

Exercise 2: Water Saving Calculation

Group 1

On the Water Saving Worksheet, there is a sample building that is trying to save water. There is a major renovation planned of all bathrooms and kitchens. On the next tab you'll find the existing water fixtures in the building, the annual water usage and cost and the per apartment assumed usage. Calculate savings, payback and try to reduce the per person daily consumption to 40-50 gallons per day by selecting a combination of faucet aerators, showerheads, toilets. Fill in all blue cells. The orange cells contain formulas and will populate when the other cells are completed.

For Your reference:

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GPF= Gallons per flush

GPM= Gallons per minute

HCF= Hundred Cubic Feet of water OR $(\text{Gallons} / 7.481) / 100$

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Building Info		Fixture Info	#	Flow Rate (gpm)	Proposed (gpm)
Total SF	100000	# of Bathroom Sinks	100	2	0.5
# of Units	100	# of Showerheads	100	3.75	1.75
1 BD	50	# of Kitchen Sinks	100	2.5	1.5
2 BD	50	# of Toilets	100	5	1.6
# of Baths	100	Cost*	<i>*Labor is reduced for bundled package</i>		
# of Kitchens	100	Fixture	\$/ fixture	\$/100 Units	
# of People	225	Bathroom Sink	\$20	\$2,000	
Gallons/person/day	92	Kitchen Sink	\$20	\$2,000	
		Shower	\$75	\$7,500	
		Toilet	\$450	\$45,000	
		Total		\$56,500	
Assumptions	<i>*Assumes dishes are hand washed.</i>				
Fixture	# of Uses per Day/ Person	Total Duration (min.)	Flow Rate (gpm)	Total Water Use/ Day/ Person	
Bathroom Sink	4	6	2	12	
Kitchen Sink*	4	15	2.5	37.5	
Shower	1	8	3.75	30	
Toilet	3	1	4	12	
			Total	91.5	

Proposed	<i>*Assumes dishes are hand washed.</i>			
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Bathroom Sink	4	6		0
Kitchen Sink*	4	15		0
Shower	1	8		0
Toilet	3	1		0
			Total	0

Existing Water Usage		Proposed Water Savings	
Daily Water Use (g)	22,000	Daily Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Use (g)	8,030,000	Annual Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Use (HCF)	10,734	Annual Water Savings (HCF)	0
Rate \$/HCF	\$ 5.00	Annual Water Savings (\$)	\$0
Annual Water Bill	\$53,669	Payback (yr)	#DIV/0!

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Group 2

On the Water Saving Worksheet, there is a sample building that is trying to save water. There are no renovations planned. There are 2 packages for improvement. The only difference is one package has a full toilet replacement and the other only calls for replacement of all flappers. Complete all blue cells. Once complete determine which package is better to implement. The orange cells contain formulas and will populate when the other cells are completed.

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Package 1*		*Assumes dishes are hand washed.			Package 1**		
Fixture	# of Uses per Day/ Person	Duration (min.)	Flow Rate (gpm)	Total Water Use/ Day/ Person	Fixture	\$/ fixture	\$/100 Units
Bathroom Sink	4	6	0.5	3	Bathroom Sink	\$20	\$2,000
Kitchen Sink*	4	15	1.75	26.25	Kitchen Sink	\$20	\$2,000
Shower	1	8	1.5	12	Shower	\$75	\$7,500
Replace Flapper	3	1	3	9	Replace Flapper	\$20	\$2,000
			Total	50.25		Total	\$13,500
**Labor is reduced for bundled package							

Package 2*		*Assumes dishes are hand washed.			Package 2**		
Fixture	# of Uses per Day/ Person	Duration (min.)	Flow Rate (gpm)	Total Water Use/ Day/ Person	Fixture	\$/ fixture	\$/100 Units
Bathroom Sink	4	6	0.5	3	Bathroom Sink	\$20	\$2,000
Kitchen Sink*	4	15	1.75	26.25	Kitchen Sink	\$20	\$2,000
Shower	1	8	1.5	12	Shower	\$75	\$7,500
Toilet	3	1	1.28	3.84	Toilet	\$450	\$45,000
			Total	45.09		Total	\$56,500
**Labor is reduced for bundled package							

Package 1 Proposed Water Savings	
Daily Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Savings (HCF)	0.00
Annual Water Savings (\$)	\$0
Payback (yr)	#DIV/0!

Package 2 Proposed Water Savings	
Daily Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Savings (g)	
Annual Water Savings (HCF)	0
Annual Water Savings (\$)	\$0
Payback (yr)	#DIV/0!