

5 WAYS to conserve WATER in the BATHROOM

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When running a bath, **plug the bathtub** before turning on the faucet. Then, adjust the water temperature as the water is running.



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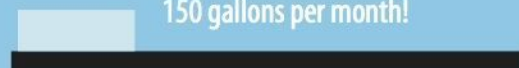
Better yet, take 5-minute showers instead of baths. A full bathtub requires up to **70 gallons of water**. If you keep your shower under 5 minutes long, you'll save up to **1,000 gallons per month**.



Test your toilets for leaks at least once a year – toilet leaks can be silent! A good way to check is by putting **food coloring in your toilet tank** – if it seeps into the bowl without flushing, then there's a leak that needs fixing.

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Turn off the water while brushing your teeth and you can **save up to four gallons per minute**. That equals **200 gallons** per week for a family of four! And turning off the water while washing your hair will save up to 150 gallons per month!



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One drip every second adds up to **five gallons** per day! Check faucets and showerheads for leaks and make sure you **turn them off tightly** after each use. Install aerators and flow reducers in sinks and shower faucets.



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