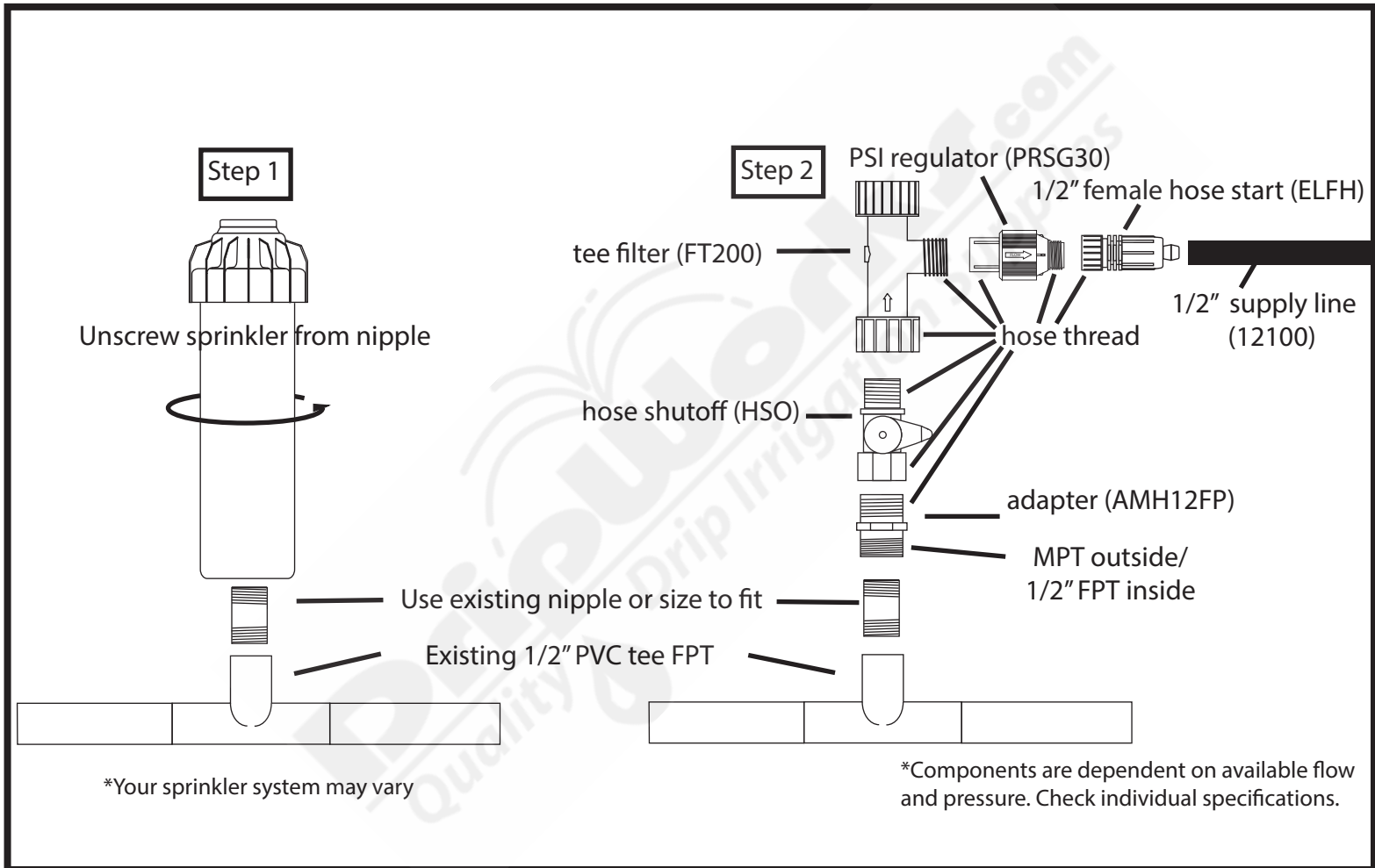


# How to Convert a 1/2" Sprinkler System to Drip Irrigation



Although the idea of converting an existing underground sprinkler system to accommodate drip irrigation may seem daunting, in reality it can be a relatively straightforward proposition. First, turn off the water supply to the sprinkler system and unscrew the selected sprinkler. After that it is simply a matter of adapting a shutoff valve and installing the filter, regulator, and hose start, the basic components for any drip irrigation system start. This example shows 1/2" fittings and tubing, but converting to a 3/4" system is as easy as exchanging the 1/2" female hose start (ELFH) for a 3/4" female hose start (ELFH34).