

### GRANITE COMPOSITE SINK INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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# FAUCET DRILLING

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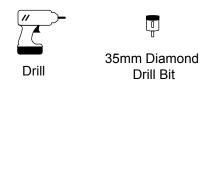
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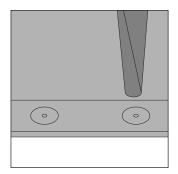
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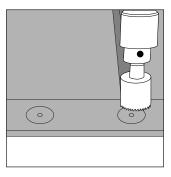


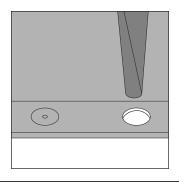
### INSTALLATION

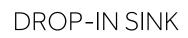
The hole for the faucet can be drilled from either side of the drop-in sink, depending on your installation needs. Drill the faucet hole with a 35mm diamond drill bit at the appropriate location.

Pre-marked hole locations are on the underside of the faucet deck for guidance. However, faucet holes may be drilled wherever necessary.









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### TOOLS AND MATERIALS:



Damp Cloth

Pencil



Silicone

## INSTALLATION

1. Lower the sink into the sink cutout on the counter to confirm the sink will fit properly. The perimeter of the sink rim should connect with the counter while the sink bowl should sit completely inside the counter.

Tip: For easier installation, install the drain and faucet before attaching the sink to the counter.

2. Remove the sink and place the special seal strips (if included) around the perimeter of the cutout. If seal strips are not included run a bead of silicone sealant around the sink rim.

3. Carefully lower the sink back into the cutout and press the sink firmly into the seal. Make sure that the sink is level and properly aligned.

4. Wipe away any excess sealant with a damp cloth.

5. With the sink in place, tighten the mounting brackets on the underside of the sink.



## UNDERMOUNT SINK

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#### **TOOLS AND MATERIALS:**





Pencil

Damp Cloth



Silicone

## INSTALLATION

1. Carefully turn the counter-top over so that it rests upside-down on a stable, cushioned surface.

2. Position the undermount sink over the sink cutout on the counter. Make sure the sink is centered with the faucet hole and is evenly spaced between the bolt holes.

3. Draw an outline of the sink on the counter-top, once the ideal position is determined.

4. Remove the sink from the counter-top. Apply a generous bead of silicone around the sink rim.

5. Carefully place the sink upside down on the counter-top, positioning it within the outline.

6. Attach the sink clips (if included) by placing the long end of the bracket flat against the sink lip. Screw the wing bolts through the brackets and bolt holes and tighten snugly.

7. Carefully turn the counter and sink over.

8. Remove any excess silicone with a cloth moistened with water or mineral spirits. Let silicone dry according to manufacturer's instructions.





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### **TOOLS AND MATERIALS:**



**Basin Wrench** 

### INSTALLATION

1. Disassemble the sink drain assembly and lay the parts aside, in the same order in which they were removed. See the illustration as a reference if needed.

2. Apply a bead of 100% neutral cure silicone sealant to the underside of the strainer body.

3. Insert the strainer body into the kitchen sink. Firmly press the flange into the drain hole to create a proper seal. Wipe away any excess sealant around the drain using a damp cloth.

4. From underneath your sink, slide on the rubber washer, followed by the friction washer, followed by the strainer cup. Hold in place, pressed against the sink.

5. Thread the lock nut onto the strainer body. Hand-tighten until secure, then finish tightening with a basin wrench.

**Important:** Do not overtighten, as it can crack or break your sink.

6. Secure the strainer body to your P-trap using the plastic washer and compression nut.





# MATERIAL CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Avoid placing objects over 500°F, such as pots and pans, on the surface of the sink. Avoid causing excessive thermal shock due to the presence of very hot and very cold objects on the sink at the same time.

Do not clean the sink with heavy detergents, abrasive substances or metal cleaning pads as these could damage the surface. Do not pour alcohol, gasoline, or any solvents into or onto the sink, these could react with the chemical structure of the sink and cause irreparable damage.

Clean the sink regularly with a soft cloth and mild liquid detergent. Stains should be removed immediately. For natural stains, fill the sink with a highly diluted organic cleaner and let stand overnight. Rinse with warm water and wipe with a soft cloth. For oil-based stains, such as paint, remove immediately with a cloth dampened with denatured alcohol.

Daily use will result in lime buildup, especially on the bottom of this sink. This layer of lime buildup is very porous and easily stained. The presence of stains on the bottom of the sink basin is attributed to this buildup, and is more visible on sinks which are dark in color. To prevent the formation of lime buildup thoroughly clean the sink at least twice a week, To remove buildup cover the bottom of the sink with a solution comprised of vinegar and water and let stand for several hours. Rub the bottom of the sink vigorously with the stiff side of a sponge until the lime, dirt, and stains have been removed. Rinse thoroughly with water.

