# **QUICK Install Guide**

K-400H-5002
PerforMAX® FILL VALVE & SEAL KIT
+ GREEN TOILET TOOL™





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## **GETTING STARTED**

## **PARTS OVERVIEW TOOLS NEEDED** PERFORMAX® FILL VALVE Bowl Water Level Dial Tank Water Level Adjustment Screw (Optional) - Refill Tube **Green Toilet Tool**™ **Refill Clip TOP DOWN VIEW Bowl Water** Level Dial Shank Washer - Locknut Tank Water Level **Adjustment Screw FLUSH VALVE SEALS**

American Standard®

Champion 3

Kohler® AquaPiston American Standard®

Champion 4

## **STEP 1:** PREPARE TANK

### A: TURN OFF WATER



### **B: DRAIN WATER**

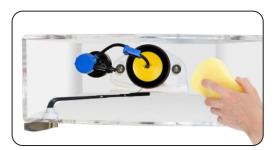
Flush toilet to drain most of the water from the tank.



# C: USE SPONGE OR TOWEL TO SOAK UP EXCESS WATER IN TANK







## STEP 2: REMOVE OLD FILL VALVE

### A: REMOVE CONNECTOR

Remove water supply connector from bottom of fill valve.



(Optional)

**NOTE:** Inspect water supply connector. Replace it if it is worn, or you don't know how old it is, to prevent flooding and property damage.



### **B: REMOVE OLD LOCKNUT**

Use the **Green Toilet Tool**<sup>™</sup> to twist locknut below tank to remove locknut from fill valve.



Green Toilet Tool™



### C: REMOVE OLD FILL VALVE

Including refill tube, refill clip and shank washer.

<u>Drain any excess water</u> <u>into</u> <u>bucket</u> by removing fill valve from tank. (Pull fill valve up)



(Optional)



## STEP 3: REMOVE & REPLACE FLUSH VALVE SEAL

See below for your specific flush valve seal replacement instruction.

For more detailed instructions and installation videos, please visit our website at <u>Fluidmaster.com</u> & enter K-400H-5002 in the search field.

### Kohler® AquaPiston (use YELLOW seal):

Remove and replace old seal, placing new seal in **groove** at bottom of canister.







### American Standard® Champion 3 (use YELLOW seal):

Remove and replace old seal by sliding the seal up and over the valve. Replace with new seal in **groove** at bottom of canister.







# American Standard® Champion 4 / Eljer® Titan 4 (use BLUE seal):

Unthread black nut on top of green cover. Remove cover and replace seal.







## STEP 4: ADJUST HEIGHT OF NEW FILL VALVE

### A: TWIST FILL VALVE TO ADJUST HEIGHT

Top of fill valve cap should measure *roughly* 3" above top of overflow pipe when installed.





### STEP 5: INSTALL NEW FILL VALVE

### A: INSERT FILL VALVE

Position refill tube to face flush valve making sure fill valve parts do not interfere with lever arm.

HINT: See next page for full tank setup.



### **B: INSTALL LOCKNUT**

Using **Green Toilet Tool**<sup>™</sup>, screw locknut onto fill valve shank (below tank). Tighten 1/4" beyond handtight. **Do Not Overtighten\*.** 





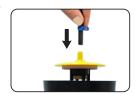
# C: PUSH REFILL TUBE ONTO REFILL PORT



# D: CONNECTING REFILL TUBE TO FLUSH VALVE

FOR KOHLER® AQUAPISTON:

Push refill tube onto yellow nipple on flush valve.



## STEP 5: INSTALL NEW FILL VALVE (CONT'D)

### O FOR AMERICAN STANDARD® CHAMPION 4:

Push refill tube onto refill clip.

Attach refill clip to right side of overflow pipe so the refill tube points into the pipe, not the tank.





### FOR AMERICAN STANDARD® CHAMPION 3:

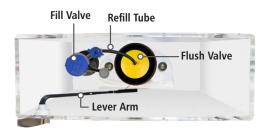
Push refill tube onto refill clip, then attach refill clip to flush valve overflow pipe.

Reuse original refill clip.

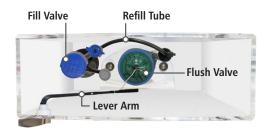
Do not use Fluidmaster® refill clip.

**NOTE:** If refill tube is too long to fit inside tank with lid closed, cut tube.





(Optional)



### **STEP 6:** FINISHING STEPS

# A: ATTACH WATER SUPPLY CONNECTOR TO FILL VALVE

Twist to tighten.

\*Hand-tighten only.

DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN.



### **B: TURN ON WATER**

Check for leaks.



### C: WATER LEVEL

After the tank stops filling, water level should fill the tank to roughly ½ inch below top of overflow pipe to ensure a proper flush. (Does not need to be exact.)

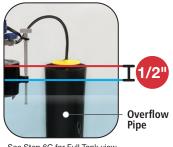


\* Over tightening may crack the fill valve or tank causing flooding. Make sure the float cup does not touch the tank walls or tank lever and flush valve.

## STEP 7: FINE-TUNE TANK WATER LEVEL

#### Δ: **FLUSH THE TOILET** TO CHECK THE TANK WATER LEVEL

After the water stops filling the tank, the water level should be roughly ½ inch below the top of overflow pipe to ensure a proper flush.



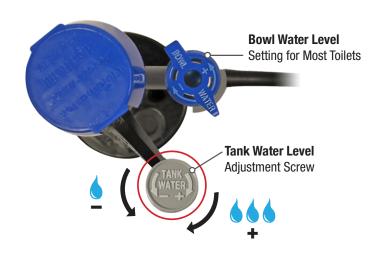
See Step 6C for Full Tank view

#### B: WATER LEVEL IS TOO LOW

Turn the tank water level adjustment screw clockwise to raise the float. Flush to reset water level.

#### WATER LEVEL IS TOO HIGH

Turn the water level adjustment screw counterclockwise to lower the float. Flush to reset water level.

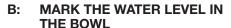


## STEP 8: FINE-TUNE BOWL WATER LEVEL

**NOTE:** The PerforMAX Fill Valve is pre-set to fill the proper **bowl water level** in most toilets straight out of the box (see previous page).

## A: FILL BOWL WITH A GALLON OF WATER

Wait 1 minute until the bowl water level recedes down and stops.



With a pencil, draw a line at the top of the water level in bowl. (Pencil mark will easily wash off).



If the water level **matches the line** you've made in the bowl when the fill valve **stops filling the tank**, the water level is correct, proceed to Step 9.

If the water level matches the line in the bowl and the fill valve is **STILL FILLING**, then the bowl water is **TOO HIGH**, proceed to Step 8D.

If the valve shuts off and the water level **does NOT** match the line in the bowl, the water level is **TOO LOW**, proceed to Step 8D.











### D: ADJUST THE BOWL WATER LEVEL

#### TOO HIGH:

Turn the dial clockwise.







Turn the dial **counter-clockwise**.



### **STEP 9:** FLUSH THE TOILET

### A: FLUSH THE TOILET, CHECK BOWL WATER LEVEL.

Repeat Steps 8C and 8D until water level in bowl matches the line when the fill valve shuts off.

If you're satisfied with the flush, YOU'RE DONE!



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Still not working exactly right?
See the next page for Troubleshooting.

### TROUBLESHOOTING

#### IF THE FILL VALVE:

- DOES NOT TURN ON
- WON'T TURN OFF
- WON'T REFILL TANK

#### REMOVE CAP AND CHECK FOR DEBRIS

- A: Turn off water supply.
- **B:** Flush toilet.
- **C:** With right hand push float up, grip and hold shaft under float.
- **D:** With left hand twist cap and lever arm counterclockwise to unlock cap. Let cap hang on float cup.
- **E:** Hold empty cup upside down over uncapped valve to prevent splashing.
- **F:** Turn water supply on and off a few times.
- G: Turn water supply off.
- H: Replace valve cap.
  - Place cap assembly on top of gray valve body by aligning cap arm and adjustment rod next to refill tube.
  - Press down on top cap while rotating top & arm clockwise to locked position.







### TROUBLESHOOTING

#### REPLACE FILL VALVE SEAL

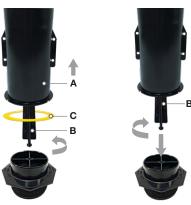
- A: Remove cap (see page 12).
- **B:** Replace seal with a \*genuine Fluidmaster 242 Seal.
- C: Replace valve cap.
  - Place cap assembly on top of gray valve body by aligning cap arm and adjustment rod next to refill tube.
  - Press down on top cap while rotating top & arm clockwise to locked position.



\* Always use genuine Fluidmaster parts when installing or repairing. Fluidmaster will not be responsible or liable for use of non-Fluidmaster parts during installation or repair.

### IF YOU CAN'T REMOVE THE AQUA PISTON YELLOW / BLACK CAP

- 1. Turn off water supply. Flush toilet.
- 2. Remove refill tube from top of yellow / black cap.
- 3. Lift up on Canister (A) until it stops.
- **4.** Reach into tank and grab the Center Guide (B). Turn counterclockwise and remove from tank.
- 5. Remove old seal, placing new Seal (C) in groove at bottom of canister (A).
- **6.** Align Center Guide (B) with hole in center of base. Insert into hole. Turn 1/4 clockwise to lock.
- 7. Replace refill tube back into cap.



## **NOTES**

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