

WATER SERVICE PIPE SIZING

PART 9 – RESIDENTIAL

Water service pipe sizes for residential buildings containing one or more dwelling units may be sized using this form. Refer to the Ontario Building Code for additional information.

Part 1 - Hydraulic Load (Fixture Unit) Calculation

Fixture or Device	Minimum Size of Supply Pipe	Hydraulic Load (Fixture Units)	Quantity	Total Hydraulic Load (Fixture Units)
Bathroom Group ^(a)				
Bathroom group ^(a) with 6 LPF flush tank	-	3.6		
Bathroom group ^(a) with greater than 6 LPF flush tank	-	6.0		
(a) Bathroom group means a group of plumbin	ng fixtures installed in the same	e room, consisting of one lav	atory, one water clos	et and either one
bathtub, with or without a shower, or one	one-handed shower.			
Other than a Bathroom Group:				
Bathtub with or without shower head	1/2"	1.4		
Bathtub with ¾ in. spout,	3/4''	10		
Shower head, 9.5 L/min or less	1/2"	1.4		
Shower head, more than 9.5 L/min	1/2"	2.0		
Bidet	3/8"	2.0		
Clothes washer	1/2"	1.4		
Dishwasher	3/8"	1.4		
Water closet, 6 LPF or less with flush	3/8"	2.2		
Hose bibb ½" supply	1/2"	2.5		
Hose bibb ¾" supply	3/4"	3.0		
Bathroom sink (lavatory)	3/8"	0.7		
Bar sink	3/8"	1		
Kitchen sink, 8.3 L/min or less	3/8"	1.4		
Laundry sink	3/8"	1.4		
Other:				
	•		Total:	

Part 2 – Sizing of the Water Service

Maximum Hydraulic Load (fixture units)	Maximum Allowable Length (m)	Water Service Pipe (in)	
26 (single dwelling unit house only)	-	3/4	
17	30		
19	24	3/4	
21	18	·	
36	30		
41	24	1	
42	18		
83	30	1-1/2	

(b)	Only	applies to	a single	dwelling	unit house.
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Existing water pipe size: in	New water pipe size*: in.	Water service length: m
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Municipal Address:	Name:	BCIN, if applicable:	Date:

^{*}New water service connections or upgrades require Peel Region approval. For more information please visit: