



DATASHEET for TRADE
Water Consumption Rationalization Certificate



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1. General

Authority:	Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO)
Regulations:	<p>SASO has announced that the mandatory application of the technical regulation No. (MA-156-16-03-06) for water consumption rationalization tools will start on 1st January 2018</p> <p>The regulation determines maximum water flow rate and put classifications of consumption depending on the flow rate. the regulation is applied on both imported and local manufactured products</p> <p>Manufacturers, importers, exporters and freight forwarders are now obliged to label their products in line with the SASO Water Efficiency Labelling programme before they ship, to ensure the goods can clear customs and enter the Saudi market.</p>

2. List of products that require Water Consumption Rationalization Label:

Name of Product	Nominal Flow Rate	Water Efficiency Rate	Standard / Specification
Shower Head and Shower taps / mixer taps	$9.5 \geq Q_{nom} > 8.0$	B	SASO 2655
	$Q_{nom} \leq 8.0$	A	
Taps / mixer taps for public toilets	$1.9 \geq Q_{nom} > 1.7$	B	SASO 2655
	$Q_{nom} \leq 1.7$	A	
Taps / mixer taps for private toilets	$6.0 \geq Q_{nom} > 5.0$	B	SASO 2655
	$Q_{nom} \leq 5.0$	A	
Toilets with dual / single flush system	(single flush) 3.0+0.5 (S trap) 4.0+0.5 (P trap)	A	SASO 1473
	(Dual flush) Max. of The average is 3.0+0.5 as calculated by $(f+(5 \times 1))/6$ (S trap) Max. of The average is 4.0+0.5 as calculated by $(f+(5 \times 1))/6$ (P trap) full flush value shall not exceed 4.8 liters		
Flush system urinal	1.0	B	EN 13407
	0.5 or Waterless	A	
Kitchen taps	$6.0 \geq Q_{nom} > 5.0$	B	SASO 2655
	$Q_{nom} \leq 5.0$	A	
Bidet taps	$6.0 \geq Q_{nom} > 5.0$	B	SASO 2655
	$Q_{nom} \leq 5.0$	A	
Flusher taps / mixer taps	$6.0 \geq Q_{nom} > 5.0$	B	SASO 2655



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3. Documents Required:

- Online application submission to SASO for a specific model that fulfills the required information online. The Applicant verifies that all of the information provided is valid.
- A valid Test Report from an ISO 17025 accredited lab in the water consumption standard
- Manufacturer/ Importer Declaration of Conformity (DOC) (attached)
- Manufacturer /Importer Commercial Registry Certificate
- Manufacturer /Importer Road Map (screenshot of google map)
- Quality Management Certificates if available
- Trademark registration certificate / License

4. How to Apply for a Water Consumption Rationalization Certificate?

Applicants can obtain Water Consumption Rationalization Certificate by applying through Saudi Label & Standard (SLS) website, <https://water.sls.gov.sa/>

QA TECHNIC can apply instead of the client as well.

5. Certificate Validity

The Water Consumption Rationalization Certificate is limited to the scope indicated in it, and may not be used for any other purpose. The validity of the certificate is one calendar year from the date of certificate issuance. The holder of the certificate must apply for the renewal at least 60 days prior to the certificate expiry date, or the application will be considered as new.

6. Fees

Service Description	Fees
Application / Review Fees	500 SAR
Certificate Issuance	500 SAR
Label license	500 SAR
To be paid if QA TECHNIC handled the application and the review of the Documents	2500 SAR

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