

## Glass Table Care

Through daily use, glass table tops can become scratched or damaged.

It is important you are careful not to drag tableware - plates, mugs or cutlery - over the table surface.

Never place hot plates, bowls or cooking utensils directly on your glass table top without first placing a mat under them.

### How To Prevent Scratched Glass

It's a good idea to use cork or felt-backed coasters and tablemats. This will prevent scrapes along the table.

Attach surface protectors to the bottom of any accessories you are going to use on the table that are likely to scratch, ie. vases, candle holders, etc.

### How to Repair a Scratched Table Top

Minor scratch marks:

1. Make sure the surface is completely clean - use glass/window cleaner or vinegar.
2. Wipe dry using kitchen paper.
3. Apply a small squeeze of metal polish such as Brasso, nail polish, white toothpaste or jewellers rouge to the affected area.
4. Rub for a few minutes using a circular motion with a soft cloth to work the paste into the scratch until it disappears (if the glass turns cloudy, stop and clean the glass - further rubbing could lead to more scratching).
5. Polish to a shine with a lint-free, soft cotton cloth.

Major scratch marks:

To prevent further damage to the glass it is recommended you get professional help.