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Model: KF-442031

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The BLANCO Artona Pull-Down Kitchen Faucet and coordinating Soap Dispenser are designed for modern kitchen environments, offering both functionality and aesthetic appeal. This kit includes a single-hole installation faucet with a pull-down dual spray and a 180-degree spout swivel, alongside a soap dispenser with a 12-ounce capacity.



Image: The BLANCO Artona Pull-Down Kitchen Faucet and its coordinating soap dispenser, shown together. The faucet features a curved spout and a black and stainless finish, while the dispenser matches the design.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This section provides general guidelines for the installation of your BLANCO Artona faucet and soap dispenser. Professional installation is recommended.

Before You Begin

- Ensure all necessary components are present: faucet, soap dispenser, and supply lines.
- Confirm your sink has a single hole for faucet installation.
- Turn off the main water supply to the kitchen area.
- Clear the area under the sink for easy access.

Installation Steps (Overview)

1. **Prepare the Mounting Surface:** Ensure the sink or countertop hole is clean and free of debris.
2. **Install the Faucet:** Insert the faucet base into the mounting hole. Secure it from underneath the sink using the provided mounting hardware.
3. **Connect Water Supply Lines:** Attach the hot and cold water supply lines to the corresponding valves. Ensure connections are tight to prevent leaks.
4. **Install the Soap Dispenser:** Insert the dispenser body into its designated hole. Secure the base from underneath and attach the soap bottle.
5. **Test for Leaks:** Slowly turn on the main water supply and check all connections for any signs of leakage. Operate the faucet to ensure proper water flow and spray function.



Image: An installed BLANCO Artona faucet and soap dispenser next to a black kitchen sink, demonstrating a typical setup. The faucet is positioned on the countertop, with the soap dispenser to its right.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Faucet Operation

- **Water Flow and Temperature:** The single lever handle controls both water flow and temperature. Move the handle up to increase flow and down to decrease. Move it left for hot water and right for cold water.
- **Pull-Down Spray:** Grasp the spray head and pull it down from the spout. The hose extends for increased reach.
- **Dual Spray Function:** Press the button on the spray head to switch between aerated stream and powerful spray modes.
- **Spout Swivel:** The faucet spout can swivel 180 degrees, allowing for flexible use across multiple sink basins or for moving the faucet out of the way.

Soap Dispenser Operation

- **Dispensing Soap:** Press down on the top of the dispenser pump to dispense liquid soap or lotion.
- **Refilling:** To refill the dispenser, lift the pump head straight up from the base. Pour liquid soap directly into the bottle from the top. Replace the pump head firmly. The dispenser holds 12 ounces of liquid.



Image: A close-up of the BLANCO Artona faucet, highlighting the pull-down spray head and the single lever handle. The black and stainless finish is visible.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care will ensure the longevity and appearance of your BLANCO Artona faucet and soap dispenser.

- **Cleaning:** Clean surfaces regularly with a soft cloth and mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, or scouring pads, as these can damage the finish.
- **Aerator Maintenance:** If water flow decreases, the aerator may be clogged. Unscrew the aerator from the tip of the spray head, clean any debris, and rinse thoroughly before reattaching.
- **Soap Dispenser Pump:** If the soap dispenser pump becomes stiff or clogged, remove it and rinse thoroughly with warm water. For stubborn clogs, soak the pump mechanism in warm water for several minutes.
- **General Inspection:** Periodically check all connections for leaks and tighten if necessary.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Low Water Flow	Clogged aerator; partially closed shut-off valve; kinked supply line.	Clean aerator; ensure shut-off valves are fully open; check supply lines for kinks.
Leaks at Connections	Loose connections; damaged O-rings or washers.	Tighten connections; inspect and replace O-rings or washers if damaged.
Soap Dispenser Not Pumping	Clogged pump mechanism; empty soap bottle.	Clean pump mechanism; refill soap bottle.
Difficulty Pulling Down Spray Head	Hose obstruction under sink; hose weight dislodged.	Clear any obstructions; re-secure hose weight.

SPECIFICATIONS

Model Name:	Artona Pull-Down
Model Number:	KF-442031
Brand:	BLANCO
Color:	Anthracite/Stainless
Material:	Brass

Mounting Type:	Deck Mount
Installation Type:	Single Hole
Number of Handles:	1 (Lever)
Spout Design:	Pull-down swivel (180-degree)
Maximum Flow Rate:	1.5 Gallons Per Minute (CalGreen Compliant)
Included Components:	Faucet, Soap Dispenser
Product Dimensions (L x W x H):	8.63 x 2 x 15.75 inches
Item Weight:	8 pounds
Special Features:	Lead Free, Pull Down Sprayer
UPC:	718426155340

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The BLANCO Artona Pull-Down Kitchen Faucet and Soap Dispenser come with a**Limited Lifetime Warranty**. This warranty covers manufacturing defects under normal use and service. For specific terms and conditions, or to make a warranty claim, please refer to the official BLANCO warranty documentation or contact BLANCO customer support.

Note: Warranty terms may vary by region and date of purchase. Keep your proof of purchase.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For technical assistance, replacement parts, or further inquiries regarding your BLANCO Artona product, please contact BLANCO customer support.

- **BLANCO Official Website:** www.blancoamerica.com
- Refer to the website for contact numbers and service hours.