

# GRANITE SOLUTIONS INSTALLATION WITH AN UNDERMOUNT SINK

The versatility of the Granite Solutions™ Modular-Slab System makes installation simple and straightforward, regardless of the sink style chosen: standard/drop-in, tile-in, raised edge, undermount, or apron front. As undermount sinks leave exposed granite edges, additional polishing is necessary. This can be done do-it-yourself or with the service of a granite craftsman.



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|  | <p>1</p> <p>On the substrate, usually ¾ inch plywood, mark the sink cut out using the template provided.</p>   |  | <p>2</p> <p>Porcelain sinks mount flush with the granite.</p>  |
|  | <p>3</p> <p>Stainless sinks mount into the plywood as shown.</p>   |  | <p>4</p> <p>Dry lay components for counter and sink area. Draw a rough sketch for the cut out on the granite components.</p>   |
|  | <p>5</p> <p>Use a wet saw to rough cut components close to template markings. If needed, use the granite hole cutter for the faucet.</p>   |  | <p>6</p> <p>Using a hand grinder with diamond blade, shape the granite to the template mark.</p>   |
|  | <p>7</p> <p>Use full set of polishing pads; start at 50, move to 100, then 200, 400, 800, 1500, and finally 3,000 to finish polishing edge of the cut component. For best results, wet stone before polishing at each stage.</p> |  | <p>8</p> <p>Dry lay each cut, shaped and polished component to check for proper fit and alignment. Redo if necessary for best fit.</p>   |
|  | <p>9</p> <p>Waterproof the deck.</p>   |  | <p>10</p> <p>Install with quick setting modified thin set or Granite Mortar Mix with heavy gauge trowel. Let set and then grout and seal according to Benissimo Recommended Installation Instructions. Caulk between granite and sink.</p> |