

Sloan B-73-A-BX

Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly User Manual

Model: B-73-A-BX

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of the Sloan B-73-A-BX Chrome Handle Assembly. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and retain it for future reference. This handle assembly is designed for use in plumbing applications, specifically as a faucet handle.

Key Features:

- Chrome Plated finish for durability and aesthetic appeal.
- ADA Compliant design ensures accessibility.
- Constructed from durable metal, with a brass handle material.
- Designed for easy installation.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always observe basic safety precautions when installing or maintaining plumbing fixtures. Failure to follow these instructions could result in property damage or personal injury.

- Ensure the water supply is turned off before beginning any installation or maintenance.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, such as safety glasses and gloves.
- Use only tools suitable for plumbing work.
- If you are unsure about any part of the installation process, consult a qualified plumber.
- Keep small parts away from children.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation.

- Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly (1)
- Mounting Screw(s)





Image 1: Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly. This image shows the complete handle assembly with its chrome finish.

4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This section outlines the steps for installing the Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly. The installation process is designed to be straightforward.

1. **Prepare the Installation Area:** Ensure the water supply to the fixture is completely shut off. Clear the area around where the handle will be installed.
2. **Remove Old Handle (if applicable):** If replacing an existing handle, carefully remove it. This may involve unscrewing a set screw or prying off a decorative cap to access the screw.
3. **Position the New Handle:** Place the Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly onto the faucet stem or valve mechanism. Ensure it is correctly aligned.
4. **Secure the Handle:** Use the provided screw(s) to firmly attach the handle assembly to the faucet stem. The handle attachment mechanism is typically a screw. Do not overtighten.
5. **Test for Functionality:** Slowly turn on the water supply. Operate the handle to ensure it turns smoothly and controls the water flow as expected. Check for any leaks.

Note: The "Easy to Install" feature indicates a user-friendly installation process. If you encounter difficulties, refer to the troubleshooting section or consult a professional.

5. OPERATION

The Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly functions as a standard faucet handle. Rotate or pull the handle to control the flow and temperature of water, depending on the faucet type it is installed on. Its ADA compliant design ensures ease of use for a wide range of users.

6. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will ensure the longevity and appearance of your Sloan B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly.

- **Cleaning:** Clean the chrome finish regularly with a soft cloth and mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, or scouring pads, as these can damage the finish.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check the handle for any looseness. If the handle feels loose, gently tighten the mounting screw(s).
- **Avoid Damage:** Do not use excessive force when operating the handle.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your handle assembly.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Handle is loose.	Mounting screw is loose.	Tighten the mounting screw(s) securely.
Handle does not turn smoothly.	Internal faucet mechanism issue, or handle misalignment.	Ensure the handle is correctly seated. If the problem persists, the issue may be with the faucet's internal components, not the handle itself. Consult a plumber.
Water leaks from handle base.	Improper installation or worn faucet seals.	Recheck installation steps. If the leak continues, the faucet's internal seals or cartridge may need replacement. This is typically not related to the handle assembly itself.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Sloan
Model Number	B-73-A-BX (Manufacturer Part Number: 308428)
Material	Metal (Handle Material: Brass)
Color	Chrome
Exterior Finish	Chrome
Style	Modern
Shape	Round
Handle Type	Pull Handle
Handle Attachment Mechanism	Screw
ADA Compliant	Yes
Indoor/Outdoor Usage	Indoor
UPC	671254267459

9. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Sloan products are manufactured under strict quality standards. For specific warranty details regarding the B-73-A-BX Handle Assembly, please refer to the official Sloan website or contact Sloan customer service directly. Warranty terms typically cover defects in materials and workmanship under normal use and service.

10. SUPPORT

For technical assistance, replacement parts, or further information, please contact Sloan customer support.

- **Manufacturer:** Sloan
- **Website:** www.sloan.com

- **Contact:** Refer to the official Sloan website for current contact information (phone, email, support forms).