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Instruction Manual

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Franke HFS3322-1KIT is a 33-inch by 22-inch by 9-inch deep stainless steel sink kit, designed for kitchen use. It features a single bowl configuration and includes a protection bottom grid, strainer basket, cutout template, and mounting hardware. The sink is crafted with Swiss precision, offering a sleek slim-rim design and minimal radius corners for a modern aesthetic and ease of cleaning. It incorporates the Franke Fast-in quick install system for simplified top-mount installation.



Image: Franke HFS3322-1KIT Stainless Steel Sink installed in a kitchen setting.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The Franke HFS3322-1KIT sink features the Fast-in quick install system, designed for straightforward top-mount installation without requiring specialized tools for securing the sink to the countertop. The kit includes all necessary mounting hardware and a cutout template.

## Key Installation Features:

- **Pre-attached Fast-in Clips:** These clips are pre-installed on the sink and are designed to 'click' into place, securing the sink to the countertop with firm downward pressure.
- **Dual Mount Capability:** The sink supports both top-mount and undermount installation methods, offering flexibility for various kitchen designs.
- **Included Template:** A cutout template is provided to ensure accurate countertop preparation.



# Topmount Installation Instructions: Hand Fabricated Stainless Steel Sinks

## Congratulations!

You have purchased a quality product designed for long lasting beauty. The following instructions will take you step-by-step through the installation process and care of your product. We recommend reading the entire instruction booklet before beginning.

**Caution:** Risk of personal injury. Metal surfaces are sharp and can cause severe cuts. Use gloves and handle sink and tools with care.

## Installing Your New Sink

### Tools And Materials



1. Long Phillips head screwdriver
2. 2" hole saw (if installing new countertop)
3. Tube of silicone sealant or plumber's putty
4. Adjustable wrench
5. Pipe wrench (if steel pipe is used)
6. Drill
7. Jigsaw
8. Gloves
9. Measuring tape
10. Work light
11. File

### STEP 1: Remove existing sink

1. Leave the faucet and drain outlet in place
2. Shut off water supply valves (usually under sink).
3. Release any water that may be in the supply lines by opening faucet valves (the same way you would normally turn your water on). Let water run until it stops flowing.
4. Disconnect the supply lines from the water supply valves.
5. Disconnect the drain fitting from the waste trap.
6. Remove clips around underside of old sink.
7. Lift sink out with faucet and drain fitting still in place.

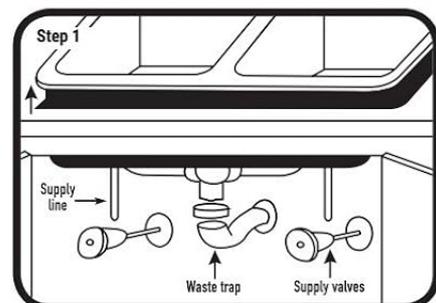


Image: Excerpt from the Franke Fast In Topmount Installation Instructions, detailing tools and initial steps.

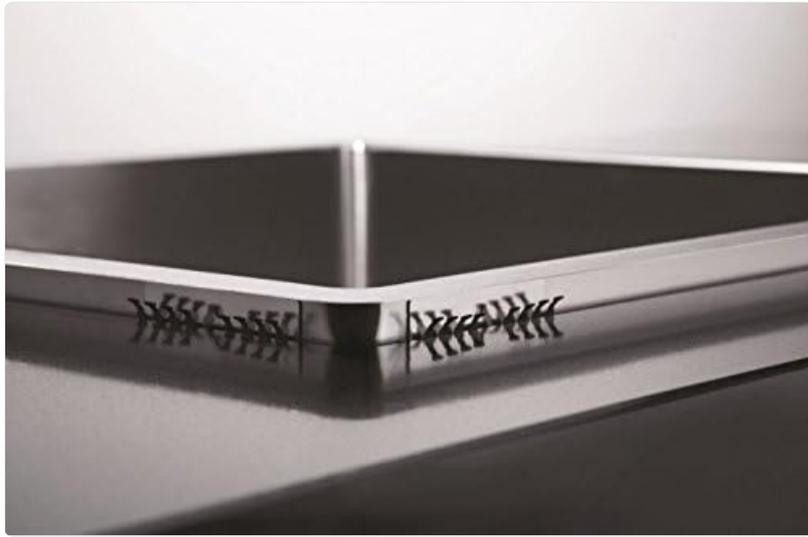


Image: Detail of the pre-attached Fast-in clips for easy installation.

## Installation Video:

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Video: Official Franke demonstration of the Fast-in Quick Install System for kitchen sinks. This video illustrates the simple process of dropping the sink into the counter and pressing down to engage the pre-attached clips, securing the sink without additional tools.

## OPERATING THE SINK

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The Franke HFS3322-1KIT sink is designed for efficient and quiet kitchen use. Its features enhance daily tasks such as washing dishes, preparing food, and general cleanup.

- **Large Capacity Bowl:** The 9-inch deep single bowl provides ample space for washing large pots, pans, and other kitchen items, making tasks more manageable.
- **Sloping Drain Lines:** Engineered with sloping drain lines, the sink facilitates efficient water drainage, preventing pooling and aiding in quick cleanup.
- **Ultra-Quiet Sound-Deadening Pads:** Equipped with sound-deadening pads, the sink minimizes noise and vibration from running water, dishwashing, and the impact of kitchenware.
- **Included Accessories:** The kit includes a protection bottom grid to prevent scratches and a strainer basket for effective waste collection.



Image: The Franke HFS3322-1KIT sink, highlighting its spacious single bowl.

## MAINTENANCE

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Proper maintenance will ensure the longevity and appearance of your Franke stainless steel sink.

- **Regular Cleaning:** For daily cleaning, wipe the sink with a dry cloth after each use to prevent water spots and mineral buildup.
- **Gentle Cleaners:** Use mild soap and water for general cleaning. Avoid abrasive cleaners, steel wool, or harsh chemicals that can scratch or damage the stainless steel finish.
- **Rinse Thoroughly:** Always rinse the sink thoroughly after cleaning to remove any soap residue.
- **Prevent Stains:** Avoid leaving acidic foods, harsh chemicals, or metal objects in the sink for extended periods, as these can cause discoloration or rust.
- **Minimal Radius Corners:** The sink's minimal radius corners are designed to be easy to clean, preventing food particles from accumulating.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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

- **Water Spots/Stains:** If water spots or mineral stains appear, clean with a solution of vinegar and water, then rinse and dry thoroughly.
- **Scratches:** Stainless steel can scratch. Minor scratches can often be blended with a non-abrasive stainless steel polish, following the grain of the finish.
- **Slow Drainage:** Ensure the strainer basket is clear of debris. If the issue persists, check the plumbing for clogs.
- **Sink Movement:** If the sink feels loose after installation, re-engage the Fast-in clips by applying firm downward pressure around the rim.

## SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Brand</b>	Franke
<b>Model Number</b>	HFS3322-1KIT
<b>Material</b>	Stainless Steel
<b>Color</b>	Stainless Steel
<b>Product Dimensions (D x W x H)</b>	22" x 33" x 9"
<b>Item Weight</b>	36 Pounds
<b>Style</b>	Single Bowl
<b>Installation Type</b>	Dual Mount (Topmount, Undermount)
<b>Hole Count</b>	1
<b>UPC</b>	039487162048
<b>Included Components</b>	Sink, Protection Bottom Grid, Strainer Basket, Cutout Template, Mounting Hardware

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Franke HFS3322-1KIT Stainless Steel Sink Kit comes with a **Lifetime Warranty**. Please refer to the official Franke warranty documentation included with your product for full details regarding coverage, terms, and conditions. This warranty typically covers manufacturing defects and material flaws under normal use and service.

## CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or warranty claims, please contact Franke customer service. You can typically find contact information, including phone numbers and email addresses, on the Franke official website or in the product packaging. When contacting support, please have your model number (HFS3322-1KIT) and proof of purchase readily available.