

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**Initial Dose:** 1 gallon Algaecide to 50,000 gallons of water.

**Maintenance Dose:** 1 quart Algaecide to 50,000 gallons of water.

Initial dose is used when filling pool at beginning of swimming season. If pool has visible algae growth, treat with initial dose. Vacuum pool after 24 hours to remove algae debris. If visible algae are still present or reappear, repeat this treatment procedure as necessary. When pool is free of visible algae, use the recommended maintenance dose.

Maintenance dose should be added at 3-5 day intervals. If high temperatures prevail or pool has unusually heavy use, add maintenance dose frequently.

If make-up of water is added at the rate of more than 10% per week of pool capacity, add 1 quart of Algaecide for each 10,000 gallons of fresh make-up water added per week.

When swimming season is over, add 1 gallon of Algaecide to 50,000 gallons of water in treating water left in pool. This dose helps provide a measure of control of algae growth during the winter months. This treatment will also help the servicing of the pool before it is returned to use the following season.

When Algaecide is used as directed, it will kill and prevent development of *Chlorella pyrenoidosa* (green), *Phormidium inundatum* (black algae), *Phormidium retzii* (Square D algae), *Lyngba versicolor* (blue-green) and other swimming pool algae.

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## SWIMMING POOL ALGAECIDE

Keeps Pool Water Clear and Free of Visible Algae

Controls Algae Slimes

### ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

n-Alkyl (60% C<sub>14</sub>, 30% C<sub>16</sub>, 5% C<sub>12</sub>, 5% C<sub>18</sub>)  
dimethyl benzyl ammonium chlorides ..... 5%  
n-Alkyl (68% C<sub>12</sub>, 32% C<sub>14</sub>)  
dimethyl ethylbenzyl ammonium chlorides ..... 5%

INERT INGREDIENTS ..... 90%

100%

ONE GALLON

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TOLEDO, OHIO 43607

## DANGER

Keep Out of Reach of Children. See other warnings on side panel.

Algaecide is corrosive and should not be used for treating chemicals in water. Algaecide

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Do not get in eyes. Wear gloves when handling.

### NOTICE TO USER

Probable mucous membrane irritation. Precautions against contact with eyes and skin are needed.

"This product is highly flammable and will drain into water.

### FIRST AID

In case of contact with eyes, flush with water for 15 minutes. For eye irritation, flush with water before reuse. If irritation persists, consult a physician. If not available, consult a pharmacist.

Rinse empty container thoroughly.

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Algaecide is compatible with most commonly used swimming pool chemicals, but should not be mixed with soap or other cleaners, or premixed with other water-treating chemicals. Algaecide works best when added by itself directly to pool water. Algaecide at use dilution is non-corrosive to inanimate surfaces

## DANGER

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.  
CAUSES SEVERE EYE AND SKIN DAMAGE.**

Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, and rubber gloves when handling. Harmful or fatal if swallowed. Avoid contamination of food.

### NOTICE TO PHYSICIAN:

Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression and convulsions may be needed.

"This product is toxic to fish. Treated effluent should not be discharged where it will drain into lakes, streams, ponds, or public water."

### FIRST AID

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. For eyes, call a physician. Remove and wash all contaminated clothing before reuse. If swallowed, drink milk, egg whites, gelatin solution, or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Call a physician

Rinse empty container thoroughly with water and discard.