

Franke FBS602NB

FRANKE Kindred FBS602NB Single Bowl Stainless Steel Topmount Sink User Manual

Model: FBS602NB

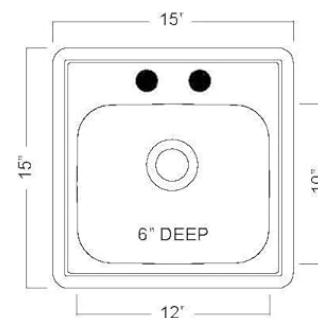
1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The FRANKE Kindred FBS602NB is a single bowl stainless steel topmount kitchen sink, designed for durability and ease of use. This sink is constructed from 22-gauge stainless steel and features sound-deadening pads for quiet operation. Its compact design makes it suitable as a primary or secondary sink in various kitchen layouts.

STAINLESS STEEL KITCHEN SINK:

Single Bowl Topmount Series

- 22 Gauge
- Silk deck & bowl
- Rear drain wastehole location
- Ultra-Quiet™ sound deadening
- 18" cabinet is recommended minimum
- Limited lifetime warranty
- Installation hardware and template included
- Shipping weight: 5 lbs



Compliance Certifications:

IMPORTANT: Dimensions of fixtures are nominal and may vary within the range of tolerances established by ASME A112.19.3

These measurements are subject to change or cancellation. No responsibility is assumed for use of superseded or voided leaflet.



To Be Specified:

Figure 1: Front view of the FRANKE Kindred FBS602NB single bowl stainless steel topmount sink.

Key features include a silk deck and bowl finish, a rear drain wastehole location, and a 6-inch deep bowl. The design incorporates Safe-T rims to protect users from sharp edges during installation and enhance the sink's structural integrity.

2. FEATURES

- **Material:** 22-gauge stainless steel construction ensures durability.
- **Finish:** Silk deck and bowl finish for a smooth appearance.
- **Drain Location:** Rear drain wastehole location for efficient water drainage.

- **Sound Dampening:** Ultra-Quiet™ sound deadening pads reduce noise and vibrations.
- **Bowl Depth:** Features a 6-inch deep bowl.
- **Installation:** Designed for topmount installation, includes hardware and template.
- **Safety:** Safe-T rims provide protection during installation and add strength.
- **Faucet Holes:** Equipped with 2 holes for faucet and accessories.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This sink is designed for topmount installation. A minimum cabinet size of 18 inches is recommended for proper fitment. Installation hardware and a template are included to assist with the process.

Important Considerations:

- Ensure the countertop opening matches the provided template for a secure fit.
- The sink features Safe-T rims to protect against sharp edges during handling and installation.
- Connect plumbing according to local codes and manufacturer guidelines.
- Professional installation is recommended to ensure proper sealing and functionality.



Figure 2: Technical diagram of the FBS602NB sink, illustrating overall dimensions (15" x 15" x 7" deep bowl) and key features like the 2 faucet holes and rear drain location.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The FRANKE Kindred FBS602NB sink operates like any standard kitchen sink. Ensure the drain is clear before use to prevent blockages. The two pre-drilled holes are designed for faucet installation and other accessories such as a soap dispenser or sprayer.

The Ultra-Quiet™ sound deadening pads minimize noise from water flow and dish handling, providing a quieter kitchen environment.

5. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will extend the life and preserve the appearance of your stainless steel sink.

- **Daily Cleaning:** Wipe the sink with a dry cloth after each use to prevent water spots and mineral buildup.
- **Regular Cleaning:** Use a mild soap or stainless steel cleaner with a soft cloth or sponge. Always rub in the direction of the grain.
- **Avoid Abrasives:** Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool, or scouring pads, as these can scratch the surface.
- **Chemicals:** Avoid harsh chemicals, bleach, or cleaners containing chlorides, which can corrode stainless steel.
- **Prevent Stains:** Rinse the sink thoroughly after contact with acidic foods (e.g., citrus, tomatoes) or strong chemicals.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your sink.

- **Slow Drainage:**
 - Check for food debris or foreign objects in the drain.
 - Ensure the P-trap is not clogged.
 - If the issue persists, a plumber may be required to clear deeper blockages.
- **Water Spots/Stains:**
 - These are often caused by mineral deposits from hard water.
 - Wipe the sink dry after each use.
 - Use a stainless steel cleaner or a solution of vinegar and water to remove existing spots, then rinse thoroughly.
- **Scratches:**
 - Stainless steel can scratch. Use cutting boards and avoid dragging heavy or sharp objects across the sink surface.
 - Minor scratches can sometimes be blended with a fine abrasive pad (e.g., Scotch-Brite) rubbed in the direction of the grain, but proceed with caution.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	FBS602NB

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Brand	Franke
Material	22 Gauge Stainless Steel
Installation Type	Topmount (Countertop)
Bowl Configuration	Single Bowl
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	15"D x 15"W x 7"H
Bowl Depth	6 inches
Minimum Cabinet Size	18 inches
Hole Count	2
Drain Type	Grid (Rear location)
Item Weight	4.9 pounds
UPC	039487148592

Note: Dimensions are nominal and may vary within ASME A112.19.3 tolerances.

8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

The FRANKE Kindred FBS602NB sink is covered by a **Limited Lifetime Buyer Warranty**. This warranty covers defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service. For specific terms, conditions, and claim procedures, please refer to the official warranty documentation provided with your purchase or contact Franke customer support.

9. SUPPORT AND CONTACT

For further assistance, technical support, or warranty claims, please contact Franke customer service. You can typically find contact information on the Franke official website or in the packaging materials.

Manufacturer: Franke USA

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