

# Maintaining a Pool with **SIMPLE SALT**

Start the season by having your pool water professionally tested and adjust as needed. This is necessary for chemicals to work effectively as well as protecting your liner and pool equipment from premature wear!

- 1.) Every season for start up do the following:
  - Replace Simple Salt Cartridge
  - Get pump and filter running
  - Add 1 Bag of Pool Salt by pouring in pool and brushing
  - Add 1 Bucket of Simple Salt Prime - Stay out of pool for 24hrs
- 2.) Turn the Simple Salt system on and set dial to 3 to start.
- 3.) Add Simple Salt Shimmer every week through the skimmer  
(1 Bag for 21' & smaller - 2 Bags for 24' & larger)
- 4.) Add 1/2 Bottle of Simple Salt Vivid directly into the pool every week.
- 5.) Test pool weekly with test strips. Just dip and compare colors.  
Adjust pH and Alkalinity as needed. Maintain a mineral level of .3 - .5, this takes about 3 days after initial start-up. Adjust dial on unit to increase or decrease.

- 6.) Run filter system at least 12 hours a day. If you have a 2 speed pump, run the system 24 hours a day on low speed!

Clean filter as needed.

**Sand Filters:** Only backwash when the pressure builds up or return flow slows down. Sand filters filter out finer particles as they clog up. If you keep the filter too clean it will not work efficiently!

**Cartridge & DE Filters:** Clean whenever the pressure builds up or return flow slows down. If you have a DE filter make sure to add DE every time you backwash!



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