

Operating Permit Adequacy Table



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We developed the information in this table to guide decision makers in determining the adequacy of Group A public water systems to provide acceptable drinking water to existing and future customers.

Operating Permit Color	Adequacy Response		Group A Public Water System Compliance Status
	Growth	Existing Uses	
Green	Yes *	Yes	Substantially in compliance as long as it doesn't exceed the approved number of connections.
Yellow	Yes **	Yes	Substantially in compliance. However, system was notified to submit a water system plan and hasn't satisfied the requirement; and/or system is under a compliance agreement for a state significant non-complier (SSNC) violation.
Blue	No	Yes	Substantially in compliance. However, system does not meet design approval or it has exceeded the approved number of connections.
Red	No	No	Substantial noncompliance. Inadequate for existing or future uses.

* Up to number of approved connections

** Up to the number of approved connections unless otherwise limited by a compliance agreement

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