

# Stainless Steel Sinks Quick-Clip<sup>™</sup> Mounting System Installation Instructions

# Fregaderos De Acero Inoxidable Elkay Sistema De Montaje Quick-Clip<sup>™</sup>

Manual Con Ilustractiones Para Instalar Su Fregadero De Acero Inoxidable

# **STEP ONE**

If countertop must be cut out, locate sink cutout by turning sink upside down and position so sink bowls are located directly over sink cabinet. Position sink, front to rear, so that sink rim will fit flat on top surface and that sink bowls will fit into cabinet without interfering with cabinet.

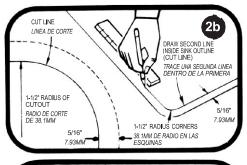


WARNING: Always wear safety goggles and gloves when using power tools or handling the sink to prevent personal injury.

# **STEP TWO**

- 2a) Trace completely around edge of sink.
- 2b) Draw second line inside sink outline (cut line).

# COUNTERTOP CUBIERTA TRACE COMPLETAMENTE TODO EL CONTORNO DEL FREGADERO



# **PASO UNO**

Si la cubierta no tiene el corte hecho, coloque el fregadero boca abajo sobre la cubierta, para proceder a trazar la linea de corte. Asegúrese que el fregadero quede de atras para adelante, de forma que el borde de éste calce perfectamente y que los compartimientos no interfieran con el gabinete.



ADVERTENCIA: Siempre use gafas de seguridad y guantes cuando use herramientas eléctricas o maneje el fregadero para evitar lesiones

# **PASO DOS**

- 2a) Marque completamente todo el contorno del fregadero.
- 2b) Trace una segunda linea dentro de la primera.

# STEP THREE

Check your dimensions. Measure the cut line you have drawn on the countertop or check your pre-cut opening to make sure it conforms to the following sample sizes.

Cutout is 5/8" shorter than overall size of sink.

**SAMPLE CUTOUT SIZES** 

SINK	CUTOUT	CUTOUT	
SIZE	LENGTH	WIDTH	
25 x 22"	24-3/8"	21-3/8"	
33 x 22"	32-3/8"	21-3/8"	
37 x 22"	36-3/8"	21-3/8"	

# WIDTH ANCHO 1-1/2\* RADIUS CORNERS 38.1/MM DE RADIO EN LAS ESQUINAS

# **PASO TRES**

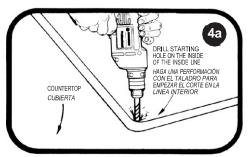
Verifique las medidas. Asegúrese antes de empezar a cortar, que la linea de corte sea 15.9mm más pequeña que la medida de su fregadero.

EJEMPLOS DE LINEA DE CORTE

Medida de Fregadero	Longitud del Corte	Anchura del Corte
635 x 558mm	619.1mm	542.9mm
838.2 x 558mm	822.3mm	542.9mm
939.8 x 558mm	923.9mm	542.9mm

# **STEP FOUR**

Cut hole in countertop.

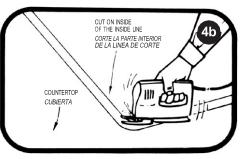


# **PASO CUATRO**

Haga una perforación con el taladro para empezar el corte en la linea interior. Con una sierra de mano corte a todo lo largo de la linea de corte.

# STEP FIVE

Recheck countertop opening to be sure it is sized properly.



# **PASO CINCO**

Vuelva a verificar la abertura de la cubierta para asegurarse de que tiene el tamaño correcto.

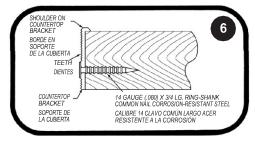
# **STEP SIX**

Attach countertop brackets to inside of cutout using nails provided. (Note: For proper attachment all bracket holes must be used.)

Brackets to be centered along cutout sides. (Note: On some models brackets may extend slightly into corner radius.)

# **STEP SEVEN**

Attach faucet, drain fittings and accessories according to the manufacturer's instructions



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# **PASO SEIS**

Instale los soportes de la cubierta hacia adentro del corte usando los clavos provistos. (Nota: Para lograr una instalación correcta, se deben usar todos los agujeros.)

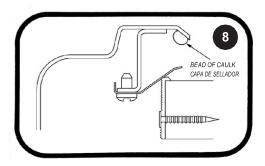
Los soportes deben centrarse a lo largo de los lados del corte. (Nota: En algunos modelos, los soportes pueden extenderse ligeramente más allá del radio de la esquina.)

# **PASO SIETE**

Coloque la llave, las juntas y accesorios del desagüe, según las instrucciones del fabricante.

# STEP EIGHT

Install (1) clip and (1) screw in each open screw hole around perimeter of the underside channels and hand tighten with screwdriver. Apply a bead of good quality caulk to the underside of sink flange. Center sink within countertop opening as shown. (Note: Properly centered sink will have clips resting evenly on all four countertop brackets.)

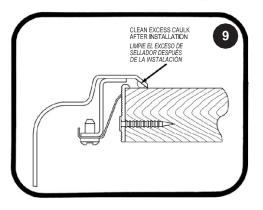


# **PASO OCHO**

Aplique una capa de sellador de alta calidad a la parte inferior del reborde del fregadero. Centre el fregadero dentro de la abertura de la cubierta como se muestra. (Nota: El fregadero debidamente centrado debe tener los ganchos descansando de manera uniforme sobre los cuatro soportes de la cubierta.)

# STEP NINE

Apply even pressure to side flanges and press down firmly snapping sink into position. Apply additional pressure as required to insure sink is fully seated.



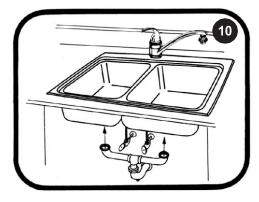
# **PASO NUEVE**

Aplique presión uniforme a los rebordes laterales y presione hacia abajo firmemente encajando el fregadero en su posición. Aplique presión adicional según se requiera hasta que el fregadero quede totalmente asentado.

# STEP TEN

# Connect Faucet Supplies and Drain Fittings

Connect the faucet supply fittings and the drain trap fittings. Turn on the water supply. Check for possible leaks at these locations: (1) Supply riser tubes to faucet, and (2) Supply riser tubes to shut-off valves (or, lower connections). Next fill the sink bowl with water and check for possible leaks around the drain flange(s). (This would show up as dripping into the cabinet below.) Release water from sink and check for possible leaks at drain connections. Tighten any joints which leak.



# **PASO DIEZ**

# Conecte los accesorios de la llave y las juntas del desagüe

Conecte las juntas de abastecimiento de la llave y las juntas de la trampilla de desagüe. Abra la corriente de agua. Verifique por posibles fugas de agua en estos lugares: 1) tuberías de abastecimiento a la llave y, 2) tuberías de abastecimiento a las válvulas de cierre (o conexiones inferiores). Luego llene la taza del fregadero con agua y verifique que no haya fugas alrededor de los rebordes del desagüe. (Esto se manifiesta por goteo dentro del gabinete que está debajo.) Elimine el agua del fregadero y verifique que no haya fugas en las conexiones del desagüe. Ajuste las uniones goteantes.

# **USE AND CARE HINTS**

Congratulations on purchasing your new ELKAY sink. Your sink is made from the best nickel bearing stainless steel and with proper care and maintenance will give you a lifetime of service.

Elkay sinks are designed for the demanding use of today's fast paced kitchen environment. The sink is finished through a series of sophisticated processes to develop its unique satin finish that requires minimal maintenance.

# What You Should Know About Elkay's Stainless Steel Finish

An Elkay stainless steel sink is made of the finest nickelbearing stainless steel available. Its mellow satin surface harmonizes with any color scheme...any decor. Timeless. Elegant. And, like fine silver, its beautiful finish develops an heirloom patina...actually becoming lovelier with use and age. Your Elkay sink is solid stainless steel. There is no coating which will wear off.

# Elkay Satin Finish

Elkay's original highlighted satin finish is produced by an abrasive grinding operation which lends a uniform pattern of grain lines to the metal surface. All exposed area t en undergo a series of progressive machine and hand pohsh1 g operations. It is this careful polishing that makes an Elkay satin luster finish so beautiful...and so easy to clean and maintain! Please remember that a fine Elkay sink is not self cleaning. It will require a small amount of maintenance to retain its lustrous finish.

# Reasons For Cleaning Your Stainless Steel Sink

Your stainless steel sink has been produced of the finest material to provide a quality product for many years of service. Like all quality products it does require some maintenance to assure that the finish will continue to look bright and sanitary.

# **Easy Cleaning Instructions**

Rinsing is the most important part of sink care. An Elkay stainless steel sink finish will retain its original bright appearance if the sink is **rinsed** thoroughly after each use. "Thorough" rinsing can be done by running the water from the spray hose for a few minutes. Typically, a rinse and towel drying after each use takes care of most everyday clean ups. Ideally, once a week the sink should be scoured with a mildly abrasive cleanser, such as Comet. Rubbing back and forth in the direction of the polish or grain lines will not only remove stubborn stains and greasy film buildups, but will blend usage scratches into the satin finish of the sink. After scouring, rinse thoroughly and wipe dry. Your sink will shine like new!

## Scratching

Like most metals, your new stainless steel sink will scratch. The feature benefit of the unique satin finish is the ease with which these scratches blend into the uniform finish of the sink. This is accomplished with a periodic scouring with a mildly abrasive kitchen cleanser, such as Comet.

## **Rubber Mats**

The resiliency of stainless steel makes it unnecessary to use rubber mats to protect your sink, dishes and glassware. However, if you do use mats, please remove them after each use. If left in the sink, the water trapped underneath could cause discoloration.

# Discoloration, Rust and Possible Pitting

Wet sponges, clothes, cleaning pads and rubber mats left on the sink can lead to discoloration. Steel wool pads should never be used to clean your sink as they leave small iron particles in the grain lines which rust and can damage the sink. Continued usage in this manner may eventually lead to the sink itself rusting and pitting.

## **Liquid Soap**

Do not allow concentrated liquid detergent to dry on your sink. Most brands contain chemical additives which will affect the original high luster finish.

# **Chlorides**

Today, chlorides are found in almost all soaps, detergents, bleaches and cleansers. Chlorides are not friendly to the stainless steel surface. They should not come in contact with the surface of the sink for extended periods. When these chemicals are used in your sink, it should be thoroughly rinsed. This is especially noticed when clothes are soaked in a diluted bleach mixture. This mixture can attack the sink at the water line and cause rusting and pitting.

#### Knives

Your sink is designed to serve as many things but not as a cutting board or chopping block. This type of use will lead to deep scratches in the sink finish and will dull your knives. Elkay does offer various cutting boards to fit over the compartment of your sink that will give you additional work area.

## Spotting

The quality of your water can affect your sink's appearance. In areas with hard water, a brown surface stain can form on the sink giving the appearance of rust. This phenomena also occurs in water with high iron content. Additionally, in areas with a high concentration of minerals, or with over-softened water, a white film may develop on the sink. To combat this problem, we suggest that the sink be towel dried after use.

## **Foods**

Heavy salt concentration or foods containing high levels of salt should not be allowed to dry onto the sink surface. Rinse your sink thoroughly after use.

#### What To Do If You Have A Problem

Elkay is proud of the quality of its stainless steel sinks.

If you feel you have a defective sink, please contact your plumber for the name of your local Elkay factory representative, or contact the Consumer Service Department of Elkay. **Please** provide your sink model number, the date of installation, and description of the problem.

For a full warranty explanation, and limitations, please consult your warranty sheet.

#### **Accessories**

Elkay colanders, drain trays and vinyl covered rinsing baskets are not designed as "Dishwasher Safe". These products should be hand washed in mild detergent, rinsed thoroughly and hand dried. Wood cutting boards should never be soaked in water. Rinse after use and then dry. This should be all the care required.