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environmental sustainability  
and to ensure the availability  
of this vital resource for  
future generations. Small  
everyday actions can make a  
big difference.*

# water

conscious use

VITAL FOR  
SUSTAINABILITY



# Water Care

Here are some tips for you to adopt at home and help preserve the planet's drinking water:



**Promptly perform maintenance on water leaks.**



**Always turning off the tap when brushing your teeth avoids waste, saving liters of drinking water.**



**Less time in the shower helps preserve this essential resource.**



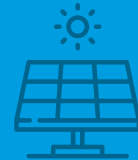
**Using rainwater to wash cars, sidewalks and water gardens reduces the demand for treated water.**



**Using a water tank with two flushes allows for a smaller flush for liquids and a larger one for solids, reducing water consumption.**



**Take advantage of natural lighting in our homes and, when necessary, use artificial lighting with energy-saving bulbs or LEDs.**



**Investing in solar panels is an important step, as they do not use electrical energy to operate.**



**Primary sewage treatment is important because it removes solids and waste before collective treatment, improving water quality.**

Taking care of water at home is essential for the sustainability of the planet and for reducing costs. Simple practices, such as fixing leaks, taking shorter showers and using a full load of washing machines, help to preserve this vital resource.

## Did you know that:

One liter of oil contaminates 1 million liters of water;

Less than 3% of the planet's water is available for consumption;

Sewage that is released into the public network without undergoing septic tank and filter treatment cannot be treated at the station;

In some regions of Brazil, up to 50% of water is lost in the distribution network alone;