

## Message: This cabinet already has a fixture or appliance inserted into it.

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The information in this article applies to:



## DESCRIPTION

I would like to add multiple appliances to a cabinet, but when I try to do this a question message asks:

- "#272016900 - This cabinet already has a fixture or appliance inserted into it. Would you like to replace it?"

Why is this happening?

## RESOLUTION

This message may display if you're attempting to insert an appliance on, or in, a cabinet where an appliance already exists. If this message displays, click **Yes** to replace the appliance with the appliance that is selected, or click **No** to cancel the operation.


In Chief Architect Premier, Chief Architect Interiors, and Home Designer Pro, you can


insert multiple appliances into a single cabinet using the Cabinet Specification dialog. Home Designer Architectural and Home Designer Suite, however, will require you to place appliances into separate cabinets and then either place those cabinets side-by-side, or stack them.

To learn more about inserting appliances into cabinets, see the appropriate resource in the [Related Articles](#) section below.

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#### Related Articles

 [Inserting Multiple Appliances in a Single Cabinet in Home Designer Pro](https://www.homedesignersoftware.com/support/article/KB-00063/inserting-multiple-appliances-in-a-single-cabinet-in-home-designer-pro.html)  
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 [Inserting Multiple Appliances into a Single Cabinet](https://www.homedesignersoftware.com/support/article/KB-00059/inserting-multiple-appliances-into-a-single-cabinet.html) (/support/article/KB-00059/inserting-multiple-appliances-into-a-single-cabinet.html)

 [Stacking Appliances in Cabinets](https://www.homedesignersoftware.com/support/article/KB-00141/stacking-appliances-in-cabinets.html)  
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