

Countertop Comparison Chart

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Appearance								
Colors	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★	★★★
Unique Pattern	★★	★★★★★	★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★	★★★★★
Consistent Pattern	★★★★★	★★★	★★★★★	★★	★★	★★	★★★★	★★★★
Seam Quality	★★	N/A	★★★★★	★★★	★★	★★★	★★★★	★★★
One Piece Appearance	★★	★★	★★★★★	★★★	★★	★★	★★★★	★★★
Durability								
Abrasion	★★★	★★★★★	★★★	★★	★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★
Stains	★★★	★	★★★★★	★	★	★★★★	★★★★	★★★★★
Impact	★★★★★	★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★	★★★	★★★★	★★★★★
Heat	★★★	★★★★★	★★★	★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★	★★★★★
Household Chemical Resistant	★★★	★★★★★	★★★	★	★★★	★★	★★★	★★★★
Easy to Maintain	★★★★	★★	★★★★	★★	★★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★
Repairability	★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★	★	★★	★★★	★★
Non-Porous (won't absorb moisture)	★★★	★	★★★★★	★	★	★★★★	★★★★★	★★★★★
Renewable Surface	★	★★	★★★★★	★★★★★	★★	★★	★★★	★★
Requires Periodic Sealing	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Options								
Undermount Sink	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Seamed in Sink Option	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Cove (one piece backsplash)	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Value								
Price Per Sq. Foot	\$	\$\$	\$\$	\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$
Manufacturer Warranty	YES	YES	YES	Check with CFI	NO	Check with CFI	YES	YES
NSF Certified	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO*

- ★ = Poor
- ★★ = Fair
- ★★★ = Good
- ★★★★ = Very Good
- ★★★★★ = Excellent

N/A - Not Applicable
CFI - Certified Fabricator Installer