

CLEANING BEER FAUCETS

DISASSEMBLING, CLEANING & REASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

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EXAMPLE: PERLICK FLOW-CONTROL FAUCET

CLEANING YOUR FAUCETS SHOULD BE AS IMPORTANT AS CLEANING YOUR LINES

DISASSEMBLE YOUR BEER FAUCET

- 1. Using your faucet wrench, carefully take off your faucet and soak it in a warm cleaning solution for 15-20 minutes to loosen parts.
- 1. Unscrew and remove (H).
- 2. Unscrew and remove (G).
- 3. Turn (K) to the open position to remove (J).
- 4. Unscrew (L) and remove the flow control assembly.
- 5. Use your Faucet Tool Kit carefully to remove (D).
- 6. Remove (M) from the (A) faucet.
- 7. Pull (E) upward and out. You may have to push back on (E) to remove it.
- 8. Use your Faucet Tool Kit carefully at the end of (A) faucet to remove (C).
- 9. Use your Faucet Tool Kit carefully to remove (B2) from top of (A) faucet.
- 10. Remove the remaining seals: (B1), (F) and check (L) seals and ALL seals for worn marks or cracks
 - Soak ALL parts/seals in a non-caustic or caustic solution(depending on beer stone build-up) for at least 30 mins.
 - Next, soak ALL parts/seals in a High Foaming Sanitizer (no-rinse is preferable) for at least 30 mins.
 - This should be done every 2 weeks

REASSEMBLE YOUR BEER FAUCET

- 1. Use your <u>finger(s)</u> and/or Faucet Tool Kit to re-install (B2) into it's groove.
- 2. Use your finger(s) and/or Faucet Tool Kit to re-install (C) into it's groove.
- 3.Insert (E) back in (A) faucet.
- 4. Re-install (F) and (B1).
- 5. Tighten (G) by hand only and do not over tighten.
- 6.Screw (H) back on (E)
- 7.Insert (M) first and then (J).
- 8. Replace or re-install (D).

CHEMICALS

- Non Caustic Acid Cleaner
- Caustic Acid Cleaner
- High Foaming Sanitizer
- Acids are recommended to descale the lines & faucets of beerstone & biofilms

FAUCET DIAGRAM



- A- FAUCET
- B1 / B2- O-RING
- C- O-RING
- D- COUPLING GASKET
- E- HANDLE LEVER
- F- BEARING CUP
- G- COMPRESSION BONNET
- H- HANDLE JACKET
- J- FLOW CONTROL LEVER ASSEMBLY
- K- LEVER FOR FLOW CONTROL LEVER ASSEMBLY
- L- NUT FOR FLOW CONTROL LEVER ASSEMBLY
- M- COMPENSATOR

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