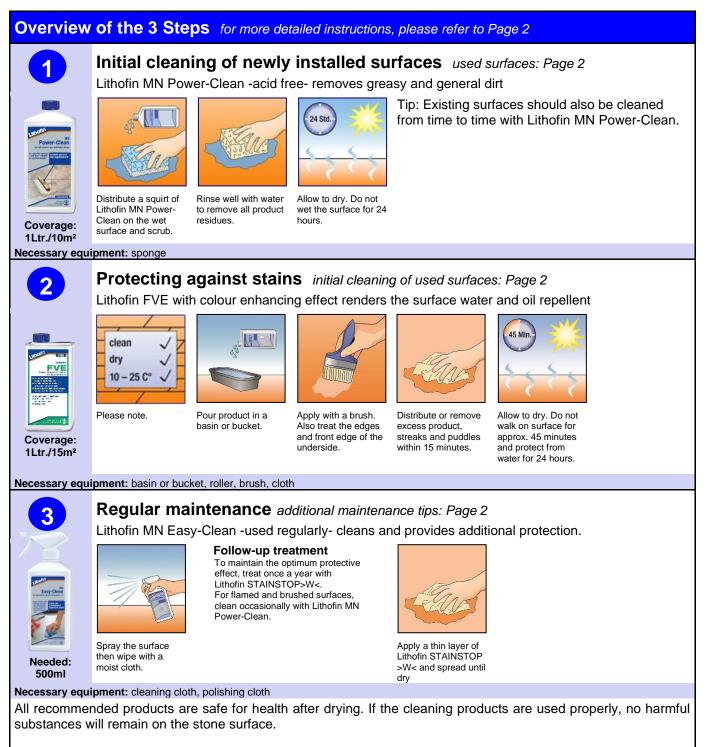
Method Statement

# Cleaning - Protecting - Maintaining - **Dolomite marble** - Kitchen Work Tops

Instructions for polished, sanded and brushed surfaces

Dolomite marble has little or only limited resistance to acids due to calcitic impurities. Acidic substances (vinegar, lemon, wine, descaling agents, etc.) as well as strong alkalis can lead to acid burns. Choosing the right treatment guarantees the long life of your natural stone kitchen counter.

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Please follow the detailed instructions on the product label.

## 1 Cleaning and refurbishing used surfaces

Before treating used surfaces, the stone must be thoroughly cleaned. All deposits and care product residues must be removed from the surface and from the pores.

- Lithofin MN Power-Clean is suitable for all types of stone. Dilute up to 1:3 with water and apply with a brush or sponge.
- Allow to work for 5 to 10 minutes. Scrub well and wait another 5 minutes.
- Add water while scrubbing and remove the solution from the surface.
- Rinse twice with clear water to remove all product residues.

#### Other, stubborn types of dirt

oil, grease, etc.	Lithofin MN Power-Clean
tar, wax, varnish, paint	Lithofin WAX-OFF
deeply engrained oil stains	Lithofin OIL-EX
calcium deposits	Lithofin MN Power-Clean, undiluted with 10 min. exposure time and
	rub with a white pad

## 2 Additional information about protective treatments

Impregnation with Lithofin FVE renders the surface water and oil resistant. The treatments' protective effect reduces staining and facilitates every-day maintenance. Treating the surface improves the appearance by invigorating the colour structure. Protective treatments enhance the appearance and make natural stone less sensitive. In general, an existing sensitivity to acids is not changed by impregnation.

Lithofin STAINSTOP>W< can also be applied to surfaces that have already been impregnated with Lithofin FVE (e.g. in the factory) and is therefore particularly suitable for subsequent treatment. We recommend re-treatment with Lithofin STAINSTOP >W< once a year to maintain optimum protection. Not suitable for polished surfaces. The active ingredients pose no health concerns after drying.

#### Please Note:

- Always test the product in an inconspicuous area. Non-absorbent or wet surfaces cannot be treated.
- Use impregnators only on completely dry surfaces. Otherwise, the product will not be able to penetrate into the surface.
  Apply the product evenly. Do not allow streaks or puddles to dry, as this is no longer possible after drying. If the product is already beginning to dry, moisten the cloth with product if necessary.

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**TIP:** Avoid using leaching and degreasing cleaning products as well as products that form layers. These products negatively affect the appearance of the natural stone and make maintenance more difficult.

This information should be considered to be informal and non-binding. The products must be used according to local conditions and materials. Instructions must be read carefully and followed closely. Always test the product in an inconspicuous area. (EN 01.24/01.24)

If you require advice or are in any way unsure about these instructions, please call our **Technical Support Line at +49(0)7024 9403-20** 

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