

AquaRite Salt Chlorinator / Initial procedures

Make certain that your pool is thoroughly clean especially following its installation and/or at the beginning of spring. Please refer to the user guide on how to vacuum your pool.

Position the AquaRite Salt Chlorinator to “OFF” and make sure the pool is operational.



HOW TO ADD SALT IN YOUR POOL

- Add the recommended amount of salt in the deepest end of your pool.
Important: If your pool was on a salt chlorinator the year before, use **only half of the recommended amount of salt**. For example, after shocking and cleaning your pool, you should only add 1-1/2 bags of salt for model F-21 rather than 3 bags as per the chart.
- Wait for the salt to dissolve completely. This may take up to 48 hours. Do not do a *Backwash* nor a *Waste* during this procedure.
- After 48 hours, set the AquaRite Salt Chlorinator to “Auto”. Wait a few hours and then check your salt’s *PPM level (*Particule Per Million = salt level in your pool).
Please note that in order to operate successfully, the pool’s PPM level must range between 2700PPM and 3400PPM.

HOW TO ADJUST MY PPM LEVEL?

- If the salt level does not reach 2700 PPM: gradually add ½ bag of salt at a time.
- If the salt level is higher than 3400 PPM: set your filter to WASTE and drain your pool water for a few minutes. Then, using a garden hose, add water in your pool to dilute the presence of salt in your water.
Once you reach a PPM level between 2700 and 3400, the pool is now capable of producing its own chlorine.

HOW TO MANAGE YOUR CHLORINE PRODUCTION.

- Adjust your system’s “Desired output %” knob to 50%.
- Wait 3-4 days, and then test the pool’s chlorine level using pool strips or drops of phenol.
 - If the chlorine level is ideal, leave the system at 50%.
 - If the results are high, lower the percentage level.
 - If the results are low, increase the percentage level.

!!!PLEASE TAKE NOTE: During the summer, the “Desired output %” will vary depending on the water’s temperature, the weather and the number of daylight hours in a day. For example, your pool’s chlorine intake will increase during a heatwave and decrease on cool days.

***If your water turns green, you may need to proceed with a powder-based shock treatment.

Salt quantity per pool model.	
Models	Bag of salt
F-1 · F-2 · F-20	1¼
F-3 · F-7 · F-9 F-18 · F-23 · F-27	3
F-10 · F-14 · F-15	5
F-21 · F-25	3½
F-8 · F-12 · F-22	4
F-16	5½
F-11	2
F-17 · F-26	1
F-24	1¾