

Here are just a few water saving products that are available from Reece Plumbing Centres.

inside



outside



Some other great ways to save water around the home.

Front loading washing machines generally use 60% less water than top loading washing machines. Make sure you look for units with at least a 4 star rating.

Sub-surface watering systems are as much as 40% more efficient than sprinkler systems. Timer systems and rainwater sensors can also significantly reduce your water usage.

Using a water tank to capture rainwater for your garden can reduce total water usage by as much as 50%. Most state governments offer significant rebates on your purchase.

For a complete list of water saving products, visit your local Reece store today.

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Reece Smart Water Audit

The ins and outs of saving water around the home.

With widespread water restrictions commonplace across Australia, we all have a responsibility to ensure we use water wisely. Your local licensed plumber can help ensure your house meets current water efficiency guidelines. This audit identifies the points inside and outside the home where you can reduce water usage. Simply by following this checklist, you could lower your household water consumption by as much as 100,000 litres per year, which is great for the environment and will also save you plenty of money.

Audit completed by:

Name _____

Contact Number _____ Date _____



inside the home

outside the home

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 Address _____
 Contact Number _____

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 Address _____
 Contact No. _____ Date _____

<p>1. Are all showers fitted with 9 litre flow restrictors?</p>	<p>3 star rated showerheads are 45% more efficient than conventional units. Each one can save 28,000 litres per year per person.</p>	<p>3 star showers YES/NO</p>	<p>Requirements _____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>2. Are all outlets fitted with 9 litre flow restrictors?</p>	<p>9L flow restrictors or 3 star rated tapware can save up to 10,000 litres of water per year.</p>	<p>3 star outlets YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>3. Is any tapware in the home dripping?</p>	<p>A slow dripping tap can waste as much as 4,000 litres of water per year.</p>	<p>Tapware leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>4. Are there any leaks in the dishwasher or washing machine taps or hoses?</p>	<p>A check valve installed on the washing machine or dishwasher hose can save water if a burst occurs.</p>	<p>Dishwasher/ washing machine leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>5. Does the dishwasher have a pressure limiting valve installed?</p>	<p>A pressure limiting valve will reduce water consumption as well as limit the chances of a burst hose or gasket, helping to prevent water damage in the home.</p>	<p>Pressure limiting valve YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>6. Are any of the toilet cisterns leaking?</p>	<p>A leaking cistern can waste up to 16,000 litres of water per annum.</p>	<p>Toilet cistern leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>7. Do toilets in the house have a 4 star rating with a 4.5/3 litre dual flush?</p>	<p>Each 4.5/3 litre dual flush toilet can save up to 35,000 litres of water for an average household compared to older toilets.</p>	<p>4.5/3 litre dual flush YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>

<p>1. Is the water pressure at the meter set at the correct pressure?</p>	<p>Anything above 500kPa can lead to excess water usage within the home.</p>	<p>Pressure correct YES/NO</p>	<p>Requirements _____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>2. Should a pressure reducing valve be installed?</p>	<p>If excessive pressure is detected, it may be required to correct the problem.</p>	<p>Pressure reducing valve installed YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>3. Is the water meter connection and meter stop free of leaks?</p>	<p>Leaks at the meter often go unnoticed yet are very common. Correcting such a leak can save more than 10,000 litres per year.</p>	<p>Water leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>4. Is there any excess water dripping from the hot water unit and relief valve?</p>	<p>A faulty pressure valve can waste up to 4,000 litres per year.</p>	<p>Water leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>5. Are all outdoor hoses and taps free of drips and leaks?</p>	<p>A dripping tap can waste up to 4,000 litres of water per year.</p>	<p>Hose and tap leaks YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>6. Are all hoses fitted with trigger nozzles?</p>	<p>Using a trigger nozzle attached to a hose can save water used in your garden.</p>	<p>Trigger nozzles fitted YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>
<p>7. Do all watering systems have a timer fitted?</p>	<p>An automatic timer can help you water your garden more efficiently, saving water.</p>	<p>Timer fitted YES/NO</p>	<p>_____ _____ _____ _____</p>

<p>Meter pressure correct <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Pressure reducing valve <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Water meter leaks <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Hot water unit leaks <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Outdoor taps/hose leaks <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Trigger nozzles <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Timers fitted <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>