BESTTEN USWP1-CS3-S

BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate User Manual

Model: USWP1-CS3-S

1. Product Overview

The BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate is designed to provide a durable and aesthetically pleasing cover for single toggle light switches. Constructed from industrial-grade stainless steel, this wall plate offers excellent corrosion resistance, making it suitable for various environments, including harsh and moist conditions. Its smooth, brushed finish and curved edges ensure easy cleaning and a modern appearance. Each plate is shipped with a protective plastic film that must be removed prior to installation.



Image 1.1: A pack of five BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plates, showcasing their brushed stainless steel finish and standard design for a single toggle switch.

Key Features:

- **Material:** Industrial-grade stainless steel for enhanced durability and corrosion resistance.

- **Finish:** Smooth brushed finish with curved edges for easy cleaning and a sleek look.
- **Compatibility:** Specifically designed for single toggle light switches.
- **Dimensions:** Standard size, H4.53” x W2.76” x D0.18”.
- **Installation:** Screw-in type, includes necessary screws.



Image 1.2: The wall plate shown in an industrial environment, highlighting its corrosion-resistant stainless steel material suitable for demanding applications.



Image 1.3: Examples of the wall plate installed in different settings, including a kitchen, bathroom, coffee shop, and gym, demonstrating its versatility for both residential and commercial use.

2. Installation Guide

Before You Begin:

- **Safety First:** Always turn off power to the switch at the circuit breaker before beginning any electrical work.
- **Protective Film:** The wall plate is shipped with a white or clear plastic film for protection. This film**must** be removed prior to installation.
- **Caution:** The edges of the metal wall plates may be sharp. Please use caution during handling and installation to avoid injury.
- **Tools Needed:** A screwdriver (appropriate for the included screws).



Image 2.1: Illustration showing the protective plastic film (blue, clear, or white) that covers the wall plate and must be peeled off before installation.

Installation Steps:

1. **Turn Off Power:** Locate the circuit breaker that controls the power to the light switch you are working on and turn it off. Verify that the power is off using a voltage tester.
2. **Remove Old Wall Plate:** Carefully unscrew and remove the existing wall plate from the switch.
3. **Remove Protective Film:** Peel off the protective plastic film from the surface of the new BESTTEN wall plate. This film is designed to prevent scratches during shipping and handling.
4. **Position New Wall Plate:** Align the new BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate over the light switch, ensuring the toggle opening is correctly positioned.
5. **Secure Wall Plate:** Use the included screws to fasten the wall plate to the electrical box. Do not overtighten the screws, as this may damage the plate or the electrical box.
6. **Restore Power:** Once the wall plate is securely installed, turn the power back on at the circuit breaker.

3. Operation

The BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate functions as a protective and decorative cover for a standard toggle light switch. Once installed, it provides a finished look and protects the internal wiring and components of the switch. The operation of the light switch itself remains unchanged; simply use the toggle switch as you normally would to control your lighting or connected devices.



Image 3.1: A close-up of the wall plate, illustrating its precise design to accommodate a standard toggle switch.

4. Care and Maintenance

To maintain the appearance and longevity of your BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate, follow these simple care instructions:

- **Cleaning:** The smooth brushed finish is easy to clean. Use a soft, damp cloth to wipe down the surface. For stubborn marks, a mild, non-abrasive cleaner can be used. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive scrubbing pads, as these can damage the finish.
- **Corrosion Resistance:** The stainless steel material is inherently corrosion-resistant. However, prolonged exposure to highly corrosive substances or extreme moisture without proper cleaning may affect its appearance over time. Regular cleaning is recommended in such environments.
- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect the wall plate for any signs of damage or loose screws. Tighten screws as needed, but do not overtighten.

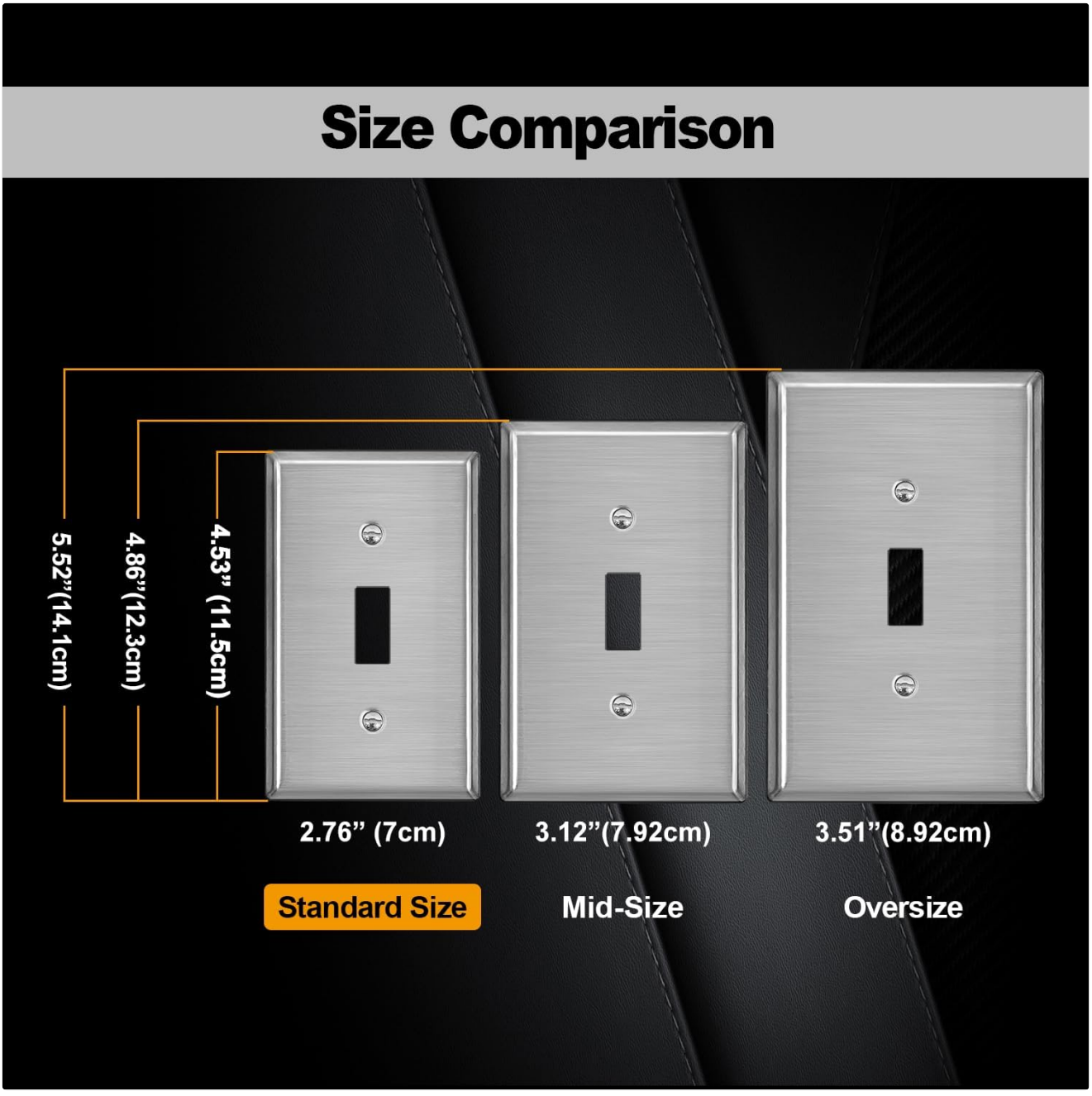


Image 4.1: The wall plate with water droplets on its surface, visually representing its corrosion-resistant properties.

5. Troubleshooting

If you encounter any issues with your BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate, refer to the following common problems and their solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Wall plate appears scratched or dull.	Protective plastic film has not been removed.	Carefully peel off the protective white or clear plastic film from the surface of the wall plate. This film is often very thin and can be difficult to notice.
Wall plate does not sit flush against the wall.	Improper alignment or obstruction behind the plate.	Ensure the electrical box and switch are properly seated within the wall. Realign the wall plate and gently tighten screws evenly.
Screws do not tighten properly.	Stripped screw threads or incorrect screw size.	Ensure you are using the provided screws. If threads are stripped, you may need to replace the screw or repair the electrical box's mounting tabs.

6. Product Specifications

Attribute	Detail
Brand	BESTTEN
Model Number	USWP1-CS3-S
Part Number	USWP1-CS1-S-5PK
Material	Stainless Steel
Color	Brushed Stainless Steel
Finish Type	Brushed
Product Dimensions (W x H x D)	2.76" x 4.53" x 0.18"
Configuration	1 gang
Switch Style	Toggle
Installation Type	Screw-In
Item Weight	9.5 ounces (for 5-pack)
Number Of Pieces	5
Usage	Commercial/Residential
Date First Available	June 20, 2019



Image 6.1: A visual comparison illustrating the dimensions of standard, mid-size, and oversize wall plates, with the BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle plate being a standard size.



Image 6.2: An overview of the BESTTEN Toggle Stainless Steel Wall Plate Series, displaying various gang configurations from 1-gang to 4-gang, all in standard size.

7. Warranty Information

This BESTTEN product comes with a**1-year limited warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage resulting from improper installation, misuse, abuse, accidents, or unauthorized modifications.

For specific details regarding warranty claims or returns, please refer to the seller's return policy or contact customer support.

8. Customer Support

For further assistance, technical support, or inquiries regarding your BESTTEN 1-Gang Toggle Metal Wall Plate, please contact BESTTEN customer service through their official channels. You can often find contact information on the product packaging or by visiting the official BESTTEN store online.

Visit the BESTTEN Store on Amazon for more product information and support resources.

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