

## G2 Laundering

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### Providing sufficient laundry facilities.

This clause requires specified buildings to have adequate space and facilities for laundering. It applies to housing, old people's homes, early childhood centres, camping grounds and work camps.

It also ensures that people with disabilities are able to carry out normal activities within buildings.

[Record of amendments \(https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/how-the-building-code-works/different-ways-to-comply/acceptable-solutions-and-verification-methods/record-of-amendments/\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/how-the-building-code-works/different-ways-to-comply/acceptable-solutions-and-verification-methods/record-of-amendments/) is a record of changes to the Acceptable Solutions, Verification Methods and handbooks.

## Updates

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### MBIE to consult twice yearly on changes to the Building Code System

10 AUGUST 2018

MBIE will now consult twice yearly to ensure Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods are up to date.

[\(https://www.building.govt.nz/about-building-performance/news-and-updates/all-news-and-updates/bc-update-237/\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/about-building-performance/news-and-updates/all-news-and-updates/bc-update-237/)

### Consultation on amending Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods 2018

8 AUGUST 2018

We want your feedback by 21 September on proposals to amend Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods.

[\(https://www.building.govt.nz/about-building-performance/news-and-updates/all-news-and-updates/bc-update-236/\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/about-building-performance/news-and-updates/all-news-and-updates/bc-update-236/)

View all related news and updates  [\(https://www.building.govt.nz/search/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&area=news-and-updates&show=all&action\\_doSearch=Search&sort=recent#results\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/search/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&area=news-and-updates&show=all&action_doSearch=Search&sort=recent#results)

## Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods

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### Current version

These are issued by MBIE to provide one way of complying with the Building Code and must be accepted by BCAs as demonstrating compliance with the related clauses of the Building Code. Using them is not mandatory.

<http://mbie5.cwp.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundering/>

### Previous versions

#### 1st edition, amendment 2

[PDF 170 KB]

[\(https://www.building.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundering/asvm/g2-](https://www.building.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundering/asvm/g2-)

**1st edition, amendment 3**

[PDF 474 KB]

Effective from 1 January 2017

(<https://www.building.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundrying/asvm/g2-laundrying-1st-edition-amendment3.pdf>)

[laundrying-1st-edition-amendment-2.pdf](#)

**1st edition, amendment 1**

[PDF 323 KB]

(<https://www.building.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundrying/asvm/g2-laundrying-1st-edition-amendment-1.pdf>)

**Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods**

(<https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/how-the-building-code-works/different-ways-to-comply/acceptable-solutions-and-verification-methods/>) (AS and VMs) were called compliance documents. Some still have the “compliance document” title but the AS or VMs they contain are valid and unaffected by the name change.

Version history (<https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundrying/acceptable-solutions-and-verification-methods-19/>)

## Guidance

These documents are provided for assistance. They are not intended as a means of establishing compliance with the Building Act or Building Code, and they do not have the same status accorded to Acceptable Solutions and Verification Methods under the Act.

### Well-sealed shower penetrations prevent water damage

**1 DECEMBER 2009**

Guidance on preventing water damage from inadequately sealed penetrations in shower linings.

(<https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/e-moisture/e3-internal-moisture/well-sealed-shower-penetrations-prevent-water-damage/>)

View all related guidance ([https://www.building.govt.nz/search/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundrying&area=guidance&show=all&action\\_doSearch=Search&sort=recent#results](https://www.building.govt.nz/search/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundrying&area=guidance&show=all&action_doSearch=Search&sort=recent#results))

## Related Determinations

Determinations are made by MBIE on matters of doubt or dispute to do with building work. Rulings are legally binding in relation to each case. Circumstances in one case may differ to others.

### 2018/014: Refusal of a code compliance certificate for alterations to a house

<p>This determination considers the compliance of consented alterations to an existing house where some inspections during the construction had not been completed by the authority. The determination considers the compliance of the as-built work and whether the authority was correct in declining to issue a

<http://mbie5.cwp.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/g-services-and-facilities/g2-laundrying/>

### 2016/042: Regarding the compliance of a detached building containing two self-contained units

<p>This determination considers whether the building in its proposed use will comply with the Building Code in regards to fire safety, laundrying, and food preparation. The determination discusses the proposed use of the building and whether there will be a change of use under the Regulations.</p>

code compliance certificate for the work.</p>

[\(https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/determination-2018-014/\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/determination-2018-014/)

[\(https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/determination-2016-042/\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/determination-2016-042/)

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[View 5 Determinations related to Laundering  
\(https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&action\\_doSearch=Search#results\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/resolving-problems/resolution-options/determinations/determinations-issued/?bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&action_doSearch=Search#results)

## Related building products

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All products, systems and construction methods that have achieved CodeMark status will be listed here with their most up to date certificate.

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[View 1 certified building product associated with Laundering \(https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/product-assurance-and-multiproof/codemark/product-certificate-register/?&bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&action\\_doSearch=Search#results\)](https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/product-assurance-and-multiproof/codemark/product-certificate-register/?&bcc%5B%5D=g2-laundering&action_doSearch=Search#results)



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