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Model: FJO 624 XS | Brand: Franke

## INTRODUCTION

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This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient installation, operation, and maintenance of your Franke FJO 624 XS 60cm Chimney Hood. Please read these instructions carefully before use and retain them for future reference.



Image 1: Front view of the Franke FJO 624 XS 60cm Chimney Hood. This stainless steel appliance is designed for wall mounting above a cooking surface.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

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Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury.

- Ensure the electrical installation complies with local regulations.
- Do not allow children to operate the appliance.
- Regularly clean grease filters to prevent fire hazards.
- Do not flambé under the range hood.
- Ensure adequate ventilation in the room when the range hood is used simultaneously with gas or other fuel-burning

appliances.

- Disconnect the appliance from the main power supply before any cleaning or maintenance.
- Do not use the hood if the power cord is damaged. Contact qualified personnel for repair.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

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The Franke FJO 624 XS is a wall-mounted canopy hood. Proper installation is crucial for optimal performance and safety.

### Dimensions and Clearance

Refer to the following dimensions for installation planning:

- **Overall Product Dimensions (Depth x Width x Height):** 47cm x 60cm x 100cm
- **Base Width:** 598-898 mm
- **Base Depth:** 471 mm
- **Main Body Height:** 200 mm
- **Filter Minimum Height:** 515 mm
- **Filter Maximum Height:** 795 mm
- **Aspiration Minimum Height:** 420 mm
- **Aspiration Maximum Height:** 795 mm
- **Chimney Section Width (top):** 126 mm
- **Chimney Section Depth (top):** 81 mm
- **Chimney Section Height (top part):** 169 mm
- **Chimney Section Depth (lower part):** 167 mm
- **Ducting Outlet Height:** 402 mm (from top of main body)
- **Hood Edge Thickness:** 25.5 mm
- **Mounting Type:** Wall Mount.
- **Recommended Height:** Ensure the hood is installed at the recommended distance above the cooking surface as per local safety regulations and the appliance manual (typically 65-75 cm for electric hobs and 75-85 cm for gas hobs).
- **Ducting:** This model supports ducted/vented operation. Connect the exhaust outlet to an external ventilation system using appropriate ducting.

### Installation Steps (General)

1. Mark the drilling points on the wall according to the provided template or dimensions.
2. Drill holes and insert wall plugs.
3. Secure the mounting bracket to the wall.
4. Mount the hood body onto the bracket.
5. Connect the ducting to the exhaust outlet.
6. Install the chimney sections, ensuring they are securely fastened.
7. Connect the appliance to the main power supply.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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The Franke FJO 624 XS chimney hood features push-button controls for easy operation.

## Control Panel

The control panel is located on the front of the hood and consists of push buttons for various functions.

- **Power On/Off:** Press the main power button to turn the hood on or off.
- **Speed Selection:** The hood has 3 speed settings. Press the corresponding button (1, 2, or 3) to select the desired extraction power.
  - **Speed 1:** Low extraction for light cooking.
  - **Speed 2:** Medium extraction for general cooking.
  - **Speed 3:** High extraction for intense cooking or strong odors.
- **Light Control:** Press the light button to turn the LED lights on or off. The hood is equipped with 2x4W LED lights.

For best results, turn on the hood a few minutes before cooking and leave it running for a few minutes after cooking to clear residual fumes.

## MAINTENANCE

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Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your chimney hood.

### Cleaning the Grease Filters

The hood is equipped with mesh filters designed to trap grease particles. These filters should be cleaned regularly, typically every 2-4 weeks depending on usage.

1. **Disconnect Power:** Always switch off and unplug the hood from the power supply before cleaning.
2. **Remove Filters:** Locate the filter release catches and carefully remove the mesh filters.
3. **Clean Filters:** Wash the filters by hand in hot soapy water or in a dishwasher on a low-temperature cycle. Avoid using abrasive detergents.
4. **Dry and Reinstall:** Ensure the filters are completely dry before reinstalling them.

### Cleaning the Exterior

Clean the stainless steel exterior with a soft cloth and a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for stainless steel. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive pads that can scratch the surface.

### Replacing Lights

If a light bulb needs replacement, ensure the hood is disconnected from power. Replace with a bulb of the same type and wattage (2x4W LED).

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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Before contacting customer service, refer to the following common issues and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Hood does not turn on.	No power supply; power cord disconnected; fuse blown.	Check power connection; ensure plug is fully inserted; check household fuse/circuit breaker.
Poor extraction performance.	Grease filters are dirty; ducting is blocked or too long; wrong speed setting.	Clean or replace grease filters; check ducting for obstructions; select a higher speed setting.
Excessive noise during operation.	Loose components; improper installation; ducting issues.	Check for loose screws or parts; ensure proper installation; inspect ducting for kinks or restrictions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Lights not working.	Bulb faulty; electrical connection issue.	Replace faulty bulb; check light switch and wiring.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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Detailed technical specifications for the Franke FJO 624 XS Chimney Hood:

Brand Name	Franke
Model Number	FJO 624 XS
Part Number	320.0545.169
Product Dimensions (Depth x Width x Height)	47cm x 60cm x 100cm
Color	Silver
Finish Type	Coated
Airflow Capacity	430 m <sup>3</sup> /h
Material	Stainless Steel
Mounting Type	Wall Mount
Control Type	Push Button
Number of Speeds	3
Item Weight	249 grams <i>(Note: This weight seems unusually low for a chimney hood. Please verify with product packaging.)</i>
Light Source	LED (2x4W)
Electrical Power	145 Watts
Filter Type	Mesh
Ventilation Type	Ducted/Vented
Product Shape	Rectangular
Noise Level (Min-Max)	58 dB - 67 dB
Pressure	300 Pa

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For warranty information, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact Franke customer support.

Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

For technical assistance, spare parts, or service, please contact your local Franke service center or authorized dealer. You may need to provide the model number (FJO 624 XS) and part number (320.0545.169) when seeking support.

You can find more information on the official Franke website: [www.franke.com](http://www.franke.com)

