

CITY OF REDMOND

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Water Meter Size Determination

The mechanical engineer or licensed plumber for the project must assemble the following information and make the calculations <u>prior</u> to making application for building permit on any commercial building from a triplex or larger.

The number of plumbing water supply fixture units from **U.P.C.** <u>Table 6-4</u>, the developed length of water supply pipe from meter to the most remote outlet, elevation gain between the water meter and the highest fixture and pressure at the street main will be needed.

From Table 6-4:	Fixture Units			
# of Fixtures	<u>Fixture Units</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>Public</u>	
_		Total Fixture U	Jnits:	
Size water meter and build	ding supply from UPC <u>Table 6</u>	<u>i-5</u> .		
New or Existing Building:				
City Water Main Pressure:			PSI	
Developed Length of Supply Pipe			FT	
Pressure Drop for Elevation 0.5 PSI x HT=			PSI	
Water Meter Size Options:	5/8" 1" 1½" 2" 3"	<u>4" 6"</u> Ind	ches	
Building Supply Pipe Size			Inches	
Plumbing or Landscaping C	ontractor's Name	CC	CB # or LCB #	
Address:			Phone #	
Signature of Licensed Plu	umber/Landscaper:			
For Landscaping purpo # of Sprinkler heads # of heads per zone	Type of Sprinkler head	ds		
Permit number #				
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	only required for Landscaping	Systems Da	ute	

TABLE 610.3
WATER SUPPLY FIXTURE UNITS (WSFU) AND MINIMUM FIXTURE BRANCH PIPE SIZES³

APPLIANCES, APPURTENANCES OR FIXTURES ²	MINIMUM FIXTURE BRANCH PIPE SIZE ^{1,4} (inches)	PRIVATE	PUBLIC	- ASSEMBLY ⁶
Bathtub or Combination Bath/Shower (fill)	1/2	4.0	4.0	-
¾ inch Bathtub Fill Valve	3/4	10.0	10.0	
Bidet -	1/2	1.0		
Clothes Washer	1/2	4.0	4.0	
Dental Unit, cuspidor	1/2		1.0	
Dishwasher, domestic	1/2	1.5	1.5	
Drinking Fountain or Water Cooler	1/2	0.5	0.5	0.75
Hose Bibb	1/2	2.5	2.5	
Hose Bibb, each additional ⁸	1/2	1.0	1.0	
Lavatory	1/2	1.0	1.0	1.0
Lawn Sprinkler, each head ⁵	_	1.0	1.0	*******
Mobile Home, each (minimum)		12.0	***************************************	
Sinks ,	_			
Bar	1/2	1.0	2.0	
Clinical Faucet	1/2		3.0	440004
Clinical Flushometer Valve with or without faucet	1	*****	8.0	***************************************
Kitchen, domestic with or without dishwasher	1/2	1.5	1.5	
Laundry	1/2	1.5	1.5	
Service or Mop Basin	1/2	1.5	3.0	
Washup, each set of faucets	1/2	_	2.0	-
Shower, per head	1/2	2.0	2.0	
Urinal, 1.0 GPF Flushometer Valve	3/4	See Fo	otnote ⁷	***************************************
Urinal, greater than 1.0 GPF Flushometer Valve	3/4	See Footnote ⁷		
Urinal, flush tank	1/2	2.0	2.0	3.0
Wash Fountain, circular spray	3/4		4.0	
Water Closet, 1.6 GPF Gravity Tank	1/2	2.5	2.5	3.5
Water Closet, 1.6 GPF Flushometer Tank	1/2	2.5	2.5	3.5
Water Closet, 1.6 GPF Flushometer Valve	1	See Footnote ⁷		
Water Closet, greater than 1.6 GPF Gravity Tank	1/2	3.0	5.5	7.0
Water Closet, greater than 1.6 GPF Flushometer Valve	1	See Fo	otnote ⁷	******
For ST units: 1 inch - 25 mm				

For SI units: 1 inch = 25 mm

Notes:

- Size of the cold branch pipe, or both the hot and cold branch pipes.
- ² Appliances, appurtenances, or fixtures not referenced in this table shall be permitted to be sized by reference to fixtures having a similar flow rate and frequency of use.
- 3 The listed fixture unit values represent their load on the cold water building supply. The separate cold water and hot water fixture unit value for fixtures having both hot and cold water connections shall be permitted to be each taken as three-quarter of the listed total value of the fixture.
- ⁴ The listed minimum supply branch pipe sizes for individual fixtures are the nominal (I.D.) pipe size.
- ⁵ For fixtures or supply connections likely to impose continuous flow demands, determine the required flow in gallons per minute (gpm) (L/s), and add it separately to the demand in gpm (L/s) for the distribution system or portions thereof.
- ⁶ Assembly [Public Use].
- Where sizing flushometer systems, see Section 610.10.
- Reduced fixture unit loading for additional hose bibbs is to be used where sizing total building demand and for pipe sizing where more than one hose bibb is supplied by a segment of water distribution pipe. The fixture branch to each hose bibb shall be sized on the basis of 2.5 fixture units.