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# Green Algae Treatment

Green pool water and green pool surfaces are signs of an algae infestation. This is due to a chemical imbalance with your pool water. Avoid a green pool by regularly testing the pool water. Address any imbalances promptly.

Follow these simple steps to bring your pool back to a crystal clear oasis.

**PLEASE NOTE: If you have a pool cleaner in the pool, disconnect and remove the cleaner from the pool.**

**If your system uses a cartridge filter, clean the cartridge now. If your system uses a D.E. filter, strip and clean the filter now. Only backwash a media filter if the filter requires backwashing.**

- Step 1** Add  litres of **ACID** to the pool water to bring the pH level of the water down. For pool chlorine to work effectively, the pH level needs to be between 7.0 to 7.6.
- Step 2** Add  litres / kg of **CHLORINE** to the pool as a shock dose. This means super-chlorinating the water to kill off any bacteria and algae.
- Step 3** Add 500gms of an **OXIDISING SHOCK TREATMENT**.
- Step 4** Add  litres of **ALGAECIDE** to the water to help kill off and prevent the growth of the algae.
- Step 5** Add  litres of **CLARIFIER**. Also add a **CLARIFIER CUBE**, to the pump basket, or **CLARIFIER TABLET** to the skimmer to accelerate clearing of the water.
- Step 6** Rake out all debris from the pool and thoroughly brush the pool walls and floor.
- Step 7** Turn the pump ON for 24 - 48 hours or until water is crystal clear. Cartridge filters may need to be cleaned daily during this treatment program to expediate the treatment.

**Once all these steps have been completed, take a water sample down to one of the Rode Pool Service Centres and have the water chemically analysed and rebalanced.**