

Bergström 12554

Bergström Beige Granite Kitchen Sink Instruction Manual

Model: 12554
Brand: Bergström

1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to your new Bergström Beige Granite Kitchen Sink. This manual provides essential information for the safe and correct installation, operation, and maintenance of your sink. Please read these instructions carefully before beginning installation or use.

The Bergström granite sink is designed for durability and ease of use, featuring a shock-resistant and chemical-resistant surface, making it an ideal choice for daily kitchen tasks.

2. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please verify that all items listed below are present in your package:

- 1x Bergström Granite Kitchen Sink (Beige)
- 1x Set of Mounting Material
- 1x Installation Instructions (this manual)

3. SPECIFICATIONS

Material	80% Quartz composite
Color	Beige
Overall Dimensions (L x H x D)	58 cm x 19 cm x 46 cm (57.5 cm width, 46 cm depth, 19 cm height)
Minimum Base Cabinet Width	60 cm
Installation Type	Drop-in / Inset
Drainer	Integrated
Reversible	Yes

Model Number	12554
Net Weight	10.51 kg
Gross Weight (with packaging)	11.5 kg

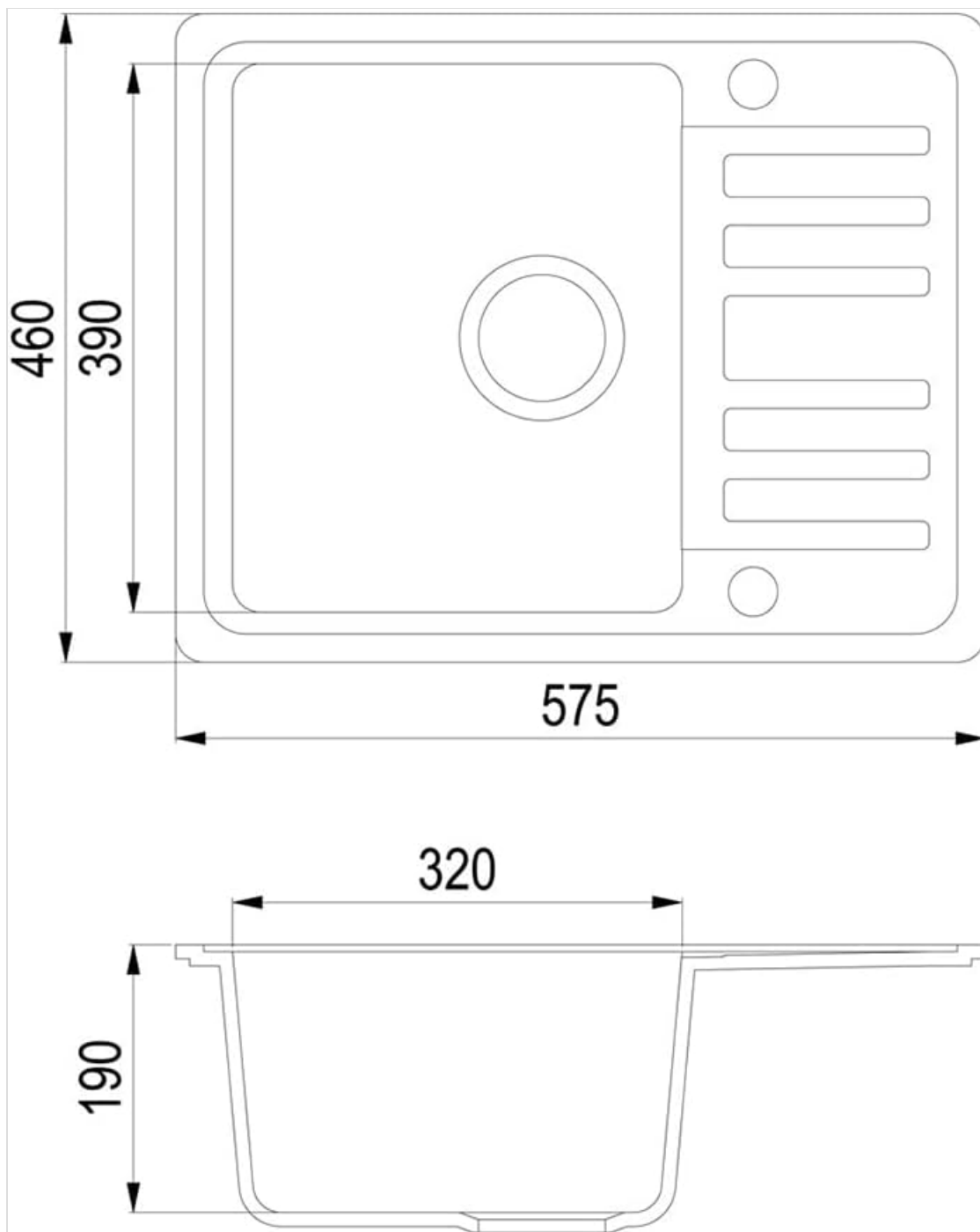


Figure 1: Technical drawing with sink dimensions.

4. SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment (e.g., gloves, safety glasses) during installation.
- Ensure all water connections are properly sealed to prevent leaks.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals on the sink surface, as this may damage the granite composite.
- Heavy objects should not be dropped into the sink to avoid potential damage.
- If you are unsure about any installation step, consult a qualified plumber.

5. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

5.1. Preparation

- Unpack the sink and check for any damage.
- Ensure all package contents are present.
- Prepare the countertop cutout according to the provided template (if included) or the dimensions in Figure 1. The sink is reversible, so decide on the orientation of the drainer (left or right) before cutting.
- Ensure the base cabinet is suitable for a minimum width of 60 cm.

5.2. Mounting the Faucet and Drain

- Install the kitchen faucet into the designated hole on the sink.
- Assemble the drain and overflow components according to their specific instructions.
- Attach the pop-up waste control mechanism if applicable.

5.3. Placing the Sink

- Apply a silicone sealant around the edge of the cutout in the countertop to create a watertight seal.
- Carefully lower the sink into the cutout.
- Secure the sink using the provided mounting clips from underneath the countertop. Tighten the clips evenly to ensure a snug fit.

5.4. Connecting Plumbing

- Connect the sink's drain to the household waste pipe.
- Connect the faucet's hot and cold water supply lines to the corresponding water outlets.
- Test for leaks by running water into the sink and checking all connections thoroughly.



Figure 2: Installed Bergström sink in a kitchen setting.



Figure 3: Sink and drain assembly diagram.

5.5. Installation Video

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Video 1: This video demonstrates the general installation steps for a granite kitchen sink. Please refer to this manual for specific details regarding your Bergström sink.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- **Water Flow:** Use the faucet handles to control water temperature and flow as desired.
- **Drainage:** The sink features an integrated drainer for air-drying dishes. The main bowl has a standard drain plug for water retention.
- **Pop-up Waste (if applicable):** Use the control knob, typically located on the sink's edge (see Figure 4), to open and close the drain plug without needing to reach into the water.



Figure 4: Close-up of drainer and pop-up waste control.

7. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care will ensure the longevity and appearance of your Bergström granite sink.

- **Daily Cleaning:** Clean the sink regularly with warm water and a mild dish soap. Use a soft cloth or sponge.
- **Stain Removal:** For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for granite or composite sinks. Avoid bleach or ammonia-based cleaners, as these can damage the surface.
- **Preventing Water Spots:** Wipe the sink dry after each use to prevent mineral deposits and water spots, especially in hard water areas.
- **Heat Resistance:** While granite composite is highly heat resistant, avoid placing extremely hot pots or pans directly onto the sink surface without protection (e.g., a trivet) to prevent thermal shock.
- **Chemicals:** Avoid contact with strong acids, alkalis, or harsh chemicals. Rinse immediately if accidental contact occurs.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter.

- **Slow Drainage:**
 - Check if the drain plug is fully open.
 - Inspect the drain for food debris or blockages.
 - Clean the trap if necessary.
- **Leaks around Faucet/Drain:**
 - Check all connections for tightness.
 - Ensure seals and gaskets are correctly seated.
 - Re-apply plumber's putty or silicone sealant if necessary.
- **Water Spots/Stains:**
 - Perform regular cleaning with mild soap and water.
 - Use a specialized granite cleaner for mineral deposits.
 - Wipe the sink dry after each use to prevent new spots.
- **Surface Scratches:**
 - Granite composite is highly scratch-resistant, but not scratch-proof. Avoid dragging sharp or heavy objects across the surface.
 - Minor surface marks can sometimes be buffed out with specialized granite composite repair kits.

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product comes with a standard manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to your purchase documentation for specific terms and conditions regarding warranty coverage and duration.

For technical support, warranty claims, or any other inquiries, please contact Bergström customer service through your retailer or the official Bergström website. Please have your model number (12554) and proof of purchase ready when contacting support.

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