7 Water-Saving Products to Help Cut Water Use by 25%

Between California's drought-related crackdown and Earth Day 2015, homeowners are ever more mindful of the amount of water they use every day. Here are seven building products that can help cut down water use - and water bills.

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With Earth Day upon us, and California’s recent water restriction mandate looming large, builders, remodelers, and homeowners will be looking for products to cut water use inside and outside the home. Here are seven products to help achieve goals of 25% water usage reduction for California residents, and general water savings for homeowners nationwide.

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Stealthy Savings

Manufacturers have dramatically cut back the amount of water used by toilets in recent years from 3.5 gallons per flush (gpf) to 1.6, 1.28, or even 0.8 for many dual-flush models, but Niagara still has them beat. The Stealth Ultra High Efficiency Toilet (UHET) dual-flush mechanism uses 0.5 gpf and 0.95 gpf flush options, thanks to patented hydraulic technology that helps thoroughly evacuate the bowl with every flush. With an average of 0.65 gpf and standard installation, the Stealth UHET is an easy, water-saving replacement for existing toilets. niagaracorp.com