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Model: 523497 | Color: White | Style: Flush Fit

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your BLANCO 523497 Kitchen Sink. This single-basin kitchen sink is crafted from SILGRANIT PuraDur, a high-quality composite material known for its exceptional durability. It is designed to be scratch-resistant, break-resistant, fade-resistant, acid-resistant, food-safe, and temperature-resistant, ensuring long-lasting performance in your kitchen.

2. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The BLANCO 523497 Kitchen Sink is designed for flush-fit installation into countertops. Professional installation is required to ensure proper fit and function. This sink is only suitable for sealed, seamless worktops.

2.1. Scope of Delivery

- BLANCO 523497 Kitchen Sink
- Drain set with space-saving pipe and drainage connection
- 3" InFino basket strainer
- Mounting set

2.2. Installation Diagrams

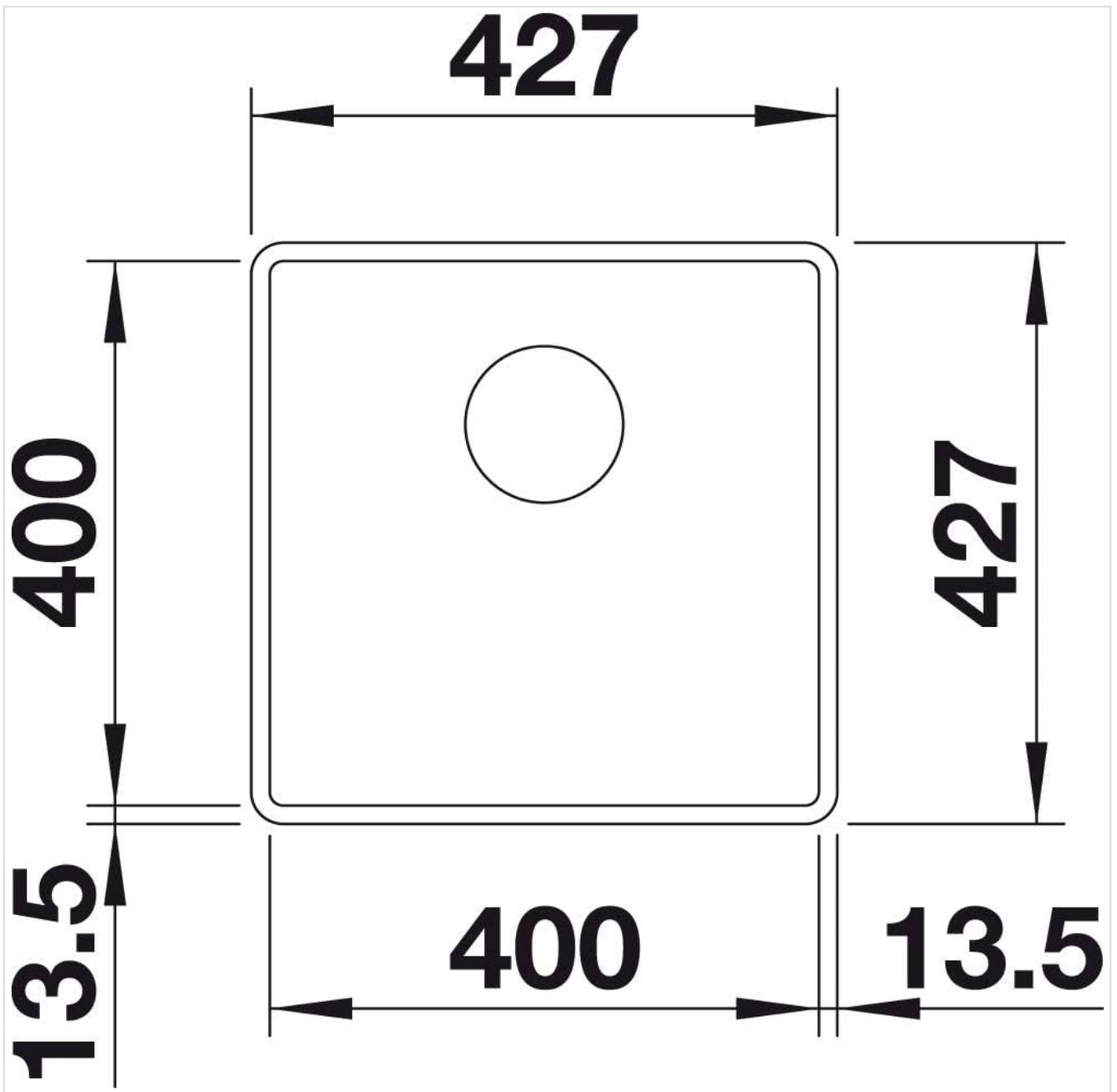


Figure 1: Top-down view of the BLANCO 523497 sink with critical dimensions for countertop cutout and placement. Dimensions are provided in millimeters.

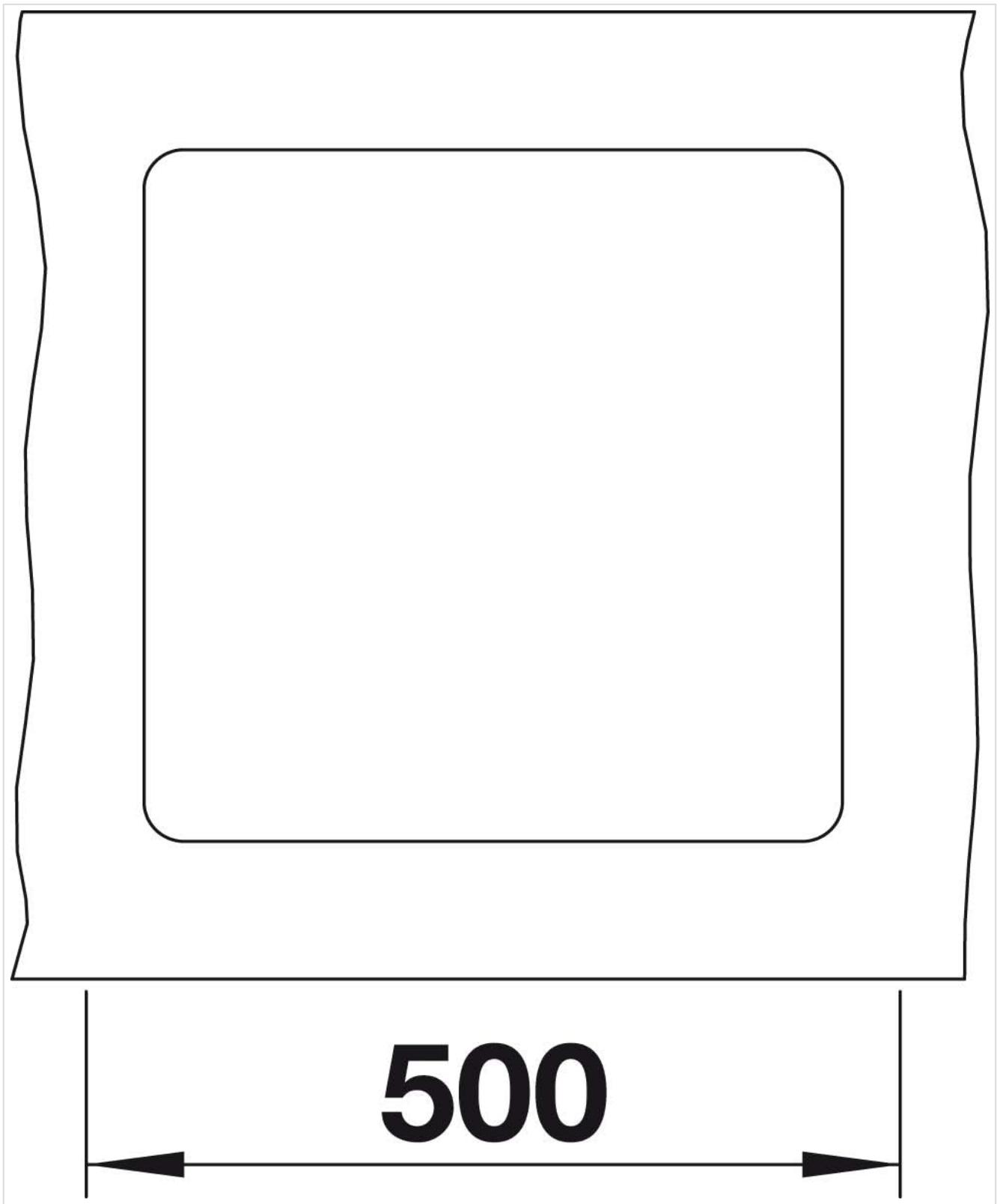


Figure 2: Detailed diagram illustrating the precise cutout dimensions required in the countertop for a flush-fit installation of the BLANCO 523497 sink. The cutout is square with rounded corners.

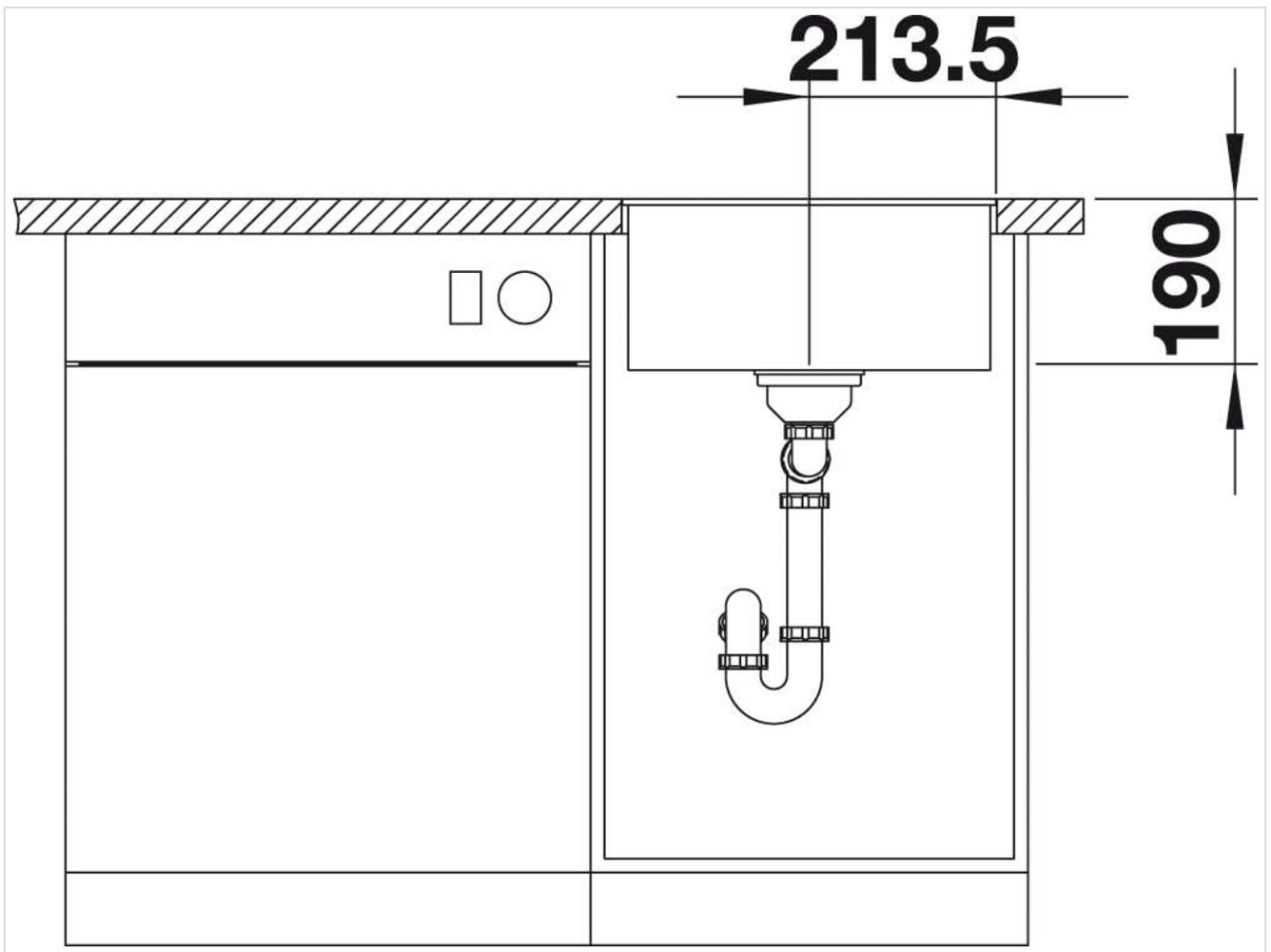


Figure 3: Side view schematic demonstrating the sink's depth and the necessary clearance for plumbing connections within a standard kitchen cabinet. Dimensions indicate the sink's height from the countertop surface.

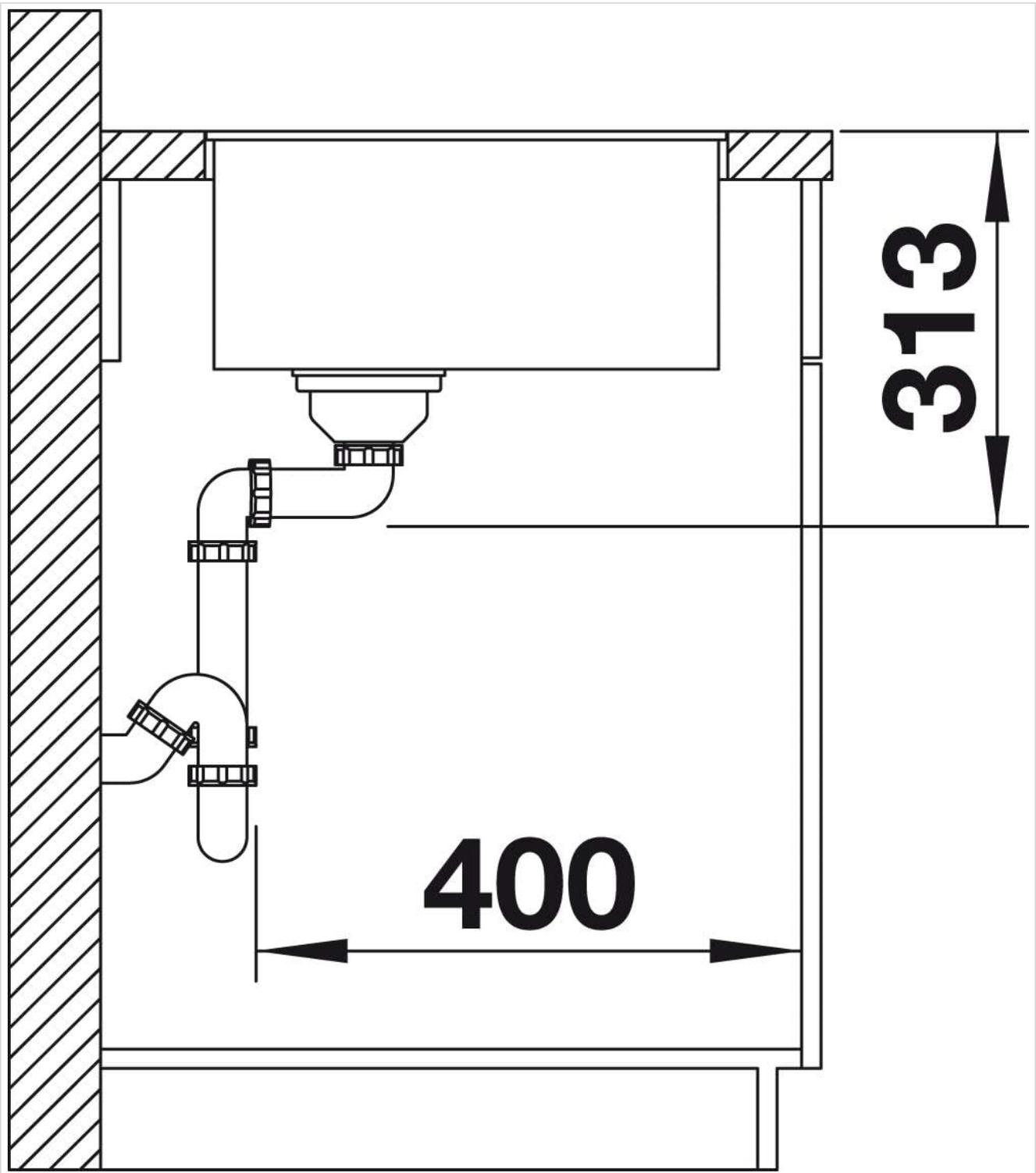


Figure 4: Front view schematic showing the sink's width and its integration into a kitchen cabinet, including the position of the drain and associated pipework. This view helps in planning cabinet and plumbing layouts.

3. OPERATING YOUR SINK

The BLANCO 523497 sink features a C-overflow and an even-level BLANCO InFino drain system. This innovative drain system is designed without edges, rims, or seams, facilitating easy cleaning and maintaining a sleek appearance.



Figure 5: The BLANCO 523497 white kitchen sink, showcasing the integrated InFino drain system and the flush-fit design. The smooth transitions contribute to ease of cleaning.

To maximize the utility of your kitchen sink, consider using matching accessories such as top rails (sold separately). These accessories can help combine various work steps at the sink, from food preparation to washing up, enhancing efficiency in your kitchen.

4. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Your BLANCO SILGRANIT sink is a high-quality synthetic stone that is inherently easy to care for, scratch-resistant, durable, and heat-resistant. Following these simple care instructions will help maintain its pristine condition:

- **Daily Cleaning:** After each use, wipe the sink with a dry cloth to prevent water spots and mineral buildup.
- **General Cleaning:** For routine cleaning, use a mild dish soap and a soft sponge or cloth. Rinse thoroughly with water and dry.
- **Stain Removal:** For tougher stains, a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for granite or composite sinks can be used. Always test on an inconspicuous area first. Avoid harsh chemicals, abrasive pads, or steel wool, as these can damage the surface.

- **Heat Resistance:** While the sink is temperature-resistant, it is always recommended to use a trivet or hot pad for extremely hot pots and pans to prevent potential thermal shock or discoloration over time.
- **Preventing Scratches:** Although scratch-resistant, avoid dragging heavy or sharp objects across the sink surface.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

5.1. Water Spots or Mineral Buildup

If you notice water spots or mineral buildup, especially in hard water areas, ensure you wipe the sink dry after each use. For existing buildup, use a solution of equal parts white vinegar and water, let it sit for a few minutes, then scrub gently and rinse thoroughly.

5.2. Stains

Despite its stain-resistant properties, certain substances like strong dyes or highly pigmented foods left for extended periods might cause temporary discoloration. Refer to the