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# **HOXTON 2.0**

Floor Standing Bath Shower Mixer



#### PRODUCT CODES:

HOX416Fx



### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION BEFORE YOU START**

# Please read carefully and keep this information for further reference.

All products manufactured and supplied by Bathroom Brands are safe provided they are installed, used correctly and receive regular maintenance in accordance with these instructions. If you are in any doubt about your ability to install this product safely you must employ the services of an experienced qualified plumber. These fittings need to be installed in accordance with, and meet the requirements of the Water Supply (Water Fittings) Regulations 1999 and Scottish Byelaws 2004.

Operating pressure range: Minimum 0.5 bar, Maximum 5.0 bar. Maximum static pressure: 10.0 bar.

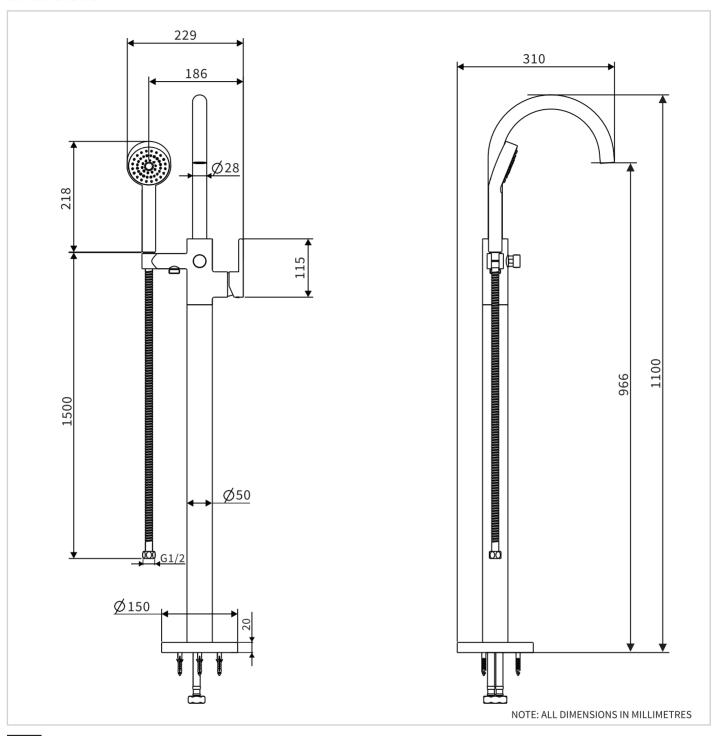
Note: Nominally equal (balanced) inlet supply pressures are recommended for optimum performance with mixer taps.

Designed to comply with BS EN 817 for single lever mixers, for water systems of type 2 general technical specifications and to be used within systems designed to BS 6700. BS 6700 recommends the temperature of stored water should never exceed 65°C.

A stored water temperature of 60°C is considered sufficient to meet all normal requirements and will minimise the build up of lime scale in hard water areas. If the fitting is installed at low pressure (tank fed), then the minimum distance from the highest installed position of the outlet to the underside of the cold tank should be at least 2 metres to ensure adequate performance.

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# **DIMENSIONS**





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These taps and mixers should be installed in compliance with the Water Regulations.

Where the supplies are unbalanced, i.e. Hot water from cylinder tank / cold from the mains, approved check valves must be fitted in the supply pipes.

For further details contact your Local Water Authority.

#### **BEFORE YOU START**

#### **Important-Pre-Installation Notes**

Remove all packaging and check the fitting for damage before starting installation.

**Warning:** Before starting any installation please consider the following: before drilling into walls, check that there are no hidden electrical wires, cables or wate supply pipes. This can be checked with the aid of an electronic detector.

If power tools are used do not forget to: -Wear eye protection Unplug equipment after use

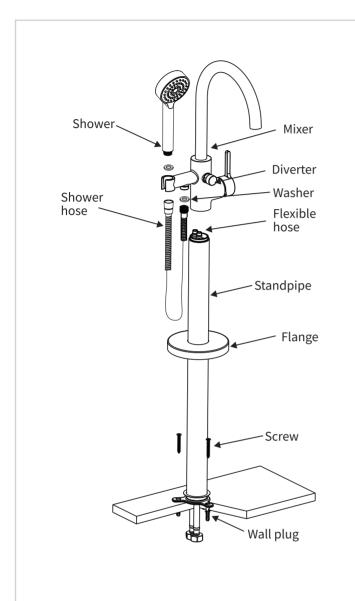
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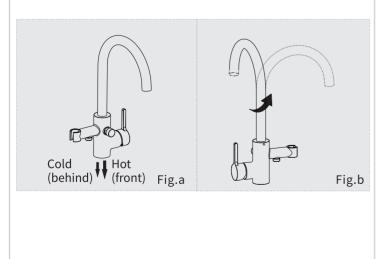
Remember to turn off the mains water supply before connecting to any existing pipe work. Fitting isolating valves to the inlet feeds is recommended for ease of maintenance.

**Warning:** Before installing the new fitting it is essential that you thoroughly flush through the pipework in order to remove any remaining swarf, solder, etc. Failure to carry out this procedure could cause problems or damage to the workings of the fitting.

Take care when handling the 'flexible connecting pipes', do not bend, twist or crush them. Only tighten the pipes by hand. Do not crush or kink the shower hose, this could damage the hose and cause leaks.

#### **INSTALLATION**





First shut off your water heating system, then with your mains stop cock closed, open the lowest cold and hot taps in the house and allow to run until the cold storage tank and pipes are empty (the hot storage cylinder always remains full). Fitting isolating valve to inlet feeds is recommended for ease of maintenance.

#### **INSTALLATION**

Note: Remember to turn off mains water supply before connecting to any existing pipe work.

- Drill a hole min 57mm diameter-max 65mm diameter in the floor.
- Place the flange over the standpipe and then place it to the base.
- Put flexible hoses up through the standpipe and then attach the flexible hoses to the mixer. Please note not to reverse the cold and hot supply. Please see <figure a> for reference.
- Attach the mixer to the standpipe.
- Locate the assembly on the desired location with the flexible hoses through the prepared hole. Connect the flexible hoses to water supplies. Then holding the flange. Secure the standpipe.

**NOTE:** If mounting into wooden floor, secure the standpipe using screws only (wall plugs are not needed). If mounting into solid floor, drill suitable sized holes for wall plugs first, then insert wall plugs in the floor and finally secure the standpipe using screws. Where required ensure correct plugs for your floor type are used.

- Loosen the grub screw at the back of mixer body, place the spout of mixer toward front and in the middle and then use the hex key supplied to tighten it. Please see <figure b> for reference. Please note the spout can not to swivel after tighten the screw.
- Insert a washer into each end of the shower hose and then screw it to the shower and mixer.
- Push the diverter to operate the shower.

# **Operations**

Push the diverter to operate the shower and it can be locked by turning an angle.

#### **ATTENTION**

Having first checked all new connections, turn on the mains stop cock, close all taps except the new mixer and as the system starts to refill check for leaks. Once you have satisfied yourself that there are no leaks, switch on the water heating.

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#### **CARE & MAINTENANCE**

#### **CLEANING THE CARTRIDGE**

The concealed cartridge should give trouble free service, but in the event of any problems, servicing is straight forward. To remove the cartridge:

Pull off the cap and then use a suitable hex key (not supplied) to loosen the grub screw, but do not remove it. Pull off the handle and unscrew the cover. Remove the retaining nut using an adjustable spanner (not supplied). Take the cartridge out and wash it with clean running Water. Make sure any trapped debris has been removed. Dry and lightly grease the seal (bottom of cartridge, only use silicone grease). Refit the cartridge followed by the retaining nut, cover and

#### **CLEANING THE PRODUCT**

handle.

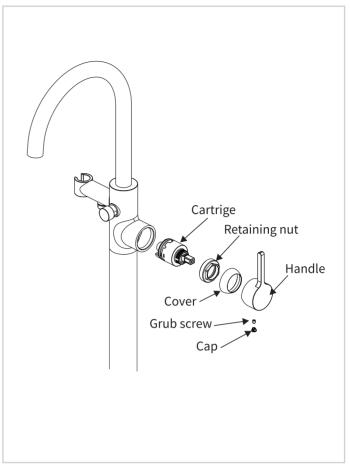
The material we use in our taps is very durable, nevertheless care should be taken when cleaning them. They should be cleaned only with warm soapy water followed by rinsing with clean water and drying with a soft cloth. All finishes are vulnerable to acid attack and some strong substances such as household cleaners, disinfectants, denture cleaners, hairdyes, wine making, and photographic chemicals can cause the surface to go black or peel.

Note: Never use abrasive detergents or disinfectants or those containing alcohol, hydrochloric acid or phosphoric acid.

#### **CLEANING THE AERATOR**

<u>Before use:</u> Unscrew the aerator and allow the water to run freely until all debris is removed. Screw the aerator back into the spout once all impurities have been flushed from the water supply.

<u>Periodically</u>: Using the key provided in the box, unscrew the aerator from the spout and rinse with clean running water. Once all loose debris and dirt has been cleared, replace the aerator into the spout and tighten with the key provided.











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