



**ATTENTION! Please inspect your vanity top thoroughly to ensure there are no damages or defects PRIOR to installation. Warranty DOES NOT cover costs for installation or removal of product.**

## **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR GRANITE AND MARBLE VANITY TOPS**

### **STEP 1: Vanity Preparation**

Ensure that the vanity base cabinet on which the vanity top is to be placed is level and properly secured to the wall. Your Tuscany® vanity top is made from heavy stone material and requires solid support. If the vanity is of a “frameless” design, it is recommended that additional support be added. Additional wood support should be 1-inch x 1-inch wood sections that run along the top inside edge of the sides and front of the vanity. The wood sections should be affixed to the vanity using construction adhesive and wood screws that do not protrude through any exposed sides.

### **STEP 2: Top Installation**

Apply a thin bead of 100% silicone sealant on the cabinet-top edges. Place the vanity top on the vanity with an overhang of ½-inch on the left and right edges. Allow the sealant to dry per the manufacturer’s instructions.

### **STEP 3: Backsplash and Side Splash Installation**

Be sure the wall is clean, dry and smooth. Repair any holes or uneven sections using a patching compound. Remove loose paint, any wallpaper or decorative material. Apply two (2) beads of caulking or construction adhesive to the rear of the backsplash (and side splash if required) and attach the backsplash by pushing it firmly onto the wall.

### **STEP 4: Faucet and Drain Assembly Installation**

Install the faucet and drain assembly per the manufacturer’s instructions. DO NOT tighten the drain pipe connection to the bottom of the bowl with a wrench as it may result in damage to the bowl. Tighten ONLY by hand.

## **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR VANITY TOPS WITH VESSEL SINKS**

### **STEP 1: Vanity Preparation**

Ensure that the vanity base cabinet on which the vanity top & vessel sink are to be placed are level and properly secured to the wall. Your vanity top is made from heavy stone material and requires solid support. If the vanity is a “frameless” design, it is recommended that additional support be added. Additional wood support should be 1-inch x 1-inch wood sections that run along the top inside edge of the sides and front of the vanity. The wood sections should be affixed to the vanity using construction-grade adhesive and wood screws that do not protrude through any exposed sides.

### **STEP 2: Pre-Drilled Holes**

Your Tuscany vanity top has three pre-drilled faucet holes on the underside of the top. These partially pre-drilled faucet holes are labeled on the topside of the vessel top with YELLOW DOTS as #1 (left faucet placement), #2 (center faucet placement) & #3 (right faucet placement). Determine the location you would like your faucet to be located and proceed to knock out the hole as follows:

- Place a flat head screwdriver or a ¼-inch or smaller chisel directly on the center “X” on the yellow dot and tap with a hammer to remove the granite section,
- Clean away any rough edges with the chisel or screwdriver and verify that your faucet supply lines easily fit through the opening (NOTE: If you are using a wall mount faucet, you will not need to knock out any of the faucet holes and may simply remove the yellow dots).

### **STEP 3: Top Installation**

Apply a thin bead of 100% silicone sealant on the cabinet-top edges. Place the vanity top on the vanity with an overhang of ½-inch on the left and right edges. Allow the sealant to dry per the manufacturer’s instructions.

### **STEP 4: Faucet and Drain Assembly Installation**

Install the faucet and drain assembly per the manufacturer’s instructions.

**Note: Side splash, faucet and drain assembly are NOT included.**

## CARE AND MAINTENANCE FOR GRANITE AND MARBLE VANITY TOPS

Your new natural granite or marble vanity top has been factory polished to a smooth finish and has had the initial protective sealant applied. To properly maintain the surface, the following procedures are recommended:

- Reseal your vanity top no less than one time per year. Before applying the sealant, all exposed areas should be completely clean and dry. A high-quality stone sealant is available for purchase at your local Menard's store. Follow the instructions on the sealant container;
- For routine maintenance and cleaning, you may wipe off and clean your vanity top with soap and water. Once per week, or as needed with a heavier use, use a stone spray cleaner or polish, either of which are available from your local Menard's store. Follow the instructions on the stone cleaner or polish container;
- Place protective pads on the bottoms of any heavy objects such as pottery, vases, appliances or other objects that may scratch the stone surface;
- Liquid spills, such as alcohol, medications, etc., should be cleaned promptly. Some liquids with high-acid content can etch the stone surfaces if left for any length of time. Common products that should be promptly cleaned are: shaving cream, toothpaste, perfume, cologne, nail polish, nail polish remover, hair coloring or perm products, shampoo, drain opener and toilet bowl cleaner;
- Avoid using abrasive cleaners or rough cleaning pads. If necessary, a soft buffing pad can be used to remove stubborn materials that may have become affixed to the top;
- Use coasters under drinking glasses to prevent rings on the surface; and
- Do not stand or place extremely heavy objects on the top.

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