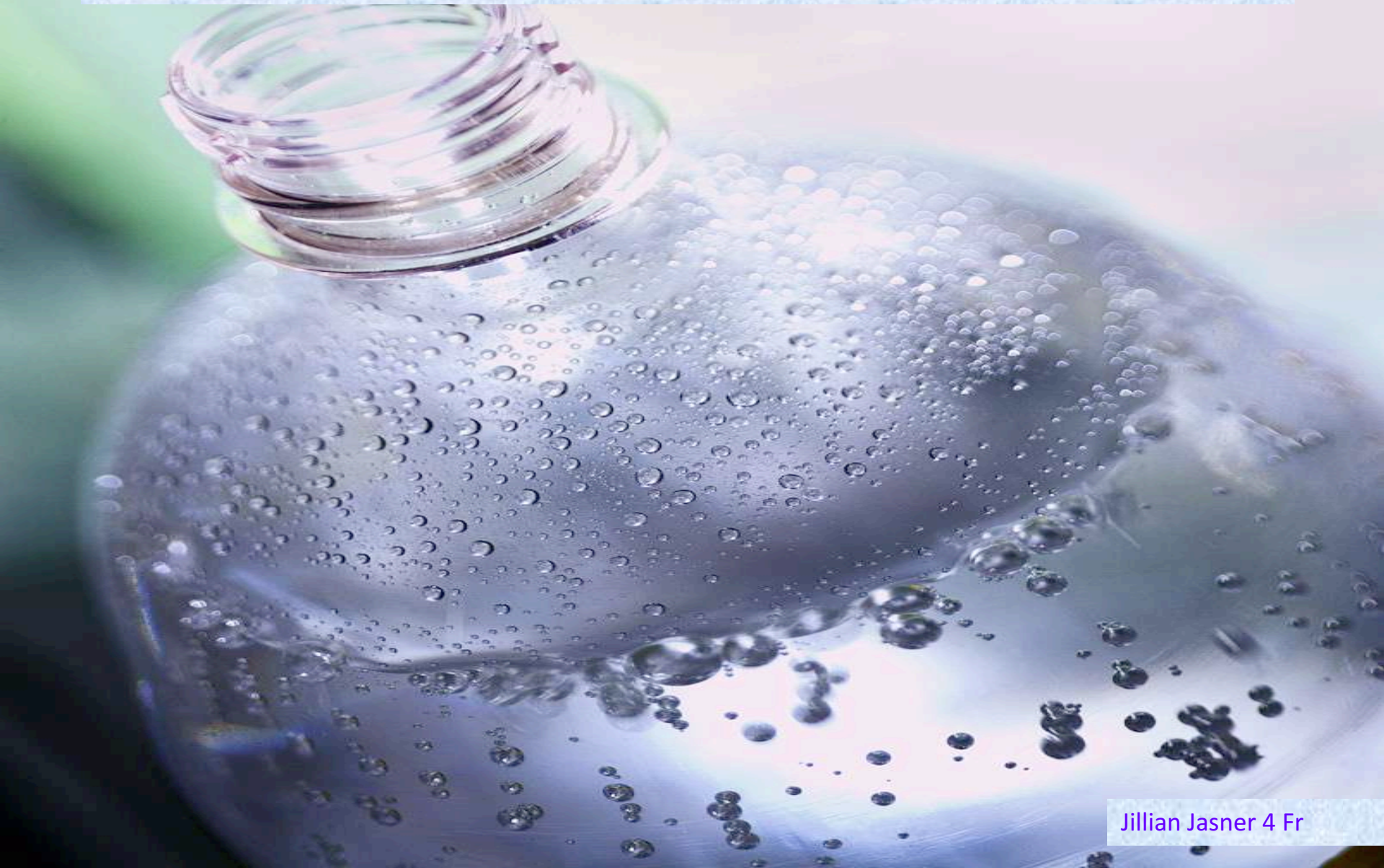


Extreme Conservation



So little Water?

73% of the Earth is covered by water. 2.5% of the water is freshwater, the rest of the water is saltwater.

Only 1.5% is ready for us to use. That is just unbelievable in my opinion!

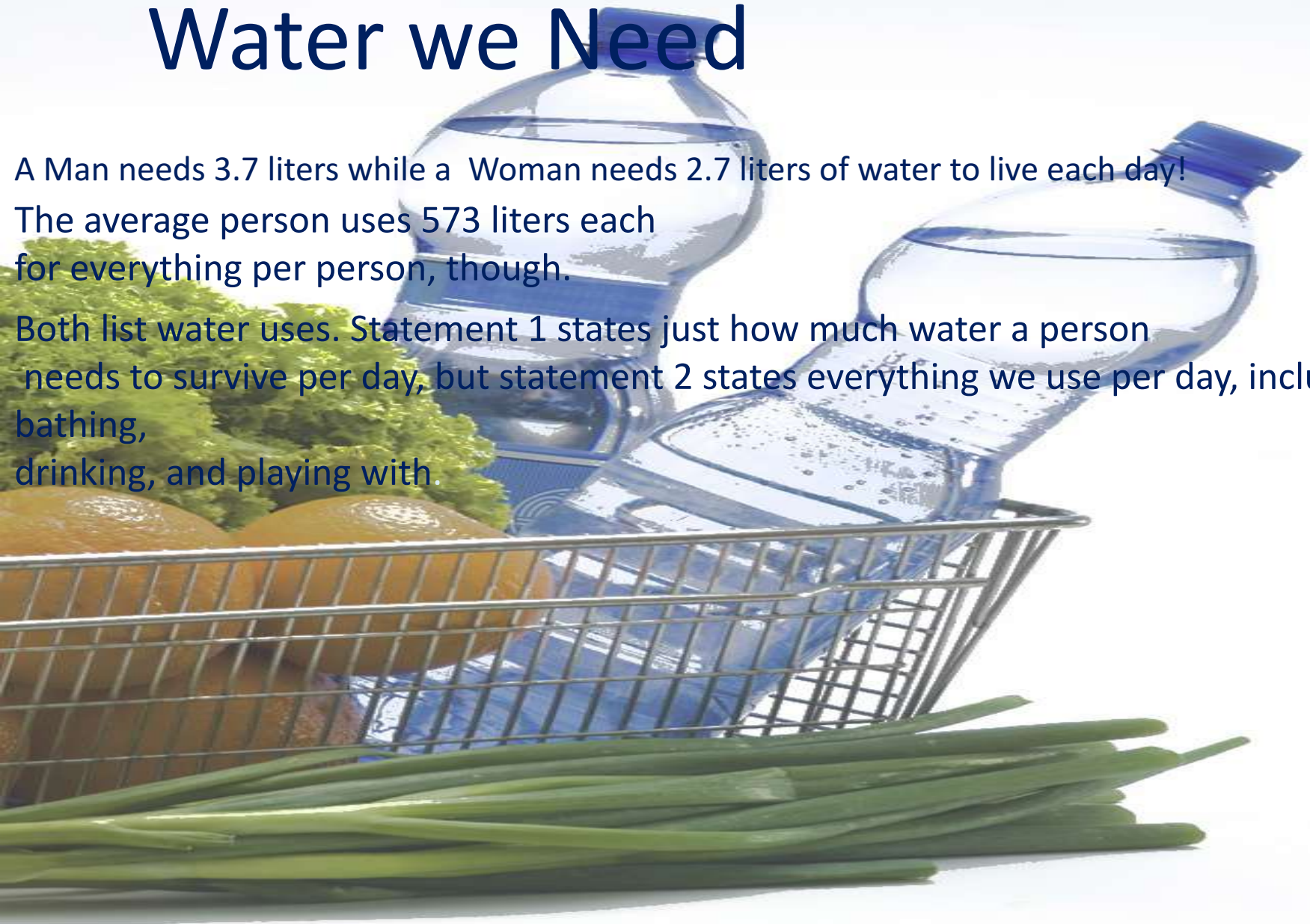


Water we Need

A Man needs 3.7 liters while a Woman needs 2.7 liters of water to live each day!

The average person uses 573 liters each for everything per person, though.

Both list water uses. Statement 1 states just how much water a person needs to survive per day, but statement 2 states everything we use per day, including bathing, drinking, and playing with.

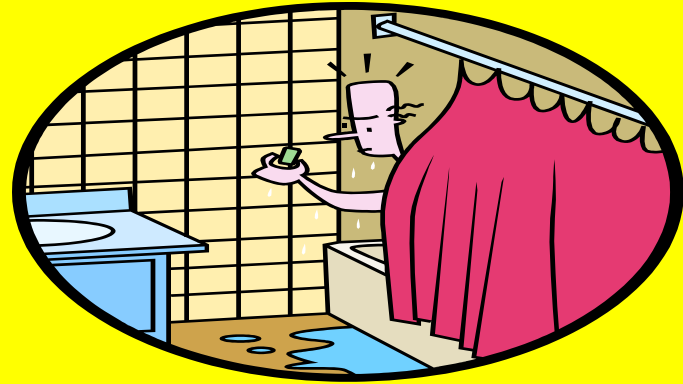


Unbelievable!

It is unbelievable how much water covers the Earth, yet only 1 % is ready for us to drink. Only 1% of the Earth's water is available to us, 1% is frozen, and the rest is salt, so we only have 1% out of 66%. About 1 billion people don't have access to clean drinking water, so most people don't even get to use it. Isn't that sad? People pollute lakes and bodies of water, and some don't have the money to pay for running water. 1.5 million children die each year of diarrhea, a disease caused by dirty water. . That's even more sad!



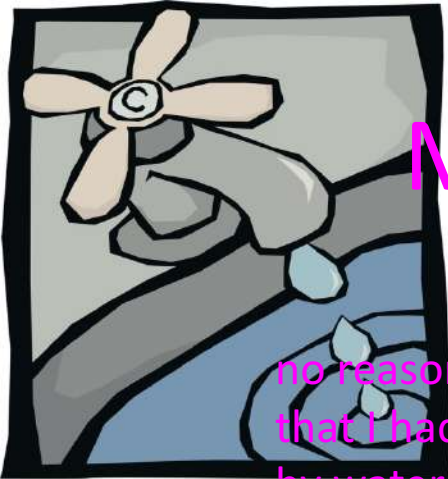
Ways to Save Water



- Turn off the tap.
- Don't take too long in the shower.
- Fix toilet leaks, or any leaks at all.
- Water your plants in early morning or evening, so that the water doesn't evaporate.
- Wash your car with a bucket & sponge instead of a hose, so that you don't waste water.
- Scrape dirty dishes into the trash before putting them in to the dishwasher.



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My Opinion

You might catch a disease that your doctor thinks that has no reason for. Well, I do! I have learned many things from the research that I had to do. What surprised me here was that diarrhea is caused by water. That was shocking. I think that my actions effect the water that I use because I have been trying to conserve more, and I've been trying **VERY** hard. My life would change without water because I wouldn't have a life! If I went a week without water you can say goodbye to me! Although if I did live, I would be willing to give up my art supplies to get it back. I solute you, water! I feel bad for all of the kids that don't have pipes. They just... can't have water right when they need it! If I were in their shoes, I would help to solve my family's problem by getting water for everyone else and earning money to do it. Then we could have the money to pay for running water! In my opinion, water is just plain great!

