



Installation Instructions

AQ-5200 & AQ-5300 Under Counter Water Filter
Two Stage (5200), Three Stage (5300) systems

Welcome to the Aquasana experience. You are about to enjoy clean, healthy water and the peace of mind that comes from knowing award-winning filter technology is working for you.



Chrome

Brushed Nickel

Oil-Rubbed Bronze

The AQ-5200/5300 comes in three designer finishes, Chrome, Brushed Nickel and Oil-Rubbed Bronze.

The faucet may be mounted on the sink using an existing hole for a sprayer nozzle or soap dispenser, or by drilling a hole at least 1/2" in diameter. Be sure the location of the faucet allows the spout to extend slightly past the edge of the sink. Note: we recommend enlisting the services of an approved or certified professional if drilling is required.

Contents

The AQ-5300

Three Stage Under Counter Filter unit and three pre-installed filters.



The AQ-5200

Two Stage Under Counter Filter unit and two pre-installed filters.



Preparing for Installation

Please read entire installation guide before installing the filter system.

Tools Recommended for Installation

- Variable speed drill
- Adjustable wrench
- Measuring tape
- Bucket
- Phillips head screwdriver

Before beginning installation, please ensure all parts listed are present. If any part is missing or damaged, do not attempt to install the filter. Please contact Customer Service for replacement parts at (866) 662-6885.

Estimated Installation Time: 45 minutes

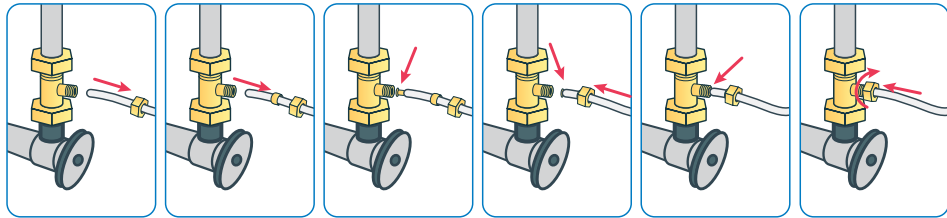
Easy to install



1. Unpack and unwrap contents. Turn off and disconnect the cold water supply.



2. Brass Tee Installation: Attach threaded ends of supplied brass tee to the cold water supply line and shut-off valve; tighten using an adjustable wrench.



3. Attach white tube to the brass tee: Slide the compression nut onto the white tubing (with threads of the nut facing the end of the white tube). Next, slide the plastic sleeve onto the white tube. Place brass insert into the opening of white tube. Push the tip of the white tubing into the opening of the brass tee. While holding the white tube in place inside the brass tee, tighten the compression nut to compress the plastic sleeve and create a seal. NOTE: Use a wrench to ensure complete seal. Avoid over tightening.



4. Unit installation: Select a space under your sink for the filter unit that is at least 12 inches from the bottom of your cabinet and allows for easy access to your cold water supply and for filter replacements. Use a pencil to mark wall screw placements.

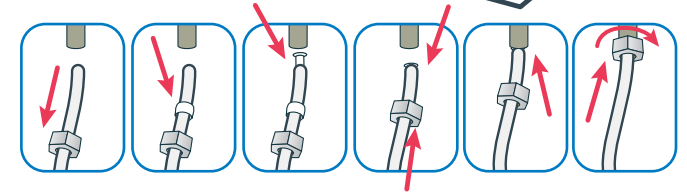
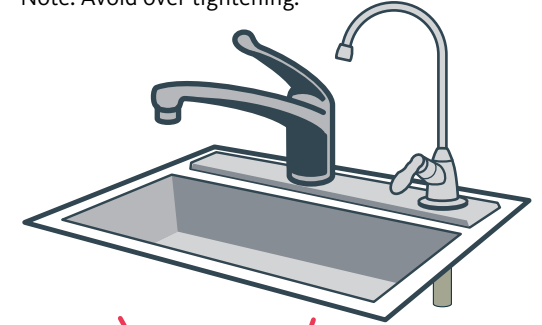


5. Mount unit to the wall with the screws and plastic anchors provided. Pull the protective plastic strip from the battery compartment. The red LED should flash and beep five (5) times to indicate that the battery is installed correctly.

6. Faucet Installation: Install as shown. Tighten nut to secure faucet to sink.



7. Faucet Connection: connect the outlet hose to the base of the faucet by sliding the chrome nut onto the tube followed by the white collar. Place the white insert into the end of the tube. Press the tube against the faucet base and slide the nut and collar up to the threads. Use wrench to ensure seal is sufficiently tight. Note: Avoid over tightening.



8. Connect the supply lines: push the tubing into the inlet side and outlet side of the housing. The tee fitting tube goes to the inlet and the faucet tube goes to the outlet.



9. Turn the cold water on. Check for leaks and proper installation: place a towel under the filter unit and check for leaks. Allow water to run for 10 minutes to flush carbon fines. Note: Never use oils to lubricate the O-rings; O-rings come pre-lubricated.



Enjoy your filtered water!

Care and Maintenance

To clean your filter unit, wipe down the exterior with a damp cloth.

Once filters are at 95% capacity (about every 6 months), the battery alarm will sound and flash red when water is flowing and will continue for 15 seconds once water is turned off. Change the battery every time you replace your filters. The battery is included with the filter replacement cartridges.

Pure Satisfaction

All Aquasana products offer a 90-day 100% satisfaction guarantee. (A 1-year warranty is included, which covers defects in materials and workmanship.) If for any reason you are not satisfied with your purchase, simply call us or the dealer you purchased from. A Return Authorization Code and a full refund will be promptly issued upon return. Thank you for choosing Aquasana!

This filter system is designed and tested for use with genuine Aquasana parts, including replacement filters and all hardware except for the actual faucet. Use of parts from other manufacturers may result in loss of contaminant reduction performance, system damage or failure. Use of parts from other manufacturers (besides the faucet) will also void your warranty. Please visit www.aquasana.com for all replacement parts.

Precautions:

- Aquasana is not liable for consequential or incidental damages due to improper installation.
- Filter is only to be used with cold water.
- If you experience a leak at the hose connection, disconnect and re-seat the hose.

Model: AQ-5200/5300

Replacement cartridge: AQ-5200R/AQ-5300R

Rated service flow: 0.5 gpm

Max capacity: AQ-5200 500 gal/AQ-5300 600 gal

Min working pressure: 20 psi (1.40 kg/cm²)

Max working pressure: 80 psi (5.62 kg/cm²)

Min operating temperature: 40° F (4.44° C)

Max operating temperature: 90° F (32.22° C)

Do not use with water that is microbiologically unsafe or of unknown water quality without adequate disinfection before or after the system. Systems certified for cyst reduction may be used on disinfected waters that may contain filterable cysts.



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