

EuroCucina 2018: Franke Box Center makes cooking easy

Sink and kitchen accessories as a single unit

Franke shows precisely how to perfect kitchen processes further with its new "Box Center" at this year's EuroCucina. The most important kitchen accessories thus become part of the sink unit – making them easily accessible, all the time.

Every action is effective in a well-organized kitchen. The same applies to Franke: The more kitchen components are tailored to one another, the more seamlessly everyday processes can proceed. And the more convenience they offer, the more pleasant kitchen work becomes. The new Box Center takes up this approach and perfects it in the sink area. As a result, the most important kitchen accessories needed to prepare meals – knives, cutting board, and colander – are combined, in a single compact unit, that is always in easy reach.

At just 86 x 51 cm, the Box Center is an extremely compact solution. It fits in all traditional 90 cm floor cabinets and can be readily retrofitted. And this is how it's designed: Next to the sink, there is a second basin with a drain, equipped with a covering frame. In "Night mode", the covering frame can be used to hold kitchen accessories inserted vertically. These include a plastic cutting board and another made of wood, a wooden knife block with three slots, and a stainless steel colander. A further cutlery draining rack underneath the covering frame stabilizes and guides the accessories into "Night mode".

In "Day mode", all kitchen aids can be pulled out as required, whereby the knife block stands alone with the help of a cross bar affixed to the underside. A patented push button next to the Box Center on the tap strip makes it possible to drain water from the sink without getting your hands wet.

The position of the tap and the push button can be decided at the time of installation. Installation is particularly quick and easy, thanks to the patented "Fast Fix" fastening as well as the "SlimTop" and "Flush-mounted" installation versions.

The Box Center is the perfect solution for those who truly value seamless work processes in the kitchen – from the preparation to the cooking itself and all the way to cleaning up afterwards. And when you're not cooking, everything is stored away safely, hygienically and out of sight.

The Box Center will be demonstrated in the show kitchen at EuroCucina 2018.

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With the Franke Box Center, in the future every action will have a definite effect – in "Night mode" the accessories are stored tidily away in the floor cabinet and only the knife handles are still visible.



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In Day mode, the exact accessories required at any individual moment are pulled out of the box. All other kitchen aids remain tidily stowed away.



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Accessories include an autonomous knife block for three knives along with cutting boards made of plastic and wood, in addition to a sifter made of stainless steel.

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