

# **THERMOSTATIC MIXING VALVES**

Get The Peace Of Mind That Comes From Improved Safety, Protection And Comfort.

# RESIDEO BRAUKMANN THERMOSTATIC MIXING VALVES

Provide Increased Protection And Comfort For Your Family

### **PROTECTION**

Mixing Valves Help To Prevent Bacteria Growth

When a water heater's temperature is set too low, deadly Legionella bacteria can grow. The growth of Legionella is reduced when the water is heated to 140° F. A Resideo Braukmann mixing valve allows you to set your water heater at a higher temperature to kill bacteria while eliminating concerns about water being too hot at the tap.



95° F to 110° F Legionella Growth



140° F to 180° F Legionella Growth Controlled

**Resideo Braukmann mixing valves** are designed to prevent the growth of bacteria by allowing you to set your water heater at 140° F.

## **SAFETY**

### Mixing Valves Help To Prevent Scalding\*

Mixing valves also help prevent burns and injuries due to scalding. As the chart below shows, burns from hot water can occur in just seconds — even less for small children. A mixing valve reduces the temperature at the water heater, so your family can use the shower, washing machine or bidet without fear of scalding.

\*when used as directed

TEMPERATURE	ADULTS	CHILDREN 0-5 YEARS <sup>2</sup>
	Skin thickness of 2.5 mm	Skin thickness of 0.56 mm
160° F	1 second	.05 seconds
155° F	1.5 seconds	1 second
150° F	2 seconds	1.5 seconds
145° F	3 seconds	2 seconds
140° F	5 seconds	3 seconds
135° F	15 seconds	4 seconds
130° F	35 seconds	10 seconds
125° F	3 minutes	2 minutes
120° F	10 minutes	5 minutes
100° F	Safest Water Temperature for Bathing	

**Burns can occur quickly,** but Resideo mixing valves help prevent scalding. In fact, Resideo Braukmann mixing valves meet the most stringent safety standards in the industry.



### COMFORT

### Enjoy More Available Hot Water

The demands of today's busy families can often be a strain on the hot water supply, but not with a Resideo Braukmann mixing valve. By raising the stored water temperature to 140° F or higher, less hot water is required to mix with the cold water to reach a comfortable temperature. The mixing action gives you up to 60-gallon performance from a 40-gallon tank.



Without Mixing Valve



With Mixing Valve

The mixing action of a Resideo Braukmann mixing valve can give you up to 60-gallon performance from a 40-gallon tank - it's like adding a larger water heater without taking up the space.

## **HOW MIXING VALVES WORK**

Cold Water Is Mixed With Hot Water To Provide Safety And Comfort.

A Resideo Braukmann mixing valve allows you to set your water heater to a higher temperature to reduce the threat of bacteria growth, yet the mixing action helps prevent scalding. Plus, you'll increase your available hot water supply by mixing hot water with cold.



### **RESIDEO BRAUKMANN MIXING VALVES**

One little addition that helps improve your family's safety, health and comfort. Ask your contractor which mixing valve is right for you.



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