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Add a Bar, Shower, More with SANISWIFT

It's easy to stop and hesitate when wanting to add a laundry sink, home bar or even extra shower with all the plumbing hassles such jobs traditionally entail. But your remodel job does not need to get complicated. The SANISWIFT from [SFA Saniflo](#), one of the most petite but powerful [gray water pumping systems](#) available, is an ideal, above-floor plumbing solution where no below-floor drainage exists.

The unit (about the size of a small wastebasket) will pump wastewater away from a kitchen, laundry or bar sink; a shower or a bathroom sink; a washing machine (indirect connection) or a dishwasher.

Equipped with three, 1-1/2-inch inlets – two on the bottom and one on top – the SANISWIFT can remove up to 24 gallons of waste water per minute (depending on discharge-line length) from three separate plumbing fixtures. The compact unit with its smooth, rounded contours slips neatly and attractively into tight spaces where other pumps, with their bulkier commercial designs, can neither fit nor look as good. Half the size of comparable pumps in its class, the SANISWIFT is shipped fully assembled, with its gray water pump tucked inside its covered, bucket-shaped container, ready for immediate installation.

A — A 1-1/2-inch x 1-1/2-inch rubber coupling is now provided for the vent connection at the top of the unit.



MEASURING 8-3/4 INCHES HIGH, 9 INCHES WIDE AND 10-1/4 INCHES DEEP, THE UPGRADED SANISWIFT IS AMONG THE MOST COMPACT AND ATTRACTIVE PUMPS AVAILABLE.

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B — Both the left and right top inlets are shipped pre-opened, and the factory also provides a plug to cap either inlet. But only one plug is furnished to alert installers that one of these inlets should be used for venting, as required by local plumbing codes.

C — The two side inlets, for handling waste from a second and third fixture, now come assembled and in position to be readily adapted to the rubber, 1-1/2-inch x 2-inch coupling provided by the factory. Two inlet plugs are also shipped with the unit in case one or both of these inlets are not needed for drainage. Unlike competitors, these side inlets are located very close to the ground to allow for greater flexibility with low fixture installations.

Reasons to buy: Introduced in 2009, the fully automatic SANISWIFT drains swiftly through one-inch plastic piping — versus 1.5 inches on competitive models — that runs entirely above the floor, either inside or outside the walls. This allows the pump to handle wastewater for up to three new plumbing fixtures where no below-floor drainage exists or is too costly to create. For retrofit applications, a discharge coupling is available that fits 1", 1-1/4" and 1-1/2" pipe.

Spared the expense and hassle of breaking through floors to install conventional drain lines, homeowners can create an extra kitchen, bar, bath or utility area anywhere. “The SANISWIFT can be installed in a wide variety of locations in the home,” Saniflo CEO Regis Saragosti says, “including a loft or an attic; an upper floor or the ground floor; a basement, a laundry room or even a garage that’s being converted into living or working space.”

The two side inlets help speed installation by reducing the height at which floor-level plumbing fixtures must sit to achieve proper drainage. These heights can be as high as 10 inches for pumps whose inlets are positioned at the top of the unit (eight or more inches above the floor surface), rather than at the bottom, like on the SANISWIFT. In fact, the SANISWIFT has the lowest pipe inlets available, at just 1-1/2 inches.



THE COMPACT SANISWIFT PUMP IS AN IDEAL, ABOVE-FLOOR PLUMBING SOLUTION WHERE NO BELOW-FLOOR DRAINAGE EXISTS IN THE HOME.

A one-third horsepower motor and a non-clogging impeller design allow the unit to pass laundry lint and other small solids up to 3/8-inches. No lint filter or screen needed, eliminating maintenance chores required by other pumps. The compact SANISWIFT can discharge effluent up to 14 feet vertically or 140 feet horizontally – or a combination of both (A vertical run of 3 feet is equal to a horizontal run of 30 feet.) Other important features include a built-in, factory-installed check valve; and a quiet operation whose noise level is comparable to that of a conventional toilet flushing.

“Imagine the ability to install a new sink or shower wherever it’s convenient, rather than only where the pipes happen to be located,” says Regis Saragosti. “Innovative solutions like the SANISWIFT give homeowners the power and flexibility to add new plumbing fixtures wherever they work best for today’s more casual, more flexible lifestyles.”

The SANISWIFT carries a list price of \$289 and has been certified for plumbing and electrical use in the United States and Canada (CSA C22.2). Saniflo offers a 24-month warranty on the SANISWIFT, including all electrical components. [Registering your product online](#) will extend your warranty by one year.

SANISWIFT GRAY WATER PUMP – KEY SPECIFICATIONS:

- Dimensions (inches): 8¾ inches high x 9 inches wide x 10¼ inches deep
- Motor type: Induction, 3,600 RPM
- Amperage: 4.5*
- Power supply: 110-115 volts – 60 hertz
- Horsepower: 0.3
- Discharge flow rate: 18 gallons per minute @ 14 feet; 24 gpm @ 3 feet
- Discharge pipe size: 1” – 1-1/2”
- Maximum temperature: 140°F/60°C
- Certification: UL/CSA for the United States and Canada, respectively

* Measured using 1” discharge. Information will vary once the discharge size is increased. Consult with factory.

For technical or installation questions, visit go.saniflo.com or call 1-800-571-8191. [Learn more about the Saniswift here.](#)

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