

# Garden Trading®

## Polystone Furniture Customer Guide

Polystone is made from concrete cast with resin mixed with stone powder, making it durable, lightweight and suitable for outdoor and indoor use. This organic material will patina over time as it is influenced by light and daily use. This does not affect the furniture's lifespan, quality and durability and is not indicative of errors or defects in the table.

Each tabletop is handmade so can vary in colour and surface, resulting in a beautiful unique look.

### Care and Maintenance:

To prolong the life of your Polystone furniture, we recommend the following care regimes.

### General Maintenance:

If spills occur it is important that the table is immediately cleaned with an ordinary soap solution and a soft cloth to avoid stains.

Do not use chemicals, acidic products or solvents to clean the table.

Polystone should not be exposed to acid or acidic products; including red wine, juice, lemon etc as these may cause stains if it is not immediately removed.

Do not place hot or cold items directly on the surface as condensation may form by prolonged exposure.

Always use a placemat.

Grease and dirt on the tabletop can cause stains and the effect of the sealer can be broken down.

### Storage and long-term care:

Over the winter months we recommend storing your Polystone furniture indoors, in a garden shed, garage or an outhouse. However, avoid moving the furniture from a cold environment straight into a heated room, as the sharp change in temperature and humidity may cause the Polystone seal to deteriorate.

Make sure furniture is completely dry before storage.

Cover your furniture with a protective, waterproof, breathable cover that blocks UV rays. Prevent condensation between the Polystone and cover by fastening securely but loosely. If the cover freezes to the tabletop, it can permanently damage it. However, avoid covering the furniture with protective covers for long intervals, as this can cause mould or mould attacks on the furniture.

Do not store your furniture outside exposed to the winter weather.

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