

FREE PRINTABLE · WATER TESTING

Water-testing comparison worksheet

Start with your water source and the question you need answered. Then compare up to three routes on the same rows. There is no default paid winner.

HOW TO USE THIS WORKSHEET

Use this worksheet to organize information you already have and questions you still need to answer. Unknown is an acceptable entry. Check current official instructions before purchasing, testing or maintaining equipment. Keep your completed copy privately; do not send it to this website.

01 Your source, question and existing information

Water source

☐ Public supply ☐ Private well ☐ Other ☐ Unknown

Supplier name or well details _____

The question you want answered

Existing information

☐ Supplier report (Consumer Confidence Report) ☐ Previous test record ☐ Property records ☐ None yet

Date of the newest information _____

Where it is kept _____

WHERE TO LOOK FIRST

Public supply: Start with your supplier's Consumer Confidence Report and note which parts answer your question. EPA: Consumer Confidence Reports, www.epa.gov/ccr

Private well: Consult local testing guidance for your well before choosing a test. EPA: private-well water, www.epa.gov/privatewells/protect-your-homes-water

Unknown source: Identify the supplier first, for example from a water bill or your property manager. Do not choose a test yet.

A report or test answers a specific question about specific contaminants. It is not a personal diagnosis, and a treatment claim must match the exact model and claim (NSF: water-treatment standards, www.nsf.org/consumer-resources/articles/standards-water-treatment-systems).

02 Three options, the same rows

Fill the same rows for each option from its official page. An unknown field is a reason to check the official source, not evidence that the option fails.

ROW	OPTION 1	OPTION 2	OPTION 3
Option (route or provider)			
Analytes			
Sample instructions			
Laboratory or report			
Cost			
Questions to ask			
Source date			

Use this table to identify missing information. An unknown field is a reason to check the official source, not evidence that the option fails. Compare the exact product and region before buying.

03 Official sources

- S14 EPA: Consumer Confidence Reports** (US Environmental Protection Agency). Public-water quality reports and supplier information.
www.epa.gov/ccr
- S13 EPA: private-well water** (US Environmental Protection Agency). Routine private-well testing and local guidance.
www.epa.gov/privatewells/protect-your-homes-water
- S15 NSF: water-treatment standards** (NSF). Certification must be matched to a specific model and reduction claim.
www.nsf.org/consumer-resources/articles/standards-water-treatment-systems

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