



Water Treatment Comparison Chart

POINT OF USE (POU) SYSTEMS		pH	Sediment	Cloudiness & Turbidity	Chlorine & DBP's	Chloramines	Tastes & Odors	Pesticides and Herbicides	Pharmaceuticals/Hormones	MTBE, Petrochemicals	Hardness	Dissolved Iron & Manganese	Hydrogen Sulfide	Methane, Radon Gas	Arsenic	Lead, Cadmium, Mercury	Fluoride	Nitrates, Nitrites, Sulfates	Cysts, Bacteria, Molds, Spores	Doesn't Breed Bacteria	Retains Healthy Alkaline Minerals	No Water Waste	Works When Power Is Out	Works on Low Volume Wells	Ease of Maintenance	Efficiency For Its Purpose
FAUCET-MOUNT FILTERS		●	○	●	○	●	○	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	☠	●	●	●	●	●	●
POUR-THROUGH PITCHERS		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	☠	●	●	●	●	●	○
REFRIGERATOR FILTERS		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○ ⁴	●	●	●	●	☠	●	●	●	●	●	●
CARBON BLOCK FILTERS		●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	● ⁵	●	●	● ⁶	☠	●	●	●	●	●	●
CERAMIC FILTERS		●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	● ⁷	● ⁸	●	●	●	●	●	●
WATER IONIZERS		●	○	●	●	●	●	●	☠	○	●	●	●	●	☠	☠	●	●	●	☠	●	○	●	●	●	●
STANDARD REVERSE-OSMOSIS SYSTEM		○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●
LIVINGWATERS™ MANIFOLD REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEM		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●
LIVINGWATERS™ TRAVEL FILTER		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	● ⁹	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
LIVINGWATERS™ 4 - STAGE ALKALIZER		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
LIVINGWATERS™ 5 - STAGE ALKALIZER		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
LIVINGWATERS™ 6 - STAGE ALKALIZER		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

● Best ● Good ○ Fair ● Poor ● Ineffective ● Proper Cartridge Selection Required ☠ DANGER - May Concentrate Toxic Substances
⁴ Lead Only for Filters Designed for Lead Removal
⁵ Lead Only with Cartridges Specifically Designed for Lead Removal
⁶ Cysts Only
⁷ Cysts Only, Bacteria Reductions Not To A Level of Safety
⁸ Only for Filters Made with Silver Incorporated Into the Ceramic Matrix
⁹ Cysts Only