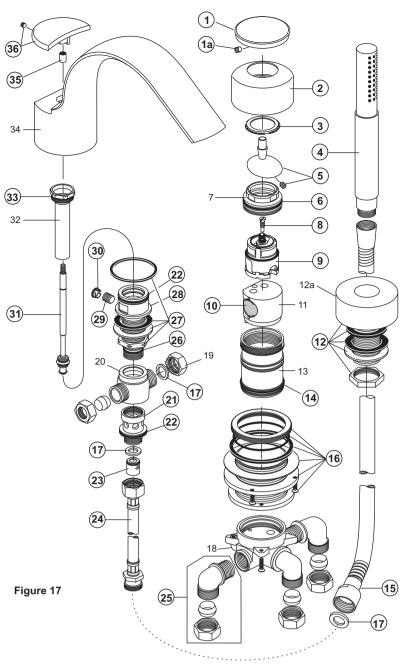
#### A3669 Artefact Three Hole Bath/Shower Mixer



#### Description Ref

- Artefact handle disc
- Handle disc screw M5 x 6 1a
- 2 Artefact shroud
- 3 Handle lever seal Artefact handspray 4
- 5 Artefact handle lever
- O-Ring Seal JS cartridge 6
- 8 Cartridge screw
- 9 Cartridge MP40HF joystick
- Cartridge adapter 10
- 12 Resting station
- Resting station trim 12a
- Upper body seal
- 15 Flexible shower hose pull out
- 16 Valve body fixing kit
- 17 Flexible shower hose seal
- 22 Divertor seal lower inner body
- 23 Check valve
- 24 Flexible - Divertor to shower hose
- 25 Inlet elbows G½ x 15mm
- 26 Divertor seal - upper to lower
- 27 Divertor body fixing kit
- 29 Grub screw - Spout fixing
- 30 Cover cap - Spout fixing
- 31 Divertor rod complete
- 33 Divertor upper sleeve seal Diverter handle connector
- 36 Divertor handle

#### **SAFETY FOR THE USER**

The fittings are not thermostatically controlled and outlet temperatures depend on the position of the control handle, the hot and cold temperatures & pressures. If cold water supply fails for any reason, only hot water at it's maximum temperature will be delivered.

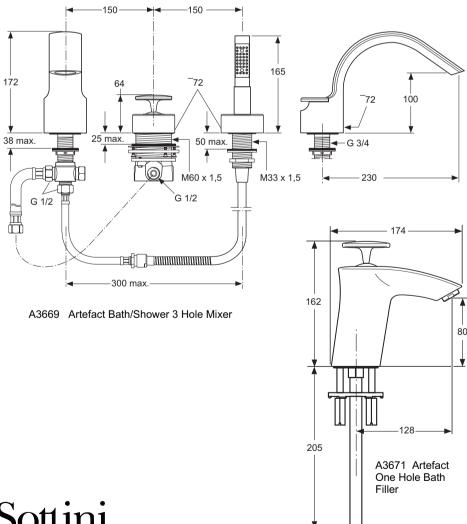
Before using the handspray check that the temperature of the mixed water is satisfactory.

Young children, the elderly and infirm should be supervised when using the bath or handspray.

#### **CLEANING**

When cleaning the fittings always use soap based cleaners.

Never use abrasive or scouring powders and never use cleaners containing alcohol, ammonia, nitric acid, phosphoric acid or disinfectants.



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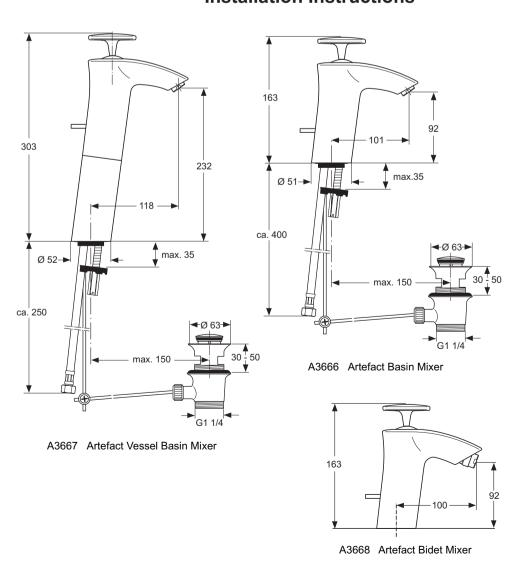
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# **ARTEFACT**

Joystick lever bathroom fittings

## **Installation Instructions**



### **INSTALLER:**

After installation please pass this instruction booklet to the user

**FIXATION - ONE HOLE FITTINGS** 

The fittings covered by this installation and maintenance instruction should be installed in accordance with the water regulations published in 1999\*, therefore Sottini would strongly recommend that these fittings are installed by a professional installer

\*A guide to the Water Supply (Water Fittings) Regulations 1999 and the Water Byelaws 2000, Scotland is published by WRAS (Water Regulations Advisory Scheme) Fern Close, Pen-y-Fan Industrial Estate, Oakdale, Newport, NP11 3EH. ISBN 0-9539708-0-9

#### **RANGE**

The following fittings are covered by this instruction sheet

A3666AA Artefact Basin Mixer
A3667AA Artefact Vessel Basin Mixer
A3668AA Artefact Bidet Mixer

A3669AA Artefact Bath/Shower 3 Hole Mixer A3671AA Artefact One Hole Bath Filler

#### **WATER SUPPLIES**

All Artefact fittings are designed for use on systems where the water pressure is a minimum of 0.1 bar with the exception of the 3 Hole Bath Shower Mixer A3669 which requires a minimum pressure of 0.5 bar. They are suitable for use up to a pressure of 5.0 bar.

At pressures above 2.0 bar it may be found desirable to replace the flow straighteners with Neopearl aerator/flow restrictors (not possible on 3 hole bath mixer). These are not supplied but can be obtained by contacting the customer care team (see section 11) quoting the following reference numbers:

A960018AA Basin and Bidet

A960309AA One hole bath fitting

It is recommended that the hot and cold supply pressures are reasonably balanced and from a common source.

#### **CONNECTIONS**

All Artefact fittings follow the convention of hot connection on the left and cold on the right.

The connections to the basin and bidet fittings are by 10mm rigid copper tails.

The one hole bath filler has 15mm rigid copper tails. A 48mm hole will have to be cut in the bath to accommodate it. Care should be exercised locating it. It is frequently not possible to place this bath filler adjacent to the overflow as some tap ledges are too narrow to accommodate both. Often the front tap ledge corner is found to be a suitable location.

Connections to the 3 hole bath fitting are  $G\frac{1}{2}$  female. Elbows converting this to 15mm compression are provided. These should be fitted using traditional methods. Two 35mm and one 60mm holes will have to be cut in the bath tub.

Again the installer should ensure there is no conflict between elements of the fitting and the pop-up waste mechanism before cutting the holes.

#### ONE HOLE BASIN AND BIDET

All the one hole basin, vessel basin and bidet fittings are secured by clamping a retaining plate and gasket against the underside of the tap deck using a fixation sleeve nut as illustrated in Figure1

Care should be taken to ensure the sealing washer is seated correctly on top of the tap ledge

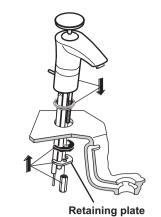


Figure 1

#### ONE HOLE BATH FILLER

The one hole bath filler is secured by two sleeve nuts which hold the retaining plate and gasket against the underside of the bath. The fitting can be positioned anywhere there is space on the tap ledge, but before cutting the 48mm hole it is strongly recommended that the positioning be checked to ensure there is enough space to accommodate the tails, connections and the retaining plate. See Figure 2

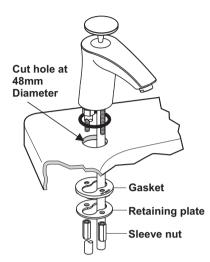
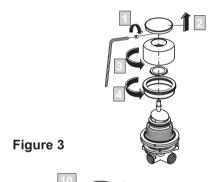
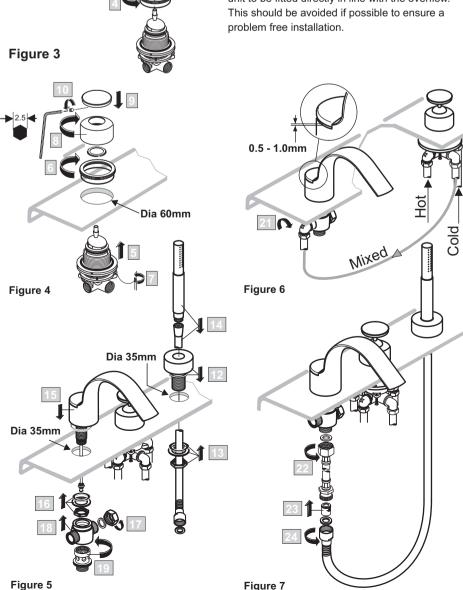


Figure 2

## ASSEMBLY - 3 HOLE BATH SHOWER MIXER



**NOTE:** Because the individual parts of this valve are connected by the installer, there is freedom as to where on the bath they are positioned. When making this decision it should be remembered that only certain baths will permit the spout/diverter unit to be fitted directly in line with the overflow. This should be avoided if possible to ensure a problem free installation.



## 5 BACKFLOW PREVENTION

When fitted on standard basins, bidets and bath tubs the dimensions of the fittings are such that a suitable back flow protection air gap will always be present.

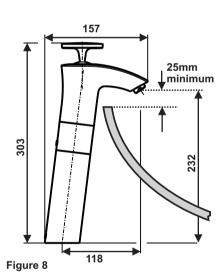
However, this is not necessarily the case when fitting the Basin Vessel Mixer. The user is advised to select the basin vessel carefully to ensure a suitable air gap will exist.

See Figure 8

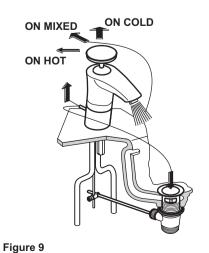
If the air gap is less than 25mm the mixer should be installed with double check valve protection on both hot and cold supplies.

For bath shower mixers the requirements are quite involved as they must take account of the possibility of the shower spray head being placed inside an adjacent appliance such as a WC.

Details of these requirements are published on leaflet E965049 which is packed with the bath shower mixer.



### OPERATION



All Artefact fittings employ a single vertical Joy Stick type lever.

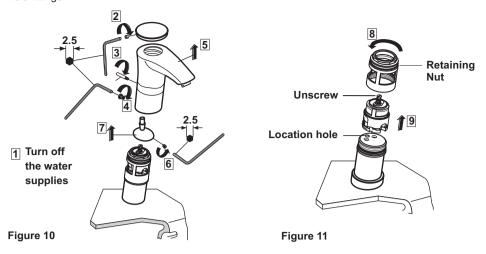
Pushing this away from the user turns it on and further away movement increases the flow.

Pushing it to the left increases the temperature while movement to the right reduces the temperature.
See Figure 9

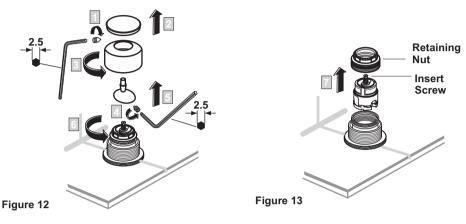
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## REPLACEMENT OF CARTRIDGE

Figures 10 and 11 show the step by step procedure for the removal of the cartridge from the one hole fittings.



Figures 12 and 13 show the three hole bath fitting.



Undo the components in the order indicated and reassemble in reverse order.

When fitting the new cartridge care must be exercised to ensure the plastic location pin on the cartridge base engages in the location hole inside the fitting body and not into one of the water

When tightening the retaining nut which both locates and seals the cartridge, care should be taken not to over-tighten . The ideal torque is 4 Nm. This is only a little more than hand tight - indeed it is possible to tighten the nut sufficiently wearing stout gloves. If over-tightened the cartridge will be stiff to operate and will have a limited life.

Note: The bath cartridges, although they look similar to the basin cartridges are constructed to give a higher flow rate and are therefore different.

## **SPARE PARTS - ONE HOLE BATH FILLER**

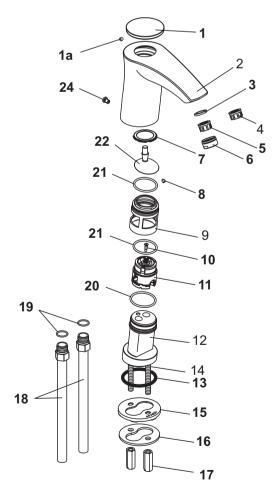


Figure 15 A3671 Artefact One Hole Bath Filler

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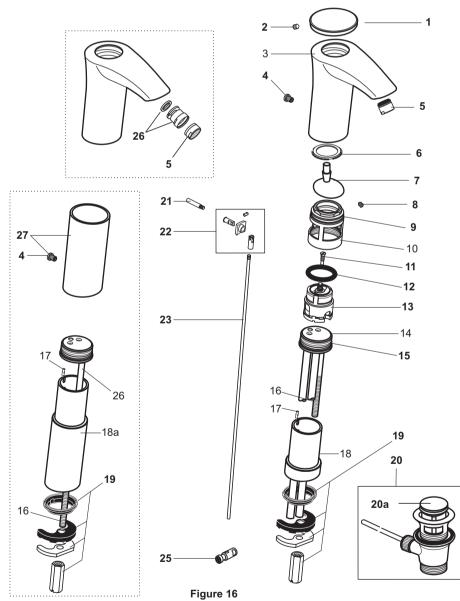
- Handle disc
- Handle disc screw M5 x 6 1a
- 2 Body cover
- 3 Rubber washer
- 4 Flow straightener
- 5 Aerator
- 6 Flow straightener bezel M24
- 7 Lever seal ring
- 8 Grub screw M5 x 6
- 9 Fixation ring Ni plated
- Cartridge screw M4 10
- Cartridge MP40HF joystick 11 Base piece 12
- Deck seal 50.39 x 3.53 13
- 14 Fixing studs M8
- Rubber gasket
- 15
- 16 Fixing kit
- Fixation nuts M8 17
- Inlet tails 15mm copper 18 Inlet tail seals 15.6 x 1.78 19
- 20 Inner base seal 37.77 x 2.62
- 21 Cartridge top seal 34.59 x 2.62
- 22 Handle lever
- 24 Set screw M6 chrome

## REPLACEMENT OF SHOWER HOSE

12a To replace the shower hose unscrew the escutcheon 12a. Pull the shower hose up until the braided flexible appears. Jam the braided flexible so that if can't fall back through the hole. Unscrew the shower hose and replace with a new one. Test that the joint is watertight before replacing the joined flexibles under the bath. Replace escutcheon. Figure 14

## **SPARE PARTS - ONE HOLE BASIN & BIDET**

A3666 Artefact Basin Mixer A3667 Artefact Vessel Basin Mixer A3668 Artefact Bidet Mixer



#### Ref Description

- Artefact handle disc
- Handle disc screw M5 x 6 2
- 3 Body cover
- Body securing screw 4
- Flow straightener
- Lever seal ring 6
- Artefact handle lever
- 8 Grub screw
- 9 O-Ring
- Artefact cartridge securing nut 10
- Screw for cartridge spindle 11
- O-Ring seal JS cartridge Cartridge MP40 joystick

- Ref Description
- Cartridge adapter O-ring 15
- 16 Fixing stud
- 17 Location key
- 18 Base piece
- Base piece (vessel)
- 18a Fixing kit 19
- 20 Pop-up waste
- Pop-up plug 20a
- 21 Pop-up handle
- Pop-up handle mounting assembly 22
- Pop-up rod 23
- 25 Pop-up rod clamp
- 26 Bidet swivel 27 Extension tube (vessel)