Kitchens have come a long way from being just a place to cook food. The preference for open kitchens in many modern homes has led to the trend of combining the dining and cooking spaces. As such, today’s kitchens are required to be as aesthetically appealing as functional, and to blend with the overall design of the house while retaining its unique look as the heart of the home. And if there’s one material that can achieve all of the above, it’s glass.

Kitchens being smaller in size than the other rooms in most homes, glass is the perfect solution for making kitchens look larger. By reflecting light, illuminating surfaces, and connecting spaces – such as the inside to the outside, glass gives a lively and spacious ambience to even the smallest kitchen.

Use of glass for kitchen countertops has become very popular. Glass countertops can be customised in terms of colour, size, and shape. Combining countertops with glass backsplashes and cabinets creates a stylish and colorful ambience. Pantry doors can feature a glass panel to match a particular theme or décor. Clear, frosted, fabric laminated, and lacquered / back-painted glasses can be used in kitchens for stunning effects. Following is the list of Glass products which can be used in kitchens:
AIS Clear

Clear Float Glass from AIS is the highest quality clear glass with high precision flatness (surface smoothness) compared to other types of glass. Characterised by its uniform thickness, AIS Clear Float, of all the glass types, is highly popular in the construction of architectural exteriors and interiors, shop windows, showcases, mirrors, furniture, tablespops, automobiles and so on.

AIS Tinted

AIS Tinted Heat-absorbing Glass is a body tinted glass which absorbs energy from solar radiation. It, therefore, cuts down the sun's heat, enabling greater convenience and comfort inside the building, while enhancing the aesthetic appeal of the building from outside.

AIS Mirror

Created to last for generations, AIS Mirror is distortion-free and unlike traditional technologies is an environment friendly product that does not use copper and lead in its manufacturing process. Moreover AIS Mirror lasts three times longer than conventional mirrors and is characterised by enhanced resistance to harsh cleaning products.
AIS Décor is a lacquered glass specially for use in interiors and to make them look fresh and innovative. AIS Décor has a coloured opaque appearance which is achieved by the application of special high-quality paint to one surface of the glass, oven cured through a superior process.

AIS Krystal

Rendering glass translucent to perfection, AIS Krystal is India's only branded Frosted Glass. AIS Krystal obscures the view while allowing light to pass through making it ideal for privacy or aesthetic appeal. Besides being a leader in the market, it offers a quality standard that is par excellence owing to its superior glass manufacturing techniques.

The practical advantages of using glass in kitchens is that it is stain-resistant, easy to clean and maintain, and easy to replace. As such, a kitchen in which glass is used gives the look and feel of being always new! As a material for interiors and exteriors, glass lends itself to myriad possibilities in terms of design and functionality, limited only by one's imagination.