

Skimmer

! The main drain valve is located underneath the wastebasket inside the skimmer box.

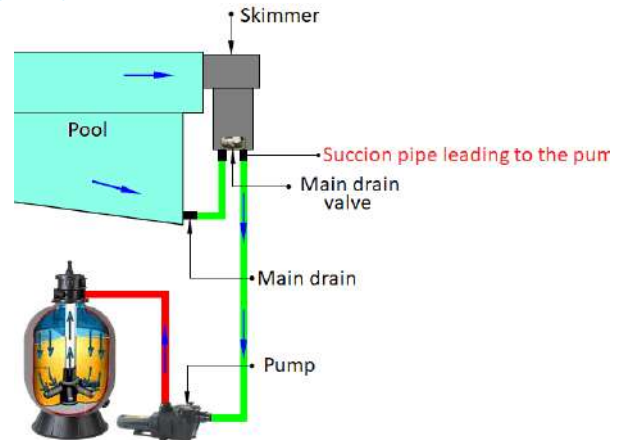
You must remove the main drain valve in the winter and reinstall it in the spring.

Your main drain valve is equipped with a **red pointer** and a **rotating clasp**.



Rotating clasp

Red Pointer



BY ITS DESIGN, THE MAIN DRAIN VALVE CAN PERFORM SEVERAL FUNCTIONS:



Normal filtration position

When the **red pointer** is **horizontal** and the **clasp** is **open**.

The pump will suction evenly between the main drain and the skimmer (50%/50%).

This is the normal filtration position.



Passing the vacuum

When the **red pointer** positioned **vertical** and the **clasp** is **open**.

This will close off the main drain enabling the pump to suction only and completely from the skimmer (100%).

This is the vacuuming position.



Draining water from the pool

When the **red pointer** positioned **horizontally** and the **clasp** is **closed**.

This will close off the skimmer and suction will be taken from the main drain (100%).

This is the draining position.



To lower the pool's water level below the skimmer's faceplate, we recommend you insert your garden hose into the skimmer and let the water drain slowly. This will prevent the pump from shutting off.

IMPORTANT: It is highly recommended to verify and measure the water level in your draining well before draining your pool.