

INFORMATION ON DRINKING WATER QUALITY OF THE INSTITUTE

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Drinking Water Quality Standards

WATER QUALITY PARAMETERS AND BIS STANDARDS FOR VARIOUS CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL CONSTITUENTS

S.No.	Parameters	Drinking water IS 10500 : 2012	
		Permissible Limit	Maximum Limit
1	Odor	Agreeable	Agreeable
2	Taste	Agreeable	Agreeable
3	pH	6.5 to 8.5	No relaxation
4	TDS (mg/l)	500	2000
5	Hardness (as CaCO ₃) (mg/l)	200	600
6	Alkalinity (as CaCO ₃) (mg/l)	200	600
7	Nitrate (mg/l)	45	No relaxation
8	Sulfate (mg/l)	200	400
9	Fluoride (mg/l)	1	1.5
10	Chloride (mg/l)	250	1000
11	Turbidity (NTU)	5	10
12	Arsenic (mg/l)	0.01	0.05
13	Copper (mg/l)	0.05	1.5
14	Cadmium (mg/l)	0.003	No relaxation
15	Chromium (mg/l)	0.05	No relaxation
16	Lead (mg/l)	0.01	No relaxation
17	Iron (mg/l)	0.3	No relaxation
18	Zinc (mg/l)	5	15
19	Fecal Coliform (cfu)	0	0
20	E. Coli (cfu)	0	0



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