

Water Hardness Classification



The U.S. Public Health Service Water Hardness Classification Table

Water Hardness measured in Grains Per Gallon
of Calcium Carbonate (Limestone)

Treated Water	0 to 1 Grains per Gallon
Slightly Hard Water	1 to 3.5 Grains per Gallon
Medium Hard Water	3.5 to 7 Grains per Gallon
Hard Water	7 to 10.5 Grains per Gallon
Extremely Hard Water	Over 10.5 Grains per Gallon