Note: The following charts are designed for watering grass. Though it will probably work fine for trees, shrubs or flowers, it may not be optimum. Trees and shrubs have deeper roots and generally need more water less fequently. Flowers generally have more delicate roots and may need more frequent watering schedules. You will be the best judge of the needs of your yard.

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Precipitation Rates

for Lawn in the Salt Lake Valley (Approximate)

Month	Precipitation Inches/Week	**Small Heads** Minutes Per Week	**Large (Rotor) Heads** Minutes Per Week
March	---	When Needed	When Needed
April 1st - 15th	0.5	20 or When Needed	75 or When Needed
April 16th - 30th	0.5	20	75
May 1st - 15th	0.8	32	120
May 16th - 31st	0.8	32	120
June 1st - 15th	1.1	45	165
June 16th - 30th	1.25	50	188
July 1st - 15th	1.3	52	195
July 16th - 31st	1.4	56	210
August 1st - 15th	1.3	52	195
August 16th - 31st	1.1	45	165
September	0.8	32	120
October	---	When Needed	When Needed
November	---	If Needed	If Needed

*** This chart is based, in part, on data from the Utah State University Irrigation Engineering Department.

*** Your needs will vary upon location. Since each area of your yard receives varying amounts of sunlight, wind and humidity, each will need an increase or decrease in amounts of water. Adjust your watering habits accordingly.

Frequency of Watering

For Different Soil Conditions

Sandy ***(Beach Like)***	**Sandy Loam** ***(Sand/Dirt mix)***	**Loam** ***(breaks up easily)***	**Clay** ***(make pottery)***
everyday	every other day	every 3rd or 4th day	every 4th or 5th day

*** Different soil conditions hold the water more or less. Watering cycle frequencies should be adjusted accordingly.

*** When it?s cooler, you can water less often. When it?s hot, you may want to water more often.