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INTRODUCTION

The BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S kitchen sink is designed for modern kitchens, offering a blend of functionality and aesthetic appeal. Made from SILGRANIT, a composite material comprising up to 80% quartz sand, this sink provides a stone-like feel and is highly durable, scratch-resistant, and easy to clean. Its extra-large (XL) bowl and reversible design offer flexibility and comfort for daily kitchen tasks.



Image: Top-down view of the BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S SILGRANIT kitchen sink in black, showcasing its large bowl and drainer area.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This section provides essential information for the correct installation of your BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink. Professional installation is recommended to ensure proper function and sealing.

Components Included:

- Sink unit (BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S)
- Drain with space-saving pipe
- 3 1/2" basket strainer
- Mounting kit

Installation Method:

The BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink is designed for **countertop installation**. The sink bowl is reversible, allowing installation with the drainer on either the left or right side, depending on your kitchen layout and preference. Pre-drilled holes are provided for faucet installation.

Installation Steps (General Guidance):

1. **Prepare the Countertop:** Ensure the countertop cutout matches the sink dimensions. Refer to the provided template or dimension diagrams for precise measurements.
2. **Position the Sink:** Place the sink into the cutout. The reversible design allows you to orient the drainer as desired.
3. **Install Faucet and Drain:** Mount your kitchen faucet into the pre-drilled hole. Install the drain assembly, including the basket strainer and space-saving pipe, ensuring all connections are watertight.
4. **Secure the Sink:** Use the provided mounting kit to secure the sink firmly to the countertop.
5. **Connect Plumbing:** Connect the drain pipe to your household plumbing system. Test for leaks by running water through the sink.

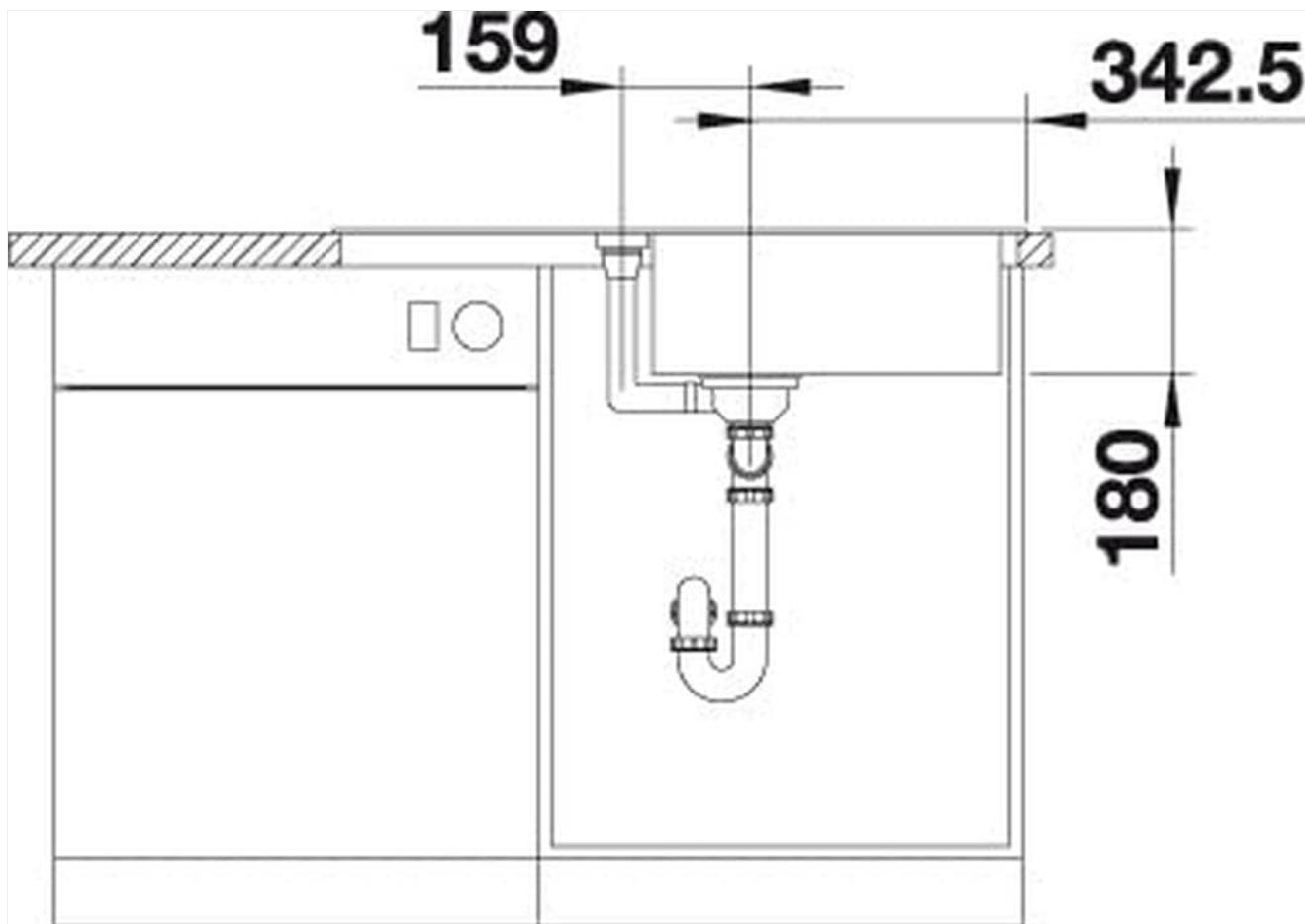


Image: Side view diagram illustrating the typical installation of the BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink into a countertop, showing plumbing connections and depth.

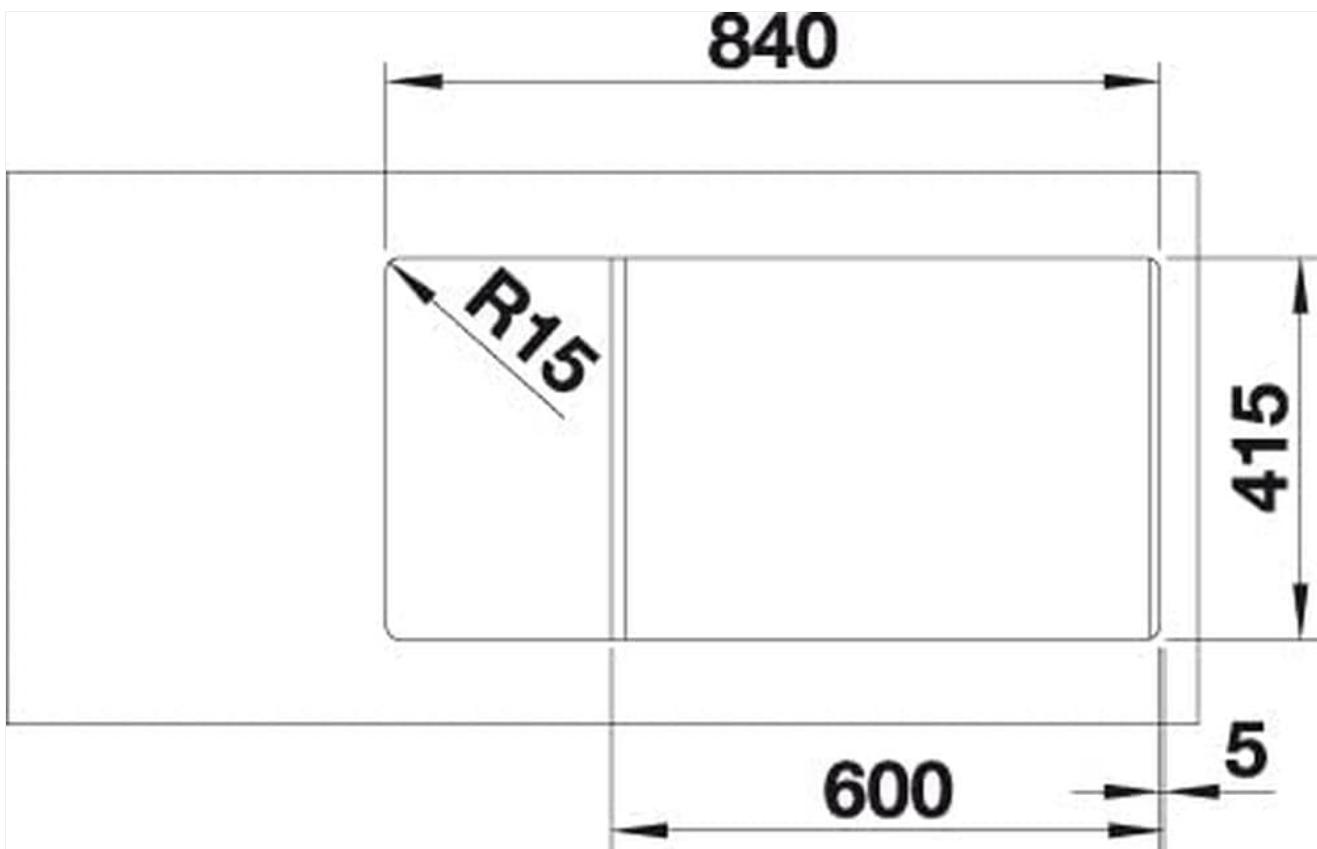


Image: Top view diagram showing the recommended countertop cutout dimensions for the BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink, including corner radii.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink is designed for intuitive daily use.

- XL Bowl Capacity:** The extra-large bowl provides ample space for washing large pots, pans, and baking sheets, making soaking and cleaning bulky items more convenient.
- Reversible Design:** The sink can be installed with the drainer on either the left or right side, adapting to your preferred workflow and kitchen layout.
- Basket Strainer:** The included 3 1/2" basket strainer effectively catches food particles, preventing clogs in your plumbing. Ensure it is regularly cleaned to maintain optimal drainage.

MAINTENANCE

Proper care and maintenance will ensure the longevity and pristine appearance of your BLANCO SILGRANIT sink.

Daily Cleaning:

- For routine cleaning, use a mild dish soap or detergent and a soft sponge or cloth.
- Rinse the sink thoroughly with clean water after each use to prevent water spots and mineral buildup.
- Wipe the sink dry with a microfiber cloth to maintain its finish.

Removing Stubborn Stains:

- For more persistent stains, BLANCO recommends using specialized SILGRANIT cleaning agents. Follow the product instructions carefully.
- Alternatively, a mixture of baking soda and water can be used as a gentle abrasive paste for light stains.

Apply, scrub gently, and rinse thoroughly.

- Avoid using harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, steel wool, or scouring pads, as these can damage the SILGRANIT surface.

Heat Resistance:

SILGRANIT is highly heat-resistant. However, to prevent potential thermal shock or discoloration over time, it is always advisable to use a trivet or heat protection mat for very hot pots and pans directly from the stove or oven.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink.

- **Slow Drainage:**

Cause: Blockage in the basket strainer or drain pipe.

Solution: Remove the basket strainer and clear any accumulated food debris. If the issue persists, check the space-saving pipe for blockages. A plumbing snake may be required for deeper clogs.

- **Water Spots/Mineral Buildup:**

Cause: Hard water drying on the sink surface.

Solution: Wipe the sink dry after each use. For existing spots, use a solution of white vinegar and water (1:1 ratio), let it sit for a few minutes, then scrub gently and rinse thoroughly.

- **Discoloration/Stains:**

Cause: Exposure to strong staining agents (e.g., coffee, tea, red wine) or improper cleaning.

Solution: Refer to the Maintenance section for cleaning tips. For stubborn stains, specialized SILGRANIT cleaners are recommended. Avoid leaving highly pigmented foods or liquids in the sink for extended periods.

- **Leaks Around the Sink or Faucet:**

Cause: Loose connections, damaged seals, or improper installation.

Solution: Check all plumbing connections under the sink for tightness. Inspect seals and gaskets for damage. If you are unable to resolve the leak, contact a qualified plumber.

SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed technical specifications for the BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S SILGRANIT kitchen sink.

Attribute	Specification
Model Number	526082
Brand	BLANCO
Material	SILGRANIT (Granite composite)
Color	Black
Installation Type	Countertop
Overall Dimensions (L x W x H)	86 x 43.5 x 18 cm
Weight	13.19 kg
Minimum Base Cabinet Size	60 cm
Number of Holes (for faucet)	1 (pre-drilled)

Reversible	Yes
Included Components	Drain with space-saving pipe, 3 1/2" basket strainer, mounting kit

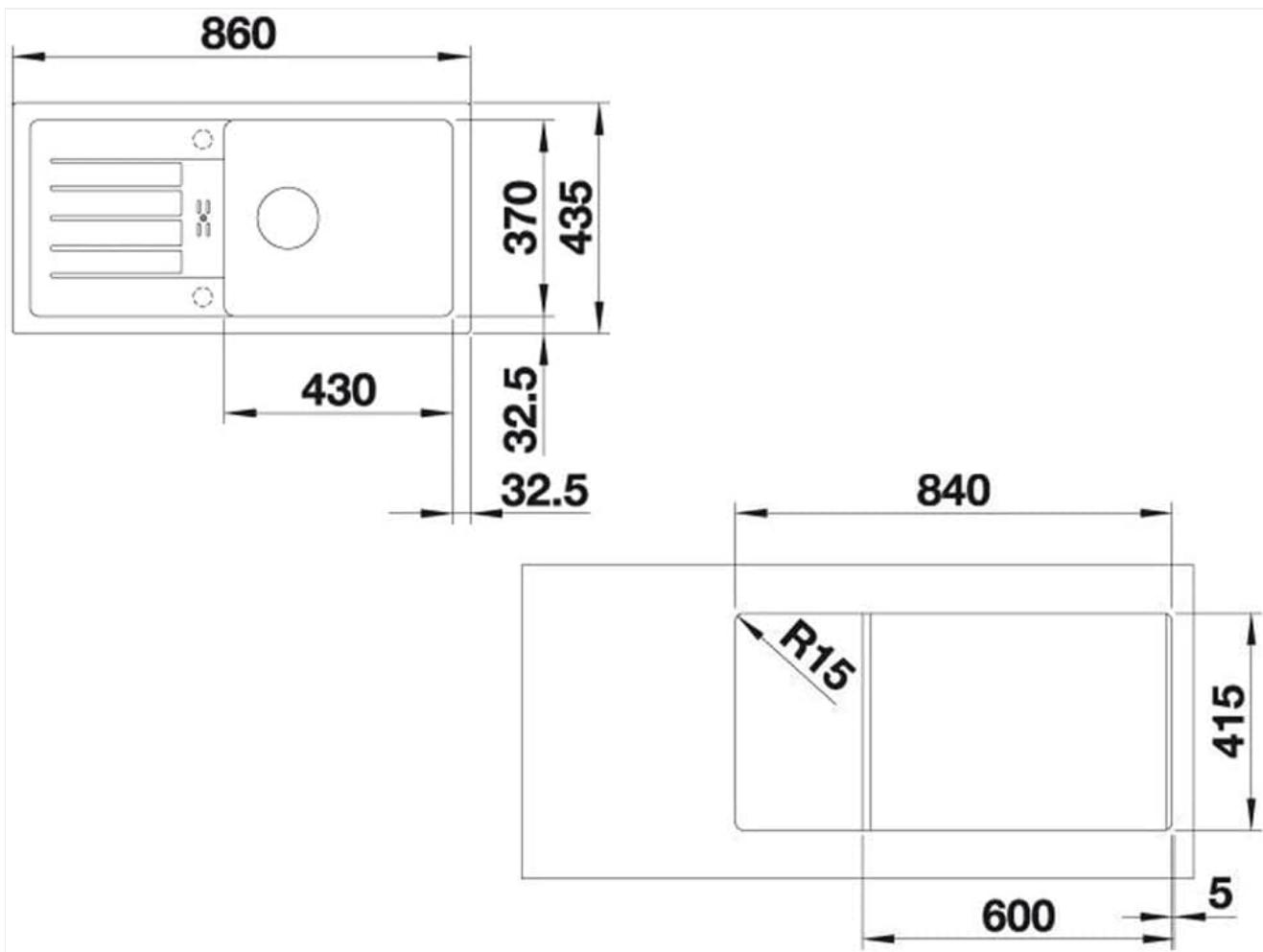


Image: Detailed technical drawing showing all critical dimensions of the BLANCO FAVUM XL 6 S sink, including bowl size and overall footprint.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

BLANCO products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty details, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official BLANCO website.

- Spare Parts Availability:** Spare parts for this model are available for a period of 2 years from the date of purchase.
- Customer Support:** For technical assistance, warranty claims, or any product-related inquiries, please contact BLANCO customer service. Ensure you have your proof of purchase and model number (FAVUM XL 6 S, 526082) ready.
- Online Resources:** Additional information and support may be available on the [BLANCO Brand Store](#) or the official BLANCO website.