

Water Authorities Applications

Water authorities throughout Australia are benefiting from the use of Maric flow controllers with consumers' water meters, in one or more of the following applications.

- a,** The use of 2 litre per minute tail inserts are an invisible and vandal and tamper resistant means of restricting flow for non-payment of water bills.
- b,** Significantly extended water meter life is obtained when maximum flow is kept within meters design parameters.
- c,** Limiting maximum flow at peak periods, enables consistent mains pressure to be maintained.
This may also prevent the costly exercise of increasing mains pipe size to cope with an increased population.
- d,** May facilitate an economical means of distributing water to vast areas of, sparsely populated country.
A very small and inexpensive water main, perhaps as small as 50mm, and hundreds of kilometers long may be used if flow is limited
to a fraction of a litre per minute. Consumers fill their own tanks for a practical supply.
- e,** In Queensland, (in locations as described above), some authorities provide valves at a low flow rate instead of water meters.
This is a significant cost reduction to authorities, and consumers pay according to flow rate requested or offered.
As above, consumers fill tanks for a practical supply.
- f,** Perhaps they could be used also in times of water shortage? Could they offer an alternative to "water restrictions"?

Valves are available to suit meter sizes from 15mm up to 150mm.

Valves are WaterMark certified (based on ISO9002) and approved for use in contact with drinking water.

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