

# Cleaning and Maintaining Glass Tiles

Glass tiles feature completely closed surface that is very hard wearing and easy to maintain. The following advice will help you keep your tiles on floors, in kitchens and baths look like they are new.

## Initial cleaning of newly installed surfaces



Remove grout residues and building dirt's with Lithofin KF Cement Residue Remover diluted approx. 1:10. On small surfaces just put a squirt of the product onto a wet sponge.

Always rinse the surface with clear water after cleaning.

## Cleaning used or extremely dirty surfaces



Use Lithofin KF Intensive Cleaner diluted 1:10 to remove stubborn dirt, care product residues, greasy and oily deposits and restoring a surface to its original appearance. In bathroom and sanitary areas such as showers, toilets, basins, etc. use Lithofin KF Active-Clean to remove calcium deposits, body oils, soap scum and other encrustacions.

#### Other, stubborn types of dirt

Mould and mildew on cement and silicone grout lines can be removed with Lithofin KF Mildew-Away. Simply spray the affected area and allow the product to work for approx. 10 minutes. Stains caused by plants or foods such as coffee or red wine can be removed in the same way.

## **Protective treatment**

Glass tiles feature a closed surface and therefore cannot be impregnated or protected in some other fashion. Wax or acrylate based products should not be used on these tiles because they form layers. These layers will bind dirt and make daily maintenance more difficult. Cement grouting, however, is porous and will absorb water and oil borne stains. Treating the grout lines with Lithofin KF Grout Protector will render them water and oil resistant.

## **Maintenance**

Regularly wipe the floor with a moist mop in order to achieve a well maintained surface appearance. Add one squirt (approx. 20ml) of Lithofin FZ Vitra-Clean to the water. This product will help to remove any surface dirt and maintains the sheen.

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#### Care in wet areas





All surfaces on which (calcium containing) water dries should regularly be cleaned with Lithofin KF Active-Clean. In order to protect cement grout lines always rinse the surface with water before using Lithofin KF Active-Clean. On small surfaces apply a few drops on a wet sponge. Lithofin KF Active-Clean removes calcium and lime scale deposits, water marks, soap scum, body oils and similar deposits. Ceramics, water taps, glass, stainless steel, etc. will be restored to their original appearance.





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