

types of water

drinking water



Water that is free from impurities and conforms to World Health Organization drinking water standards.

gray water



Waste water from showers, sinks, laundry facilities and kitchen equipment including dishwashers along with other similar facilities.

bilge water



Waste water captured in machine spaces that contains small amounts of oil or other contaminants resulting from normal operation and routine maintenance.

black water



Waste water from toilets, urinals, medical sinks, and other similar facilities.