

Use and Care

Component one: Sediment Pre-filter (included with standalone systems)

- Sediment levels vary from one location to another. During the first year of use, a visual inspection monthly is recommended. The sediment pre-filter is white when you initially install it. Once you can no longer see white, it is time to replace the filter with a new one (EQ-304). Allowing sediment to continue to collect can cause clogging and prevent the flow of water into your home.

Component two: Whole House Descaler

- This descaler unit has a recommended capacity of 6 years. You replace the unit in its entirety every 6 years. Unions are located on each side of the tank for ease of replacement. It is not necessary to contract a plumber. The replacement part number is EQ-AST-WH-R and EQ-AST-WH-C-R.

Specifications

Model: EQ-AST-WH, EQ-AST-WH-C-R

Replacement cartridges:

Main tanks: EQ-AST-WH-R, EQ-AST-WH-C-R

Pre-filter: EQ-304

Rated service flow: 7-10 gpm

Max working pressure: 100 psi

Max operating temperature: 90° F

Max capacity: 6 years

Do not use with water that is microbiologically unsafe or of unknown water quality without adequate disinfection before or after the system. Systems certified for cyst reduction may be used on disinfected waters that may contain filterable cysts.

Operating specifications

1. Read all precautions, installation, and operating instructions carefully and completely before installing the unit.
2. Do not install this unit where the line pressure may exceed 100 psi. Operating pressure range: 20psi – 100psi.
3. The rated service flow is seven to ten gallons per minute; rated capacity is 6 years.
4. Sediment pre-filter cartridges should be changed as needed. (When you can no longer detect the original white color of the filter, it is time for replacement. Sediment levels vary greatly, so regular visual inspections are recommended during the first year.)
5. Install on cold water lines only. Operating temperature range: 40° – 90°F. Protect unit from freezing.
6. Do not install the unit on its side. It needs to be installed upright to maximize contact with media. It is recommended your system be installed inside and out of direct sunlight. If this is not possible and the system is outdoors or in a sunny area, the installation requires the use of sun-proof sumps. Please contact our sales and service department 866.662.6885 to discuss your specific needs.
- 7. Installation of the system must comply with existing state and local plumbing codes. Aquasana is not liable for consequential or incidental damages due to improper installation.**
8. Cleaning: use only warm, soapy water to clean the outside of the housing. Rinse well with fresh, clean water. Never use chemical cleaning products on the filter's exterior surface because they may damage the unit housing.