



Green water guide

- If applicable, take your pool off the timer and let the pool run constantly until the issue is resolved.
- Turn your filter to recirculate, if applicable. This will bypass your filter so that the water can move without the filter plugging up every hour.
- Add _____ of acid.
- Add _____ pounds/gallons of shock.
- Add the sodium bromide Algae Solution **right after** the shock. This algacide is only effective with an ample chlorine reading in your pool.
- Test strip your pool every 2-3 hours and add shock as needed until your chlorine reading is holding, that means all of the algae is dead. Usually it will be holding once the water turns to an aqua or gray cloud.
- Once you are holding a chlorine reading, and your pool water is just cloudy, you can turn your multi-port valve back to the filter position. Just make sure your filter is nice and clean to start filtering out the dead algae.
- Monitor your filter pressure and keep backwashing as needed. Those with DE filters, make sure you are replenishing the proper amount of DE every time you backwash.
- At times you may have residual dead algae in the bottom of the pool. This can be difficult to get rid of without a main drain. The best way is to add some extra water and vacuum the pool to the Waste option on the multi-port valve. Waste will also give you the best suction.
- Once your pool water is clear, you can return your pool to its timer. Make sure your pool is running long enough with a good chlorine reading and proper balancing during the hotter months to help inhibit algae growth as efficiently as possible.