

### DAY TO DAY CARE OF YOUR FRAGRANITE SINK

Your Franke Fraganite sink is manufactured to the highest possible standards. To maintain its good looks, Franke suggests you follow these guidelines.

Most deposits can be removed with washing up liquid and hot water followed by a clean water rinse. It is also good practice to then dry the sink with a soft cloth as otherwise limescale can build up on the surface.

For more stubborn marks, we recommend use of the product JIF Cream Cleaner. This should be used in conjunction with a Scotchbrite® pad, in vigorous circular motions to clean your sink.

Don't forget - Always finish off by rinsing your sink thoroughly with clean water to remove any residue, then dry it with a soft cloth to prevent build up of limescale.

### SPECIFIC PROBLEM AREAS AND RECOMMENDED TREATMENTS

- Your Fraganite sink is made from an extremely hard wearing material. Any metal pots, pans or cutlery dragged across its surface will initially leave marks. However these marks are actually metal deposits on the sink's surface and can easily be removed by scrubbing with a magic sponge or magic eraser block spot cleaner.
- If a "stain" becomes deeply ingrained fill the bowl firstly with 40 parts water followed by 1 part bleach (or biological washing powder) and soak overnight. Drain, then rinse thoroughly with water. Note - This should not be used as a routine cleaning !
- Alternatively, fill the sink and dissolve a standard dishwasher cleaning tablet (such as a three-in-one) and leave to soak overnight for up to 12 hours.
- The quality of your water can affect the good looks of your sink by giving the appearance of staining. This "staining" is generally a build up of limescale or similar mineral deposit, particularly prevalent in hard water areas. Limescale readily absorbs staining agents such as tea, coffee, red wine, etc., spoiling the appearance of your sink. For this reason always rinse and dry your sink after each occasion you use it to avoid mineral deposits being left behind on the surface when the water evaporates.
- To remove any limescale that has built up on your sink, try using a proprietary limescale removing product. Alternatively, soak in a solution of one part vinegar to three parts water. This will loosen the scale, making it possible to scrub it away with an abrasive pad and kitchen sink cleaner.

### TAKE CARE TO AVOID

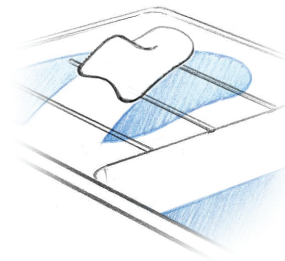
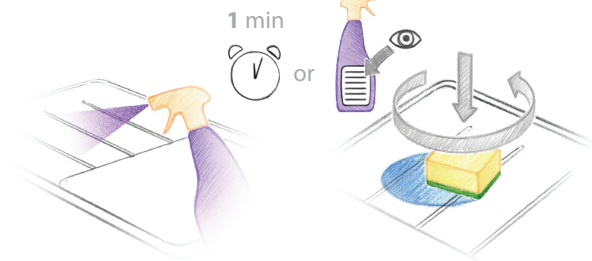
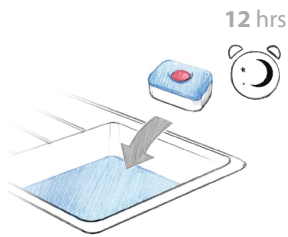
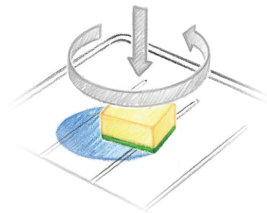
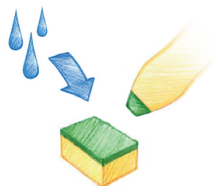
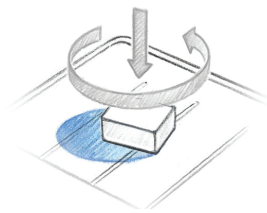
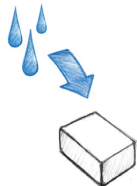
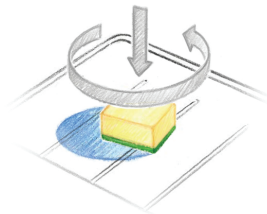
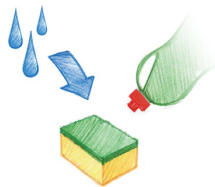
- Leaving bleach or cleaning agents containing bleach on your sink for any length of time. Examples of cleaning agents containing bleach include many of the new 'trigger-dispense' products, most domestic dishwasher liquids and some multi-purpose cream cleaners.
- If bleach is necessary, eg. to clean the overflow or waste outlet, squirt into the hole, leave for 2-3 minutes only, then rinse thoroughly with clean water. Under no circumstances leave in contact with the surface for longer than 30 minutes.
- Try to avoid dropping sharp objects onto the sink as they may chip or damage the surface. They are also likely to be damaged themselves!
- Don't leave wet cleaning aids on the sink (such as cloths, pads, containers). These trap water causing limescale build up when the water evaporates.
- Please note - Use of the Franke Twister or steel wool is NOT recommended for Franke Granite Sinks. Minute particles of the Franke Twister paste or steel wool respectively may become embedded in the molecular surface structure of the sink, leaving the impression of a stain or a mark on the sink. This can build up over a period of time and is very difficult to remove.

#### FOR EVERYDAY CLEANING



#### FOR STUBBORN MARKS





CORROSIVE



Cream Cleaner



Washing-up Liquid



Magic Sponge



Limescale Remover



Dishwasher Tablet