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BWE 5016-Black

BWE 16-Inch Matte Black Luxury Rain Mixer Shower System

Model: 5016-Black

Introduction

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your BWE 16-Inch Matte Black Luxury Rain Mixer Shower System. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and use to ensure proper function and longevity of your product.

Important Safety Information

- Always turn off the main water supply before beginning any installation or maintenance.
- If you are unsure about any part of the installation process, consult a qualified plumber.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) during installation, such as safety glasses and gloves.
- Ensure all connections are secure and watertight to prevent leaks.
- Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners on the matte black finish, as this may damage the surface.

Package Contents

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation:

- 16-inch Rainfall Shower Head (SUS 304 Stainless Steel)
- Shower Arm (Brass)
- Handheld Shower Head (Brass)
- 70-inch Shower Hose (Stainless Steel)
- Shower Valve and Trim Kit (Brass)
- Mounting Hardware and Accessories



Image: All components of the BWE 16-Inch Matte Black Luxury Rain Mixer Shower System.

Product Specifications

Feature	Specification
Brand	BWE
Model Number	5016-Black
Color	Matte Black
Material	Brass (faucet body, shower arm, handheld), SUS 304 Stainless Steel (rain shower head, shower hose)
Finish Type	Matte Black

Number of Handles	1
Mounting Type	Wall Mount
Head Size	16 inches
Maximum Pressure	15.7 PSI
Standard Threads	1/2 NPT tapered threads



Image: The BWE 16-Inch Matte Black Luxury Rain Mixer Shower System.

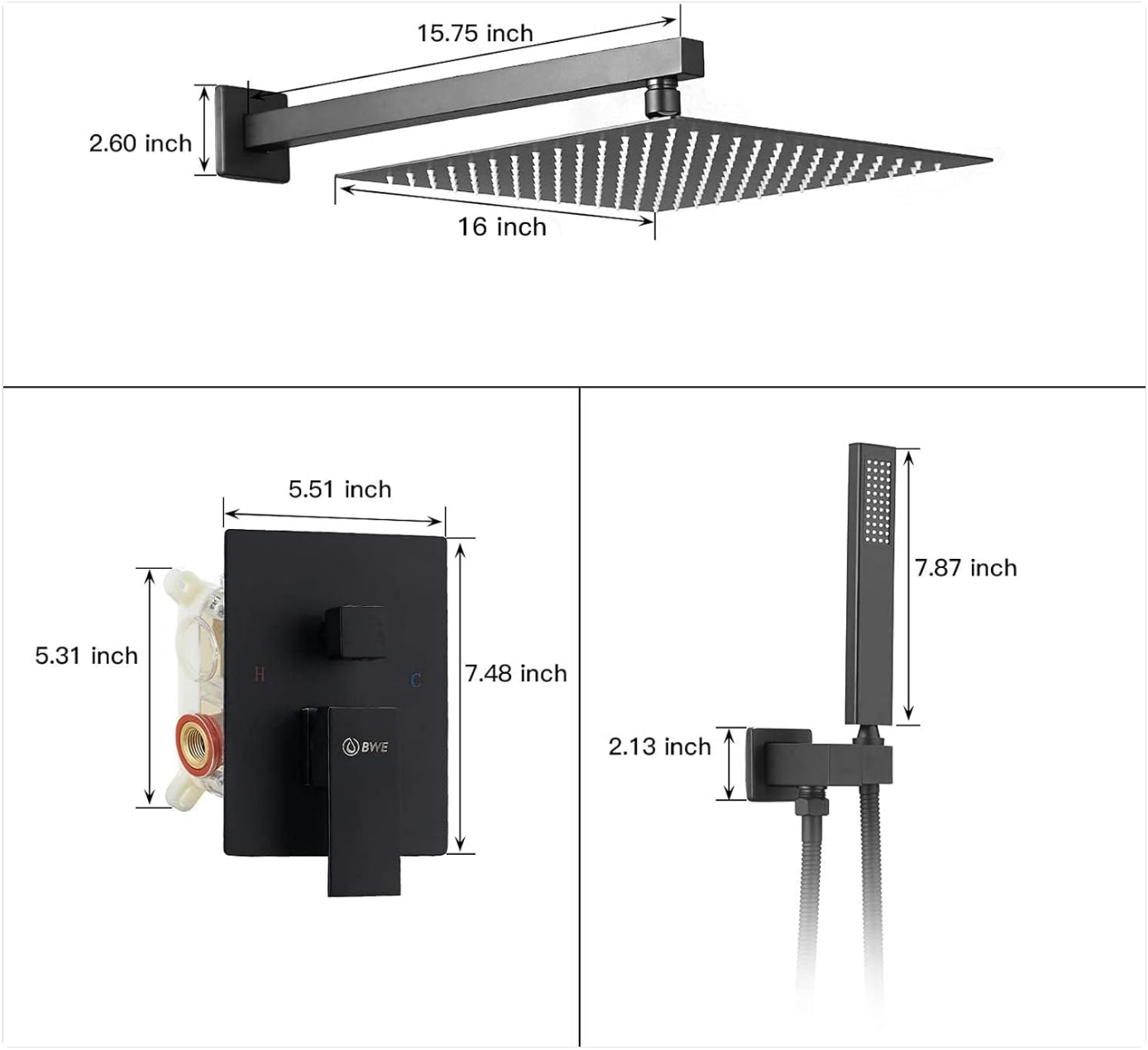


Image: Detailed dimensions of the shower system components.

Installation Guide

Before You Begin

- Ensure you have all necessary tools and materials.
- Confirm that your plumbing is compatible with standard 1/2 NPT tapered threads.
- Clear the installation area and protect surrounding surfaces.
- It is highly recommended to have this product installed by a certified professional plumber.

Step-by-Step Installation

1. **Prepare the Wall:** Mark the desired locations for the shower valve, shower arm, and handheld shower holder. Ensure proper spacing and alignment.
2. **Install the Rough-in Valve:** Secure the pressure balancing rough-in valve body within the wall according to the manufacturer's guidelines and local plumbing codes. Connect the hot and cold water lines to the valve.
3. **Connect Shower Arm and Head:** Install the shower arm into the wall and securely attach the 16-inch rainfall shower head. Ensure all connections are sealed with plumber's tape or sealant.

4. **Install Handheld Shower Components:** Mount the handheld shower holder to the wall. Connect the 70-inch shower hose to the valve outlet and the handheld shower head.
5. **Install Trim Kit:** Once the rough-in components are installed and tested for leaks, install the decorative trim plate and handles onto the valve body.
6. **Test the System:** Turn on the main water supply and carefully check for any leaks. Test both the rain head and handheld functions, as well as temperature and flow control.



Image: The BWE shower system installed, showcasing the rain head and handheld unit.

Operating Instructions

Temperature and Flow Control

The lower handle on the trim kit controls the water temperature and flow. Rotate the handle to adjust the desired temperature from cold (C) to hot (H). Push or pull the handle to adjust the water flow intensity.



Image: Main handle for temperature and flow control.

Switching Between Functions

The upper knob on the trim kit allows you to switch between the 16-inch rainfall shower head and the handheld shower head. Rotate the knob to select your preferred water outlet mode.

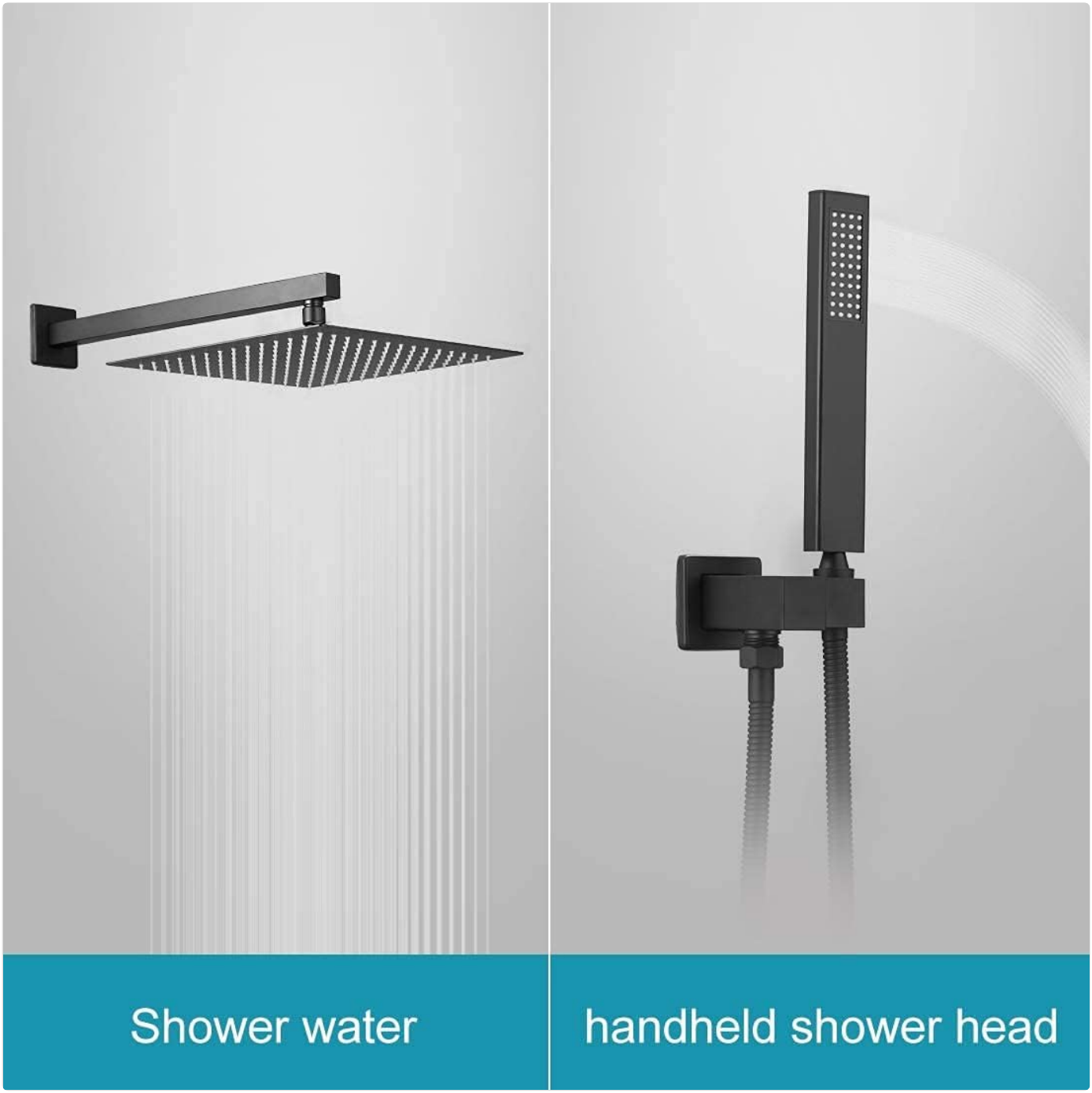


Image: Knob for switching between shower functions.

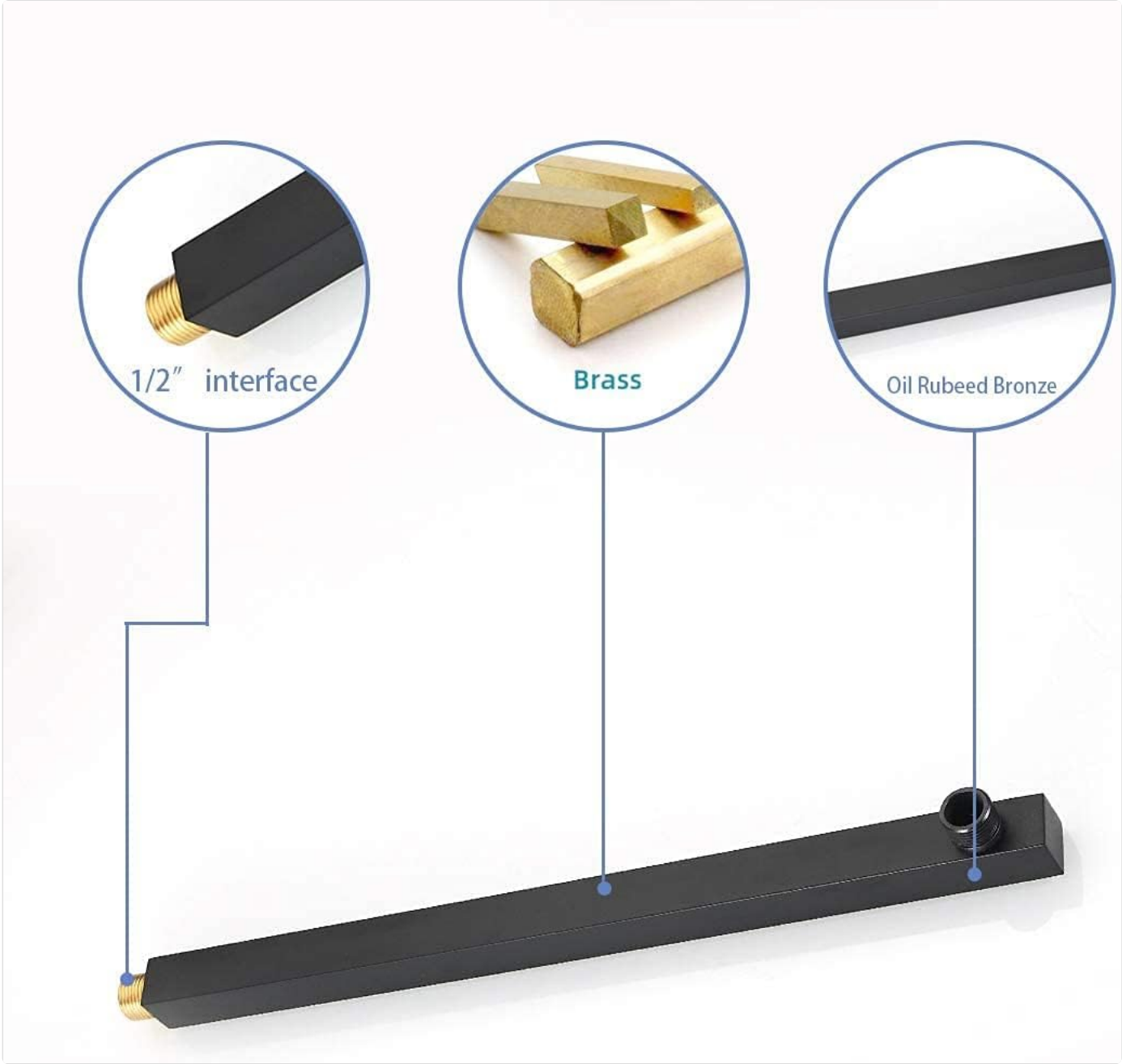


Image: Water flow from the rain shower head and handheld shower head.

Video: Demonstration of the BWE Black Shower Faucet, showing both rain mixer and handheld functions.

Maintenance and Care

- **Regular Cleaning:** Clean the shower system regularly with a soft cloth and mild soap or a non-abrasive bathroom cleaner. Rinse thoroughly with water and dry with a soft cloth to prevent water spots.
- **Avoid Harsh Chemicals:** Do not use abrasive cleaners, ammonia-based products, or acidic solutions, as these can damage the matte black finish and internal components.
- **Nozzle Maintenance:** The rain shower head features self-cleaning nozzles. Periodically rub the rubber nozzles to dislodge any mineral buildup and maintain optimal spray performance.
- **Check for Leaks:** Regularly inspect all connections for any signs of leaks and tighten if necessary.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Low Water Pressure	Clogged nozzles or debris in the system.	Clean shower head nozzles. Check water supply lines for obstructions.
Water Leaks from Connections	Loose connections or worn seals.	Tighten connections. Replace O-rings or gaskets if damaged.
Inconsistent Water Temperature	Pressure balancing valve issue or water heater settings.	Consult a plumber to inspect the pressure balancing valve. Check water heater settings.
Difficulty Switching Functions	Diverter knob mechanism stiff or obstructed.	Ensure the knob is clean and free of debris. If persistent, professional inspection may be required.

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