

SPLASHBACK TECHNICAL GUIDE



INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

Installing a Quantum Quartz splashback has many benefits and advantages.

- One-stop installation and contractor of benchtop and splashback
- Colour and possible vein continuity (vertical surfaces will show a darker shade to horizontal surfaces)
- Easy maintenance and seamless grout free surface
- Stain and water resistant

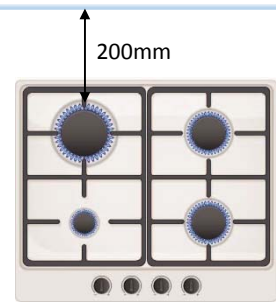
The relevant Australian & New Zealand standards in regard to clearances especially behind cooktops must be followed when designing or installing a splashback.

AS/NZS Standards

Gas cooktops (bench mounted or free standing)

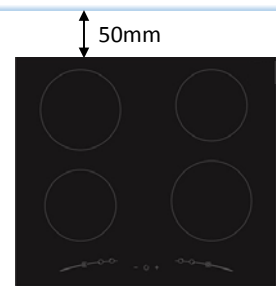
Gas cooktops require a minimum **200mm** distance between the periphery of the gas burner to the Quantum Quartz splashback in accordance with AS/NZS 5601 gas installations.

*Please consider **QuantumSix+** porcelain if you do not meet the minimum 200mm distance.*



Electric (bench mounted or free standing) and Induction cooktops

Electric and induction cooktops require a **50mm** distance from the back edge of the cooktop to the Quantum Quartz splashback.



Please refer to and follow the relevant AS/NZS Standards

- AS/NZS 5601 Gas Installations
- AS/NZS 4386.2 Domestic Kitchen Assemblies – Installation
- Appliance and cooktop manufacturer's specific installation guides should also be consulted.

Installation Guidelines

- Timber framed substrates should be protected by installing a fibre-cement sheet behind the Quantum Quartz splashback.
- Render all brick wall substrates to ensure a flat even surface prior to installing Quantum Quartz splashbacks.
- L-shape pieces are to be avoided as per the Quantum Quartz Installation and Product Manual recommendations.
- All cutouts including power points and niches must have radius corners pre-drilled.
- DO NOT cross cut.
- Use neutral cure silicon for sealing the joins.
- Any drill holes for mounting utensils, racks or other items must not penetrate the wall behind the Quantum Quartz.
- Allow 70mm from the corner of the Quantum Quartz splashback for any cutouts.
- Any works carried out must be in accordance with all laws and regulations relating to the works and the Quantum Quartz slab, and including, but without limitation, occupational and safety laws, and environmental laws relating to the protection of the environment.

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