable, easy to care for and will retain its colour and elegance.

### **Care & Maintenance**

- Cleaning your stone on a regular basis using a cloth and soapy water or mild detergent is important to maintain its finish.
- Avoid using abrasive cleaning materials such as scouring pads, a cloth will be perfect.
- Bleach, chlorine based cleaners, acids and concentrated disinfectants should be avoided when it comes to cleaning. If they come into contact with the stone, clean them off quickly with warm water and a cloth.
- Food that is strongly coloured, acidic or oily such as red wine, lemon juice and cooking oil can stain the surface. Clean any such spillages as soon as they occur. Marble is porous and will take on stains if left on the stone surface.
- Always use a chopping board rather than preparing food directly onto the surface. This will not only maintain the stone's finish but will also stop your knives from blunting.
- Put hot pans on a pan stand rather than directly on the surface of the stone as they can permanently damage the appearance of the stone.
- Over time, it is normal for the original sheen to mellow and fade. If a care kit has been provided, use the polishing cream to restore dull patches that could occur from normal wear and tear.



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## **General Information**

When we arrive to template and fit your worktop we will need clear access to the room. Removing all moveable items from the work area will improve our access and ability to accurately template the room and reduce the possibility of accidental damage to your belongings. We do not accept responsibility for any accidental damage that may occur in the work area and ask our customers to remove any-thing they think could be damaged.

Please be aware that due to the nature of stone, joints will be visible and can be felt. For customers having a recessed drainer area please note this is a feature. Due to the way it is manufactured, composite material will not have the same level of polished finish as natural stone would, this may result in a difference in colour or shine.

Slabs purchased and brought in from abroad are already polished on the surface and cannot be enhanced. Minor blemishes or scratches can occur during installation and unfortunately cannot be changed afterwards. This is why we advise strongly that slabs are always viewed before we start templating. You should inspect the products and check that they meet your expectations of quality and suitability for the purpose you intend to use them. This information is a guide only and therefore non-binding.

