



## **CHARACTERISTICS**

Fiberstone is a proprietary blend of fiberglass, resin and crushed stone.

Fiberstone has the look of stone and is very durable, but is significantly lighter in weight than stone, concrete or glass fiber reinforced concrete (GFRC).

## **CARE & MAINTENANCE**

Clean with a non-bleach liquid dish detergent or a mild soap and water solution, using a soft-bristle brush and a gentle motion to preserve the sealant.

Spot clean with a wet, clean cloth or a soft-bristled brush.

For added protection and to polish smooth surfaces, use carnauba wax (such as Trewax® Clear Paste Wax) every two to five months. To apply:

- Dampen a clean sponge or a soft, clean cotton cloth with water. Wring it out completely.
- Working in small sections, apply a thin layer of wax in a circular motion.
- Remove excess wax immediately with a dry cloth in the same circular motion; buffing works the wax into the material.
- Move to the next section, overlapping the last application slightly.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Suitable for indoor or outdoor use.
- To prevent scratches, avoid placing or dragging sharp, coarse objects across the surface.
- Do not place hot items directly onto your fiberstone tabletop, as this may cause rings or sealer discoloration.
- Always use placemats or coasters.
- Use felt pads on the bottom of objects that will remain on the tabletop for long periods. Residual moisture can transfer to the fiberstone and cause discoloration.

- Avoid letting water stand on the surface.
- Rainwater will pool underneath vases and candles and mark the tabletop; always remove these items during rainy conditions.
- · Blot stains immediately after a spill to avoid staining.
- Avoid contact with acidic substances such as wine, coffee, fruit juice, salad dressings, olive oil and tomato sauce, which can damage the sealant
- Avoid natural cleaners, as the cleaning agent is typically highly acidic and can damage the fiberstone surface. Citrus-based cleaners should not be used
- Do not use harsh solvents or abrasive, bleach-based, ammoniated or industrial cleaners. Mild cleaners such as Seventh Generation® Free & Clear are recommended.
- Reapply sealant every two to five months.
- Matte concrete sealers, available commercially, are effective for fiberstone products. Follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- Always lift your fiberstone tables and planters when adjusting to a new position. Do not drag.
- When fiberstone sits in standing water or mud, it's prone to damage in freezing temperatures. The use of risers promotes airflow and proper drainage of planters and helps to prevent micro-cracks.
- In areas with prolonged freezing temperatures, cover or store inside during winter months.
- Prolong the life of your fire table with our custom-fit outdoor cover (sold separately). Tenting devices should be used in conjunction with outdoor covers to prevent the cover from freezing to the surface during winter months.
- The use of an interior container or liner is recommended to minimize contact with moisture and metals/minerals. Fertilizers and plant foods contain metals and minerals such as magnesium, iron, copper and zinc. When minerals come into contact with water and Fiberstone, the chemical reaction between them can cause stains.

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