

Like any other appliance, your Ruvati epiGranite sink needs proper care. Granite sinks are the steps below, your [granite sink](#) will always look brand new.

*Important reminder: Always test any stain removers in a small, non-visible location*



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## Daily Cleaning:

For standard cleaning, we recommend using any non-abrasive cleaner, such as [Bar Keeper's Friend](#), Soft Scrub/Soft Scrub with Bleach, or standard liquid dish soap. To eliminate any water spots or soap film buildups, rinse and wipe the sink dry with a clean, soft cloth.

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## Removing Hard Water Stains and Mineral Deposits:

Hard water and minerals in the water can leave white stains on your sink. These can be tough to remove. Best way to remove these stains is using a hard water stain remover such as [Lime-A-Way](#) or [CLR](#). You can do this once every 1 or 2 months. Follow the instructions on the bottle. Use a brush to scrub the entire sink, and rinse off thoroughly with water. If you want to avoid chemicals, you can use vinegar instead. Spray vinegar on the entire sink surface and let it soak for 30 minutes. You can place paper towels on the sink to allow the vinegar to stay soaked on the sink surface. After 30 minutes use a brush to scrub, and then rinse off with water. Once done, apply mineral oil (or baby oil or olive oil) to the entire sink surface. Using mineral oil regularly on the sink surface will prevent hard water and mineral deposits from building up on the sink surface.

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## Removing Stains and Scuff Marks:

**Bar Keepers Friend** should remove most stubborn stains with multiple cleanings. If you continue to have trouble, use a mild abrasive cleanser, along with a soft scouring pad. For more stubborn stains, a solution of 50% bleach, 50% water can be used, but only in these situations. **DO NOT USE THIS FOR DAILY CLEANING.** Let the solution sit in the bottom of the sink for one hour, then scrub and rinse extremely well, to make sure there is no bleach left in the sink. Dark colored sinks must be rinsed thoroughly with hot water.

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## Do not:

Use any abrasive cleaning agents or scrub pads, such as Steel Wool

Use straight bleach

Use commercial alkalis, such as ammonia and/or caustic solutions

Use drain-blocking chemicals that involve filling the sink with water

Use the sink to clean paint or grout materials

