



## Fact sheet

### Trade waste

#### What is trade waste?

Liquid waste generated and discharged from processes associated with professions, trades and business is called trade waste.

Allconnex Water and water businesses accept trade waste for disposal into the wastewater system on a commercial basis.

To discharge trade waste into the wastewater system, the business must have approval from Allconnex Water and conform to set physical and chemical standards designed to protect the wastewater system and the environment from damage.

#### *Water Supply (Safety & Reliability) Act 2008*

Trade waste means water-borne waste from business, trade or manufacturing premises, other than:

- (a) waste that is a prohibited substance
- (b) human waste
- (c) stormwater

If you are an industry, business, trade or manufacturing customer and would like to discuss potential liquid waste discharges into wastewater infrastructure, the application and approval process, or account information, please contact Allconnex Water's Trade Waste team on 1300 000 928 (during normal business hours) or email [info@allconnex.com.au](mailto:info@allconnex.com.au).