

Luxury on the rooftops of Munich HI-MACS® relaxation area with a panoramic view



From the roof of this luxury apartment building in the centre of Munich, you can admire the breath-taking views of the Bavarian capital and the neighbouring Alps.

The rooftop terrace, entirely made of **HI-MACS**®, is a unique place to discover. From the floor to the kitchen, by way of the furniture, nothing was left to chance in this tiny piece of paradise of only 8x8 metres, with an Ibiza style, in the heart of one of the largest cities in Germany.

Peace and harmony of summer

The building's original pitched roof covered with copper sheeting was converted into a flat surface covered with steel sheets. Today, **HI-MACS**® panels, in the colour "New Moon", shaped to make them look like parquet flooring, cover the entire floor of the terrace. The UV-resistant Solid Surface material keeps the floor sparkling clean, and protects it from bad weather.

When you arrive on this rooftop terrace, surrounded by a glass balustrade, the magnificent view is immediately apparent. And the care with which every millimetre



has been used infuses a sence of harmony and peace, reflecting the warmth and style of the beaches of Ibiza.



The large relaxation area with a U-shaped sitting area is made entirely of **HI-MACS**®, which offers guests maximum comfort. Each end can be used as a seat or for storage and the side tables can even be connected to the chairs and sofas. Their light grey and waterproof trim blends into the overall style, and the contrasting light turquoise cushions and towels add a "summery" touch.

Two **HI-MACS**® tables with a pearlescent finish reside in the centre, with recessed plinths, which give them a unique sence of lightness.

To the left, there is a custom kitchen unit, also designed in **HI-MACS**®. Under its seamless 1.5-metre-long hood, you will find two sinks and additional storage space. Three doors hide storage for kitchenware, as well as a refrigerator and a small dishwasher. When the hood is closed, this piece of furniture is designed to be completely waterproof, thanks in particular to the properties of **HI-MACS**®, a non-porous and water-resistant material.







A large Soliday awning connected to a high quality stainless steel structure provides shade from the sun and creates a relaxing corner to enjoy in the summer, even in the hottest weather.



Sun, water and a gentle breeze

On the other side of the rooftop, a wooden terrace invites you to relax and unwind. The 1.9x1.6-meter area, ideal for two people, is suitable for sunbathing and enjoying a magnificent view of the roofs of Munich.



The cube-shaped unit, which can be opened via its solid stainless steel hinges and built-in lift top mechanism, can be used as a solarium as well as for storing and protecting bath towels from bad weather. **HI-MACS**® is completely moisture resistant.

Another highlight found on the opposite side is a stunning fountain. With its overlapping mosaic patterns, its dimensions (1.2x1.2x0.35 metres) and its wide edge to sit on, this fountain is the ideal place to cool off during hot sunny days.

The circulating pump with built-in water drain pipe was placed in the centre of the fountain. **HI-MACS**® is also frost-resistant, so even the harshest winters cannot damage its contemporary design.

The designers successfully combined the benefits of a breath-taking view with a design incorporating elegant and refined details, offering optimal comfort in a typical lbiza style.

Project information

Townhouse Terrace

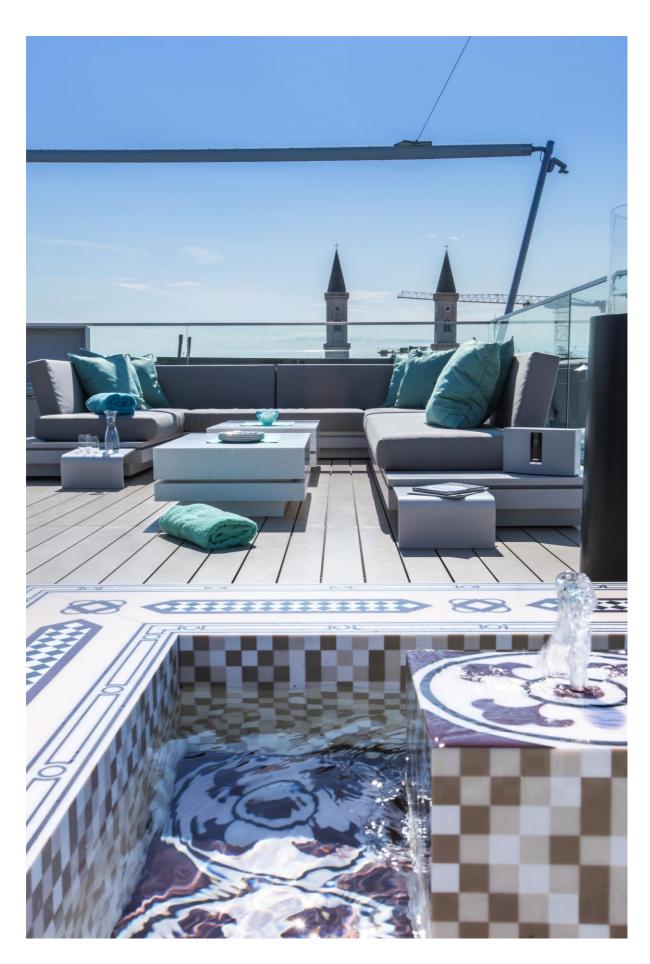
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HI-MACS® is a solid surface material that can be moulded into any shape. It is widely used for architectural and interior applications, such as sculptural and high performance wall-cladding or kitchen, bathroom and furniture surfaces, in commercial, residential and public space projects. It is composed of minerals, acrylic and natural pigments that come together to provide a smooth, non-porous and visually seamless surface which meets the highest standards for aesthetics, fabrication, functionality and hygiene – offering manifold advantages over conventional materials.

HI-MACS® provides limitless possibilities for surfacing solutions and inspires creative minds from all over the world. **Zaha Hadid, Jean Nouvel, Rafael Moneo, Karim Rashid, Marcel Wanders** and **David Chipperfield**, among others, have completed fabulous projects using HI-MACS®.

At the forefront of innovation as always, LG Hausys recently introduced two new products. First **HI-MACS Structura®**, a 3D textured panel material that takes solid surface opportunities to a new level. And now **HI-MACS® Ultra-Thermoforming**, an innovative formula that pushes the boundaries of solid surface shaping to a whole new level, with 30% more thermoplastic capabilities - the biggest innovation for the Solid Surface history since its inception in 1967.

LG Hausys' HI-MACS® uses a simple heating process to give three-dimensional thermoplastic forming capabilities, allows visually seamless designs, offers a virtually limitless range of colours and – for some shades - exhibits a special translucency when exposed to light. Although HI-MACS® is almost as robust as stone, it can be worked in a similar way as wood: it can be sawn, routed, drilled or sanded.

HI-MACS® is manufactured using a new generation technology, the **thermal cure**. The temperature reached during the manufacturing process sets HI-MACS® apart from other solid surfaces and creates a denser, even more homogeneous, sturdy, durable surface – with a better resistance and superior thermoforming performance.

HI-MACS® does not absorb humidity, is highly resistant to stains, and is easy to clean, maintain and repair.

Countless internationally recognized certificates attest to the quality of HI-MACS® in terms of ecological commitment, hygiene and fire resistance – being the first Solid Surface in the market to receive the official **European Technical Approval (ETA) for façades** – for Alpine White S728 colour.

HI-MACS[®] offers the longest warranty on the solid surface market with a 15-year warranty for products fabricated by a Quality Club Member.



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