



High-Efficiency and High Performance Toilets

The performance and quality of high-efficiency toilets has come a long way since they were first introduced into the marketplace. Today, third-party testing and certification programs provide a trusted tool for ensuring toilet performance. Certification programs such as $MaP^{\mathbb{M}}$ and $WaterSense^{\mathbb{B}}$ can help buyers identify water–efficient toilets that perform to desired standards.

WATERSENSE® CERTIFICATION VERSUS MAP™ TOILET TESTING

WaterSense®-certified toilets save water without sacrificing performance or quality. Certification involves product testing and an assessment of the production and quality management process.*

WaterSense®-certified toilets must meet the following criteria:

- Effective flush volume shall not exceed 4.8 liters (1.28 gallons); and
- Solid waste removal must be 350 grams or more in a single flush.*

The Blue Built Home Water Efficiency and Rebate Program requires the installation of WaterSense[®]-certified toilets with a flush volume of **4.0 litres** (1.06 gallons) **or less**.

Both WaterSense[®] and MaP^{m} programs are voluntary, require independent third-party verification of toilet specifications, and test products for both water efficiency and performance.

MAP™ PREMIUM TOILETS

The Map[™] Premium label identifies products that offer both superior performance and superior efficiency. **All Map**[™] **Premium toilets meet the Blue Built Home requirements.****

All Map[™] Premium residential tank-type toilets meet the following criteria:

- Effective flush volume of 4.0 litres (1.06 gallons) or less;
- Solid waste removal of 600 grams or more in a single flush; and
- Certification to the U.S. EPA WaterSense® specifications.**

For a list of MaP[™] Premium toilets please visit www.map-testing.com





^{*}Source: Environmental Protection Agency, WaterSense, epa.gov/WaterSense

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^{**}Source: MaP Testing website, <u>www.map-testing.com</u>