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Copper Care and Maintenance:

Maintaining a copper sink is not difficult at all. When it comes to maintenance of a copper sink, the less you do the better! Copper sinks do not require any type of polishing or scrubbing. Copper sinks are made with a patina appearance. The look is "fired" in. It gives the copper sink an aged, weathered look. This is the desired look for copper sinks.

There are a few things you can do for your copper sink to keep it looking its best:

Avoid contact with citric and other natural acids.

After you are finished using the sink, rinse out whatever soap is left behind. If you live in an area where the mineral content in the water is high, it is a good idea to wipe out the sink after you rinse it. Wipe the entire surface dry with a clean, soft cloth after each use.

Clean your sink with a soft sponge and mild dish soap. Do not use cleaners which contain acids, harsh chemicals, or abrasives. Do not scrub or polish the sink.

Your copper sink actually does most of the cleaning work by itself. Copper is a natural antibacterial. Unlike stainless steel sinks, copper sinks actually fight bacteria! It has recently been proven that bacteria can only live on a copper sink for a few hours; bacteria can live on a stainless steel sink for several days.



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