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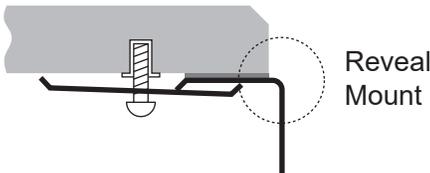
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Undermount Sink Installation Instructions and Care Guide

Note: These instructions are for solid surface countertops only. We recommend that undermount sinks be installed by professional countertop installers and we are not responsible for damage to the countertop or sink during installation.

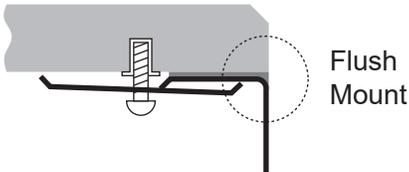
1. Cutout template provides three options of installation.

A. Reveal mount: Sink rim is exposed approximately 1/4" from the edge of counter top opening. To achieve a reveal mount, cut along the outermost perforated line of the template.



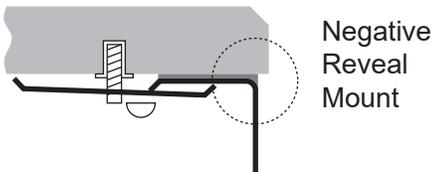
Reveal Mount

B. Flush mount: Sink edge is flush with countertop opening. To achieve a flush mount installation, cut along the center perforated line of the template.



Flush Mount

C. Negative Reveal mount: Sink rim is hidden approximately 1/4" from the edge of counter top opening. To achieve a negative reveal mount, cut along the innermost perforated line of the template.



Negative Reveal Mount

2. Cut out appropriate template for your sink model and desired installation option. Place template in desired position on countertop, location center of the bowl over cabinet and faucet holes.

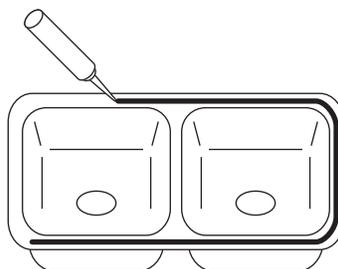
3. Trace the outline of the template and cut countertop along the inside of the line using appropriate cutting tools. Template is for guide only. Use physical sink to ensure accurate cutout opening.

4. Locate and drill holes on the underside of the counter top, approximately 1" from edge of the sink to be installed. Holes should be evenly spaced approximately 6" to 8" apart starting from every corner as shown. It is recommended to install a faucet at this point before installing the sink.



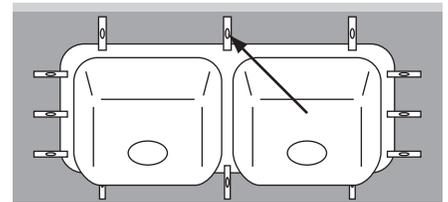
5. Loosely attach mounting brackets to the countertop, parallel to the cutout opening using proper fasteners.

6. Clean sink flange and underside of cutout area of countertop, making sure that the area is smooth and free from grease. Apply continuous bead of silicone caulk evenly on top of sink flange.



7. Position and align sink over the countertop opening and press sink

onto countertop. Turn bent end of mounting bracket to snug over the sink rim.



8. Check alignment of sink again and tighten fasteners to secure sink.

9. Wipe away excess silicone caulk with a damp cloth. Connect drain and water supply according to manufacturer's instructions.

Care & Cleaning

- Be careful not to leave staining materials in contact with the surface for extended periods of time.
- The ideal cleaning technique is to rinse thoroughly and blot dry any water from the surface after each use.
- Use a mild detergent such as liquid dishwashing soap and warm water for cleaning. Do not use abrasive cleaners that may scratch or dull the surface.
- Carefully read the cleaner product label to ensure the cleaner is safe for use on the material.
- Always test your cleaning solution on an inconspicuous area before applying to the entire surface.
- Wipe surfaces clean and rinse completely with water immediately after applying cleaner. Rinse and dry any overspray that lands on nearby surfaces.
- Do not allow cleaners to soak on surfaces.
- Use a soft, dampened sponge or cloth. Never use an abrasive material such as a brush or scouring pad to clean surfaces.