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Model: EC-3208SR-1 | Brand: HOUZER

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Houzer EC-3208SR-1 Elite Series Undermount 60/40 Double Bowl Kitchen Sink is designed for versatility and flair in modern kitchens. This sink is a popular choice for remodelers due to its high-end attributes derived from the premium Medallion classic series. It is constructed from durable 20 gauge T-304 stainless steel with a lustrous satin finish and a highlighted rim. Enhanced features include SpecPlus edges for added strength and StoneGuard undercoating over a Super Silencer pad to reduce noise from dishes and running water. This model is compatible with 36-inch cabinets and includes a basket strainer.



Figure 1: Top-down view of the Houzer EC-3208SR-1 Elite Series 60/40 double bowl stainless steel kitchen sink, showcasing its two distinct basins and drain openings.

KEY FEATURES

- **Stainless Steel Construction:** Crafted from sturdy premium grade T-304 20 gauge stainless steel, ensuring resistance to water, food, and chemicals. This material provides a scratch-free, hygienic, and resilient surface that requires minimal care.
- **Cabinet Compatibility:** Expertly designed to integrate into a 36-inch cabinet. Fasteners and installation instructions are included for ease of installation.
- **Lasting Satin Finish:** The lustrous satin finish not only enhances appearance but also offers protection against corrosion, maintaining its shine over time.
- **Advanced Soundproofing:** Equipped with a patented sound-absorbing pad and marble powder-based StoneGuard undercoating to reduce noise from clattering dishes and running water.
- **Basket Strainer Included:** The sink package includes a high-quality stainless steel basket strainer for efficient drainage.
- **SpecPlus Edges:** Features beveled edges on the outer rim for increased structural rigidity.
- **Highlighted Rim:** Houzer's exclusive high-polished finish around the rim adds a distinct accent.
- **Deep Bowls:** Both bowls are 8-inches deep, providing ample space for kitchen tasks.

## Houzer innovations



Made from Type 304 that is exceptionally resistant to corrosion and stains. It provides a hygienic and resilient surface that requires minimal care and maintenance.



A beveled edge on the outer rim of the sinks provide increased structural rigidity for the entire sink span. SpecPlus Edge is found only in Houzer sinks.



Houzer's exclusive high-polished finish around the rim of the sink adds the perfect accent to make your sink standout, offering lasting beauty and a touch of class.



A marble powder based undercoating applied over super silencer pad. It reduces the noise of clattering dishes and running water.



All HOUZER sinks are certified by UPC/IAPMO complying with the ASME A112.19.3-2009 and CSA complying with the CSA B45.4-08.

Figure 2: Illustration of Houzer's innovative features, including the use of Type 304 stainless steel, SpecPlus Edges, Highlighted Rim, and StoneGuard undercoating for sound dampening.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The Houzer EC-3208SR-1 sink is designed for undermount installation and is compatible with 36-inch cabinets. Detailed installation instructions and fasteners are provided with the product to facilitate a smooth setup process.

1. **Preparation:** Ensure your cabinet opening is correctly sized for an undermount sink. Refer to the dimensional drawing for precise measurements.
2. **Mounting:** Follow the included instructions for securing the sink to the underside of your countertop using the provided fasteners.
3. **Plumbing Connections:** Connect the drain assemblies and plumbing according to local codes and the provided diagrams. Ensure all connections are watertight.
4. **Strainer Installation:** Install the included stainless steel basket strainers into the drain openings.

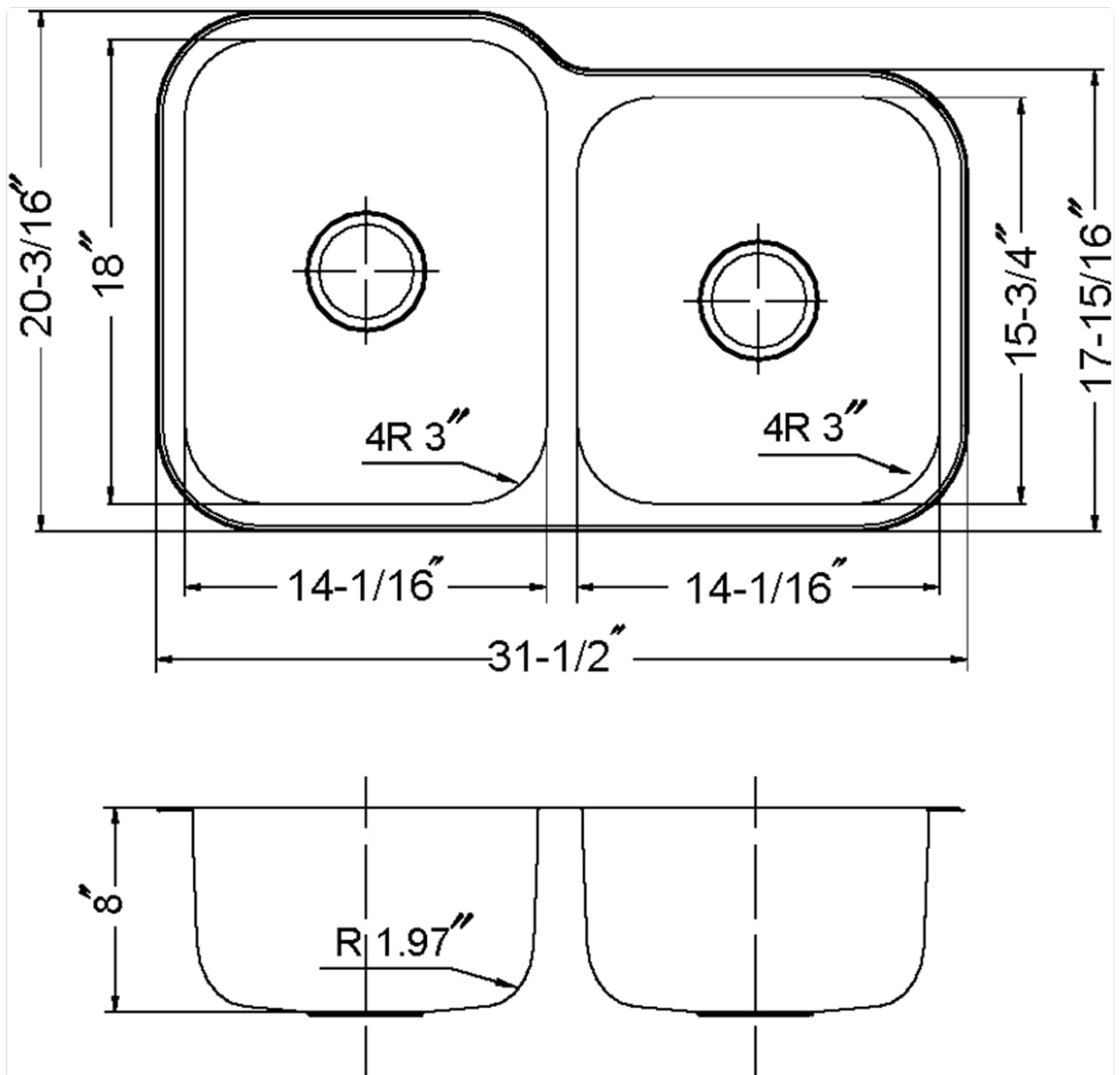


Figure 3: Dimensional drawing providing precise measurements for the Houzer EC-3208SR-1 sink, essential for proper cabinet and countertop fitting.

## OPERATING THE SINK

The Houzer EC-3208SR-1 sink functions as a standard kitchen sink with two bowls. The 60/40 split design, with the smaller prep bowl on the right, offers flexibility for various kitchen tasks such as washing, rinsing, and food preparation. The included basket strainers help prevent large food particles from entering the drain system.



Figure 4: The Houzer EC-3208SR-1 sink integrated into a kitchen setting, demonstrating its practical application with a faucet and other kitchen items.

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Video 1: An overview of the Houzer Elite Series, highlighting key features and design aspects of the sinks, including the EC-3208SR-1 model.

## MAINTENANCE AND CARE

To maintain the lustrous satin finish and hygienic surface of your Houzer stainless steel sink, follow these simple care instructions:

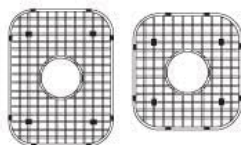
- **Daily Cleaning:** Wipe the sink with a dry cloth after each use to prevent water spots and mineral buildup.

- **Regular Cleaning:** For deeper cleaning, use a mild soap or stainless steel cleaner with a soft cloth or sponge. Always rub in the direction of the grain.
- **Avoid Harsh Chemicals:** Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool, or harsh chemicals (like bleach or strong acids) as they can damage the finish.
- **Prevent Scratches:** While the surface is resilient, avoid dragging sharp or heavy objects across the sink bottom. Consider using a bottom grid for added protection.
- **Strainer Care:** Regularly clean the basket strainers to ensure proper drainage and prevent clogs.

## Optional custom accessories



**STAINLESS  
STRAINER**  
190-9180



**BOTTOM  
GRID**  
BG-3400, 3100



**CUTTING  
BOARD**  
CB-3100



**DRYING  
TRAY**  
WT-3500

Figure 5: Optional custom accessories such as bottom grids and drying trays can enhance sink functionality and aid in maintenance.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Most common issues with kitchen sinks are related to drainage or surface appearance. Here are some general troubleshooting tips:

- **Slow Drainage:** Check the basket strainer for debris. If clear, the issue might be further down the plumbing. Consider using a drain cleaner or consulting a plumber.

- **Water Spots/Stains:** These are often caused by hard water minerals. Regular wiping with a dry cloth after use is the best prevention. For existing spots, use a vinegar-water solution or a specialized stainless steel cleaner.
- **Scratches:** Minor scratches are common with stainless steel over time. They often blend into the satin finish with regular use and cleaning. For deeper scratches, professional repair might be considered, though it's generally not recommended for aesthetic reasons on a utility item like a sink.
- **Noise:** The StoneGuard undercoating is designed to minimize noise. If excessive noise occurs, ensure the sink is properly secured to the countertop and that no objects are vibrating against the sink's underside.

## SPECIFICATIONS

| Attribute                      | Detail                                                        |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Brand                          | HOUZER                                                        |
| Model Number                   | EC-3208SR-1                                                   |
| Material                       | T-304 20 Gauge Stainless Steel                                |
| Finish Type                    | Lustrous Satin / Brushed                                      |
| Installation Type              | Undermount                                                    |
| Product Dimensions (D x W x H) | 20.19"D x 31.5"W x 8"H                                        |
| Overall Size                   | 31-1/2" x 20-3/16" x 8"                                       |
| Bowl Configuration             | 60/40 Double Bowl (Small Bowl Right)                          |
| Bowl Depth                     | 8 inches                                                      |
| Cabinet Compatibility          | Fits 36 inch cabinet                                          |
| Included Components            | Stainless Steel Basket Strainer, Sink, Installation Materials |
| Certifications                 | ASME A112.19.3-2000, UPC, CSA                                 |
| Item Weight                    | 14 Pounds                                                     |
| UPC                            | 881208011308                                                  |

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Houzer EC-3208SR-1 Elite Series Kitchen Sink is covered by a **limited lifetime warranty** to the original purchaser. This warranty protects against any possible defects in materials and workmanship. For warranty claims or detailed terms and conditions, please refer to the official Houzer warranty documentation or contact Houzer customer support.

## SUPPORT AND CONTACT

For further assistance, technical support, or inquiries regarding your Houzer EC-3208SR-1 kitchen sink, please visit the official Houzer website or contact their customer service department. You may also find additional resources and FAQs on the Houzer brand store page on Amazon.

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