

You must have a **Level 1** water exemption permit if you use water outdoors

(and can't comply with the restrictions)

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What's allowed under level 1 water restrictions:

You can use drinking water to:

- wash vehicles using a bucket and sponge, a hand-held hose fitted with a trigger nozzle, high-pressure cleaning equipment or at a commercial car wash.

Exemptions

If you can't comply with the restrictions, you'll need to apply for an exemption permit at sydneywater.com.au/exemptions.

If we approve your request for an exemption, you will be allowed to use drinking water to:

- wash vehicles using an automated system that meets the required water efficiency standard of less than 125 litres (averaged) for each vehicle washed*.

If you can't comply with these exemption conditions, a Community Water Officer will work with you to create a plan to show how you're committing to save water in your business.

Do you have a question?

- Email customerservice@sydneywater.com.au
- Call 13 20 92

* 125L/wash is the efficiency requirement. We understand that most commercial car wash operations use multiple car wash techniques with varying levels of water efficiency. You should calculate the average water use per vehicle across the multiple washing methods on your site.