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# Product Spotlight

## Run a more comfortable, consistent shower

By Craig Mandli

**A** sudden burst of piping hot (or freezing cold) water is a showering person's worst nightmare. But as a plumber, how can you prevent it?

Thermostatic mixing valves automatically balance the amount of hot and cold water being mixed, which will prevent drastic fluctuations in shower temperature. If the cold water flow is reduced (due to a toilet flush), the valve automatically adjusts the amount of hot water being mixed. This keeps the shower temperature more consistent, even when other fixtures are using water. Lenova has paired aesthetically pleasing styling and new technology to create its own Thermostatic Shower System that offers control over shower operations, allowing users to fine-tune their preferences and accurately maintain water temperature within a single degree.

"There's nothing else like it," says Jay Beaumont, Lenova's director of sales and marketing. "It all comes down to the valve technology — it's the heart of our new shower series. Not only does one valve control three functions — temperature, volume and pressure — but it keeps the shower experience consistent from beginning to end for a totally immersive experience."

While other shower systems commonly suffer a loss



of water volume or temperature when running multiple sprayers, Lenova's design delivers a precisely controlled shower environment, even when using the showerhead and body sprayers simultaneously. In fact, the Lenova system is able to keep all water outlets within a 1 degree F temperature difference, even when all showers are operating. The shower is crafted to high standards for performance, including solid brass valves for lasting durability. The system is created with lasting beauty in mind too and is available in polished chrome and brushed nickel.

One of the most popular features of the Thermostatic Shower System, according to Beaumont, is its host of interchangeable options. Customers can choose preset systems or design their own dream shower with the Design-It-Yourself option, which allows users to mix and match components. Choose showerheads, body jets, shower panels, hand-held showers and tub spouts to develop a truly custom design.

"The Thermostatic Shower offers a safer, more soothing and impressively consistent shower experience," Beaumont says. "It is a must-have addition to any spa-inspired bathroom where wellness, relaxation and superior design are valued." 877-733-1098; [www.lenovasinks.com](http://www.lenovasinks.com).

## Sewer Equipment Tempest industrial air mover

The RAMVAC Tempest industrial air mover from Sewer Equipment has an 18-cubic-yard debris box and a 28-inch Hg cfm positive displacement blower through an 8-inch system. The self-discharging filter system provides automatic



interval cleaning of the filter house during operation, reducing downtime. The articulating, extendable knuckleboom provides 4.5 feet of extension, with a total working length of 16 feet and 270-degree range of motion. Standard with a fully opening rear door, the Tempest requires only one dump to eliminate all debris within the box. Also standard is a 50-degree dump angle and 50-inch clearance from splash plate to the ground, allowing for easy off-loading of material into roll-off containers. 800-323-1604; [www.sewerequipment.com](http://www.sewerequipment.com).