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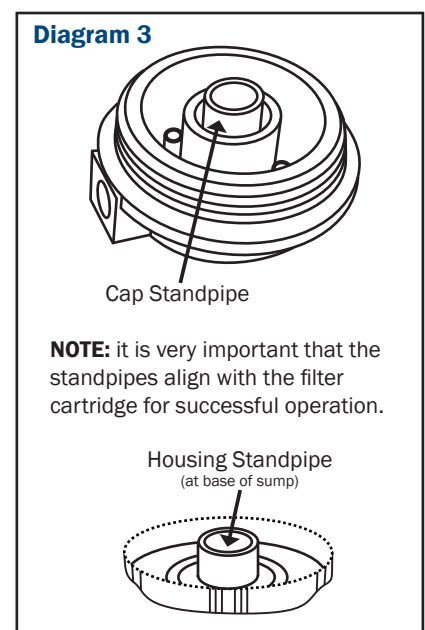
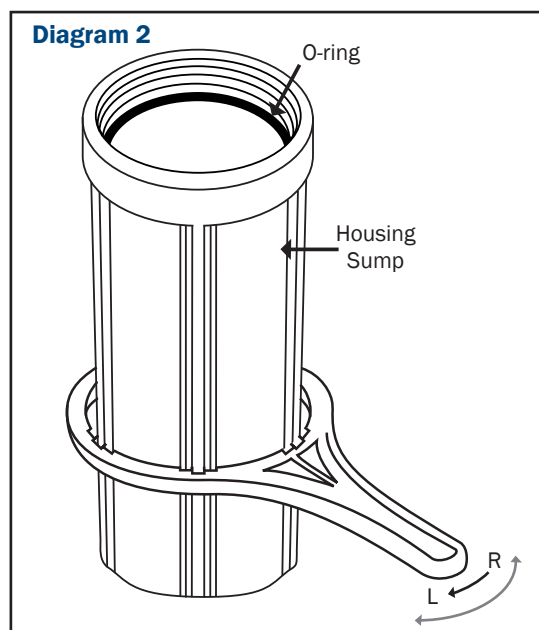
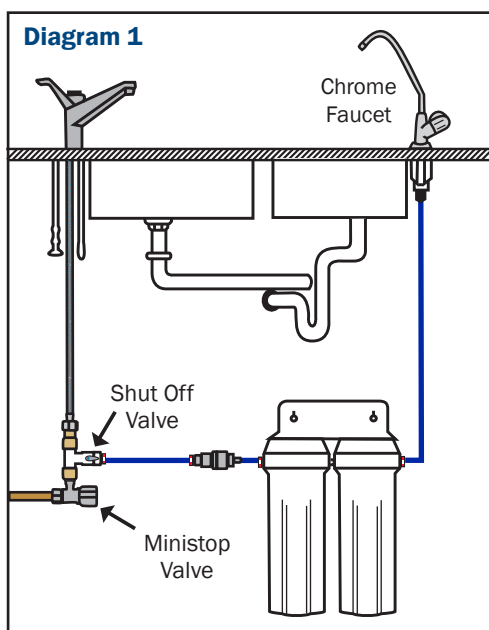
- 1 **IMPORTANT:** Turn off the ministop valve under the sink before beginning to service the filter.
- 2 To release pressure from the system, turn on or open your pure water faucet on the benchtop.

NOTE: If no water comes out - the correct valve has been closed.
- 3 Using the plastic housing spanner provided, unscrew the filter housing by turning it from right to left. Hold the housing upright to avoid spilling water. (See **Diagram 2**).
- 4 If you have a Royal Doulton Ceramic Sterasyl® cartridge as a pre-filter, remove it from the filter housing and under cold running water, scrub it with a clean Scotch-Brite® pad or a kitchen brush (that has not been in contact with food). Remove the other used **cartridge and discard**. Rinse out the housing and fill each sump with about 1/3 of water. Add about 2 or 3 tablespoons of bleach or a sterilizer of your choice and scrub it thoroughly with a brush or sponge. Rinse thoroughly with water.

NOTE: We recommend replacing your Doulton Ceramic cartridge every 2 years and the Carbon Block cartridge once a year (dependant on water quality and usage).
- 5 Remove the O-ring from the housing sump and wipe it clean. Lightly lubricate the O-ring with a coating of silicone grease or olive oil. Put the O-ring back in place and press it down into the groove. (See **Diagram 2**).

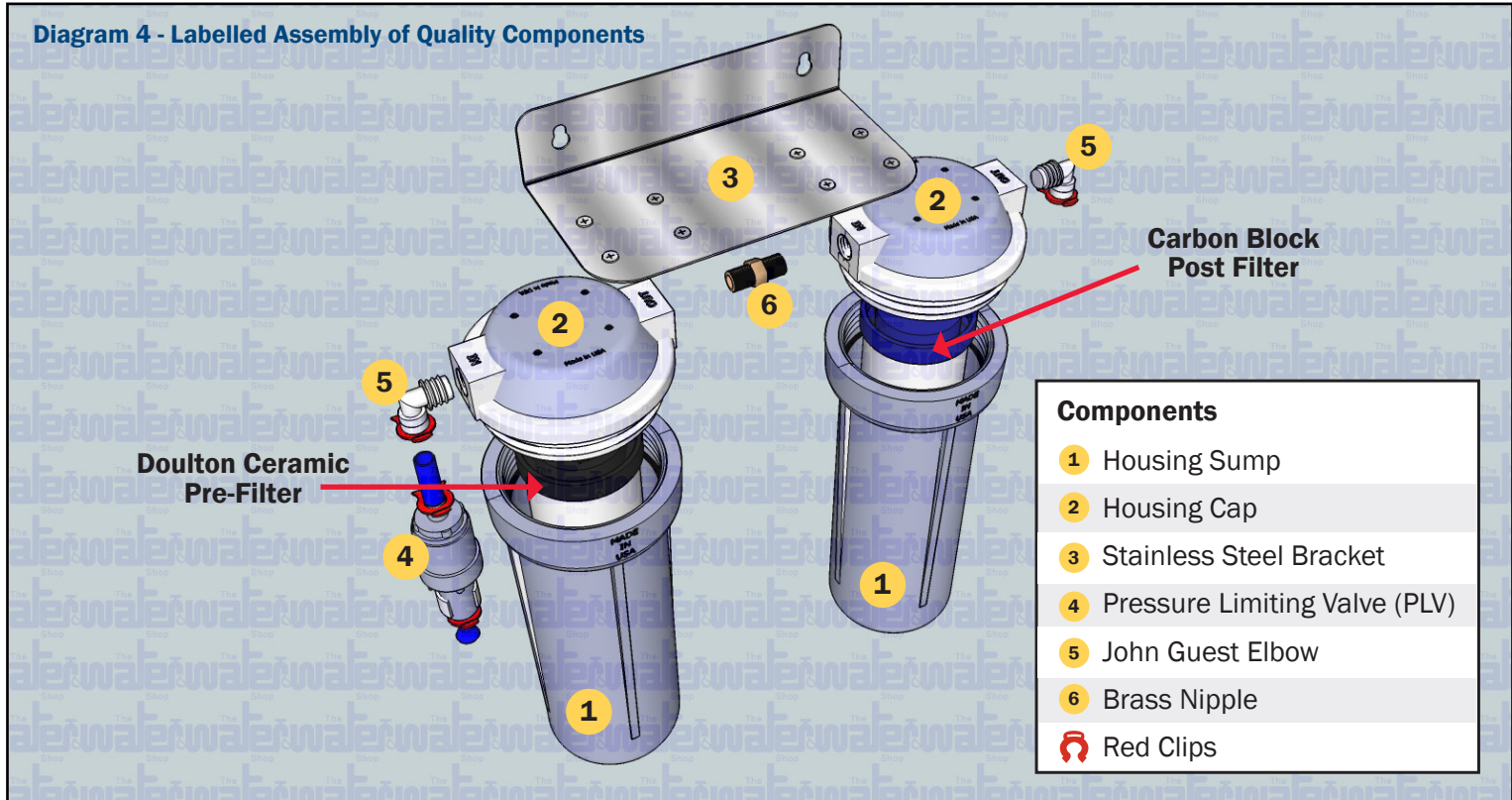
NOTE: It is common for the O-ring to lift out of the housing and stick to the cap. Make sure the O-ring is seated level in the groove, this step is important to ensure proper filter seal.

CAUTION: If the O-ring appears damaged, stretched or crimped it should be replaced at this time. Manufacturers recommend them being replaced every year. Please contact us if you need any replacement parts.
- 6 Remove the new cartridge from the plastic wrapping and insert it into the housing sump making sure that it slips down over the housing sump standpipe (see **Diagram 3**).
- 7 Screw the cap onto the housing sump and hand-tighten. **Do not overtighten**. Make sure the cap standpipe aligns over the cartridge (see **Diagram 3**).
- 8 Dry the hosing and check the connections closely. Slowly turn on the water supply to allow the housing to fill with water. Check for leaks. If no leaks are detected your system is now operational. If leakage occurs recheck all connections. Flush the system with sufficient water to remove any carbon fines before using the water.



Twin Undersink Assembly

Diagram 4 - Labelled Assembly of Quality Components



NOTE: Carbon cartridges may contain a small amount of carbon fines (very fine black powder). Hence a new cartridge, after installation, should be flushed with sufficient water to remove the fines before using the water.

NOTE: The filtered water may appear milky for the first few days. This is only oxygen that is released from the carbon. Its safe to drink and it will be clear in a few days.

Each time you use water from your filtered water tap for drinking or cooking purposes, it is recommended that you run (flush) the tap at least a few seconds prior to using the water. This is particularly important if the water tap is not used daily.

NOTE: This replacement cartridge has a limited service life. Changes in taste, colour and flow of the water being filtered are signals that replacement of the cartridge is or soon may be necessary.

CAUTION: Your filter must be protected against freezing. Failure to do so may result in cracking of the filter housing and water leakage.

CAUTION: All filtration systems contain other components that have a limited service life. Exhaustion of the service life of those components often cannot be easily detected. Commonly, it is only after leakage has been observed or water damage has occurred that one is made aware that the service life has been exhausted.

IMPORTANT NOTE: To prevent costly repairs or possible water damage the USA housing manufacturer strongly recommend that the entire housing be replaced every ten years. If your sump has been in use for more than the recommended period, it should be replaced immediately. Be sure to date any new or replacement housing for future reference and indicate the next recommended replacement date.

To better serve you, The Water Shop records your maintenance details in our customer data base. We offer a complimentary reminder service to make you aware of when your filter and/or cartridges require maintenance.

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