

Chemical Quick Start Up Guide



Step 1: Fill

Fill your spa following user manual instructions.
Always fill your spa by removing a filter and putting the hose in the intake hole.



Step 2: Heat

Heat your spa pool to the desired temperature.



Step 3: Water Treatment

Ensure the cover is off and the pump running.
Dose spa with BioGuard Armour. 6 grams per 1,000 litres.
The litreage of your spa is on the specification sheet.



Step 4: Test Water

Use test strips. Follow the instructions on the container.

Test strips should be used for pH, alkalinity and Total Hardness. Santiser level (Bromine or Chlorine) should be maintained using the dosing instructions on the container, not the test strips.

Ensure you have sanitised with BioGaurd Armour before testing or the reading will not show



Step 5: Water Balance

pH out of balance

If the pH is too **LOW**, add alkalinity increaser (alkalinity up).

If the pH is too **HIGH**, add pH decreaser (pH down).*

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Unbalanced spa water can damage your spa pumps and heaters.



Step 6: Water Hardness

Total hardness

This can be done a few days after start up and usually only affects those on bore or tank water supply.

If total hardness reading is too **LOW**, add calcium increaser.*

If total hardness reading is too **HIGH** add water softener.*

Low water hardness can damage your spa pumps and heater. High water hardness will create a build-up of scale.

* This product is not included in the chemical start kit. In the unlikely event that you require this, please visit spastore.com.au

Regular Chemical Maintenance Guide

Daily Maintenance:

Dose spa with BioGaurd Armour.

Ensure the cover is off and the pump running.

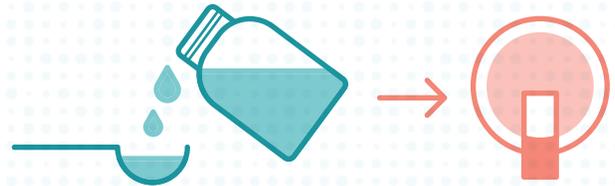


Weekly Maintenance:

- A. Test the water using a test strip – follow instructions on container. Compare the wet test strip to the back of the test strip container.

If you are following daily dosage instructions, you can disregard the FCL reading on the test strips. Test strips should be used for pH, alkalinity and Total Hardness. Santiser level (Bromine or Chlorine) should be maintained using the dosing instructions on the container, not the test strips.

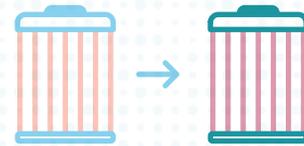
- B. Adjust pH, alkalinity and total hardness as per step 5 in the quick start guide.



Monthly Maintenance:

- A. Remove and clean your pleated cartridge filters using the included Cartridge Cleaner by following the instructions on the container.

Vortex Purezone Filters are disposable and cannot be cleaned.

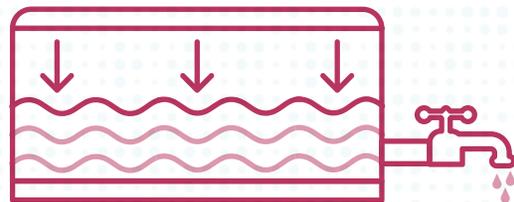


4 - 6 monthly Maintenance:

Depending on your spa usage replace the water in your portable spa (swim spa water should be changed once a year), by following these instructions:

- A. Add Pipe Degreaser to your spa following the included pipe degreaser treatment instructions on the container.
- B. Drain your spa by following the draining procedure in your user guide.
- C. Restart by following the quick start up guide on the reverse.

If using Vortex Purezone filters, they should be replaced every 3-5 months regardless of whether you have a portable spa or a swim spa.



IMPORTANT NOTE:

Follow dosage and safety instructions on the container.

The use of poor quality chemicals can lead to poor water quality which results in issues not covered by your spas warranty. We recommend using BioGaurd products only. Using other products can impact your warranty.

All parts and chemicals are available from www.spastore.com.au

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