

WATER CARE: SPA FROG @EASE FLOATER - SWIM SPA

SWIM SPA MODEL _____ TOTAL GALLONS _____

START UP:

- 1. ALWAYS REFER TO YOUR OWNER'S MANUAL for complete information.**
This instruction sheet is for customers converting their swim spa to the Frog @Ease Floater system.
These instructions are only for the SWIM SPA side, not for the spa side.
If you are converting from silver ion/granulated chlorine without draining and refilling, start at Step 4.
The Cyanuric Acid (CYA) level should be at or below 40ppm to convert existing water.
If you are converting from bromine or biguanide, you must fully drain and refill your swim spa.
2. Follow the start up instructions located in the *Getting Started* section of your owner's manual.
Make sure your swim spa is turned off at the subpanel before filling with water.
3. **After the swim spa is:**
 - Filled with water.
 - You have installed all the filters.
 - You have turned on your swim spa at the subpanel and reset the GFCI breaker.
 - You have set the temperature on the swim spa.
4. Once the swim spa reaches your desired temperature, **you can begin the water balancing process.**
FOR STEPS 5-7 REFER TO THE WATER BALANCE GUIDELINES ON PG.2
5. **Test your water** and balance alkalinity, PH, and lastly calcium hardness using test strips.
Water balancing may take a few days to get within range. You can move on to Step 6 while balancing is in progress.
6. **Add the appropriate number of Jump Start Packets** based on your swim spa gallons to establish a residual amount of **Free Chlorine (FCL)** between **0.5 - 1 ppm** on your test strip while running the swim jets on high speed for 20 minutes. Disperse the Jump Start packets in the swim area away from the walls.
7. **Install the Frog Floater**
 - Remove all the packaging from the blue Frog mineral cartridge and the gray @Ease SmartChlor cartridge.
 - Align the gray cartridge with the tab guides on the blue mineral cartridge.
 - Push together until you hear the cartridge click into place.
 - Set the gray @Ease SmartChlor cartridge to the setting that matches your swim spa size in gallons.
 - Place the floater into your swim spa. *Optional* - The tether can be used to attach the floater to the railing of the swim spa.

Please Note: Spa Frog is designed to maintain a residual level of .5 - 1.0 ppm chlorine in the water.
If the SmartChlor reading on the test strip is a lighter shade compared to the SmartChlor square on the test strip bottle, increase the SmartChlor cartridge setting number to allow the cartridge to dispense more SmartChlor.
If the SmartChlor reading on the test strip is a darker shade, decrease the cartridge setting number.

WEEKLY:

1. Test and adjust alkalinity, PH, then calcium hardness in that order using test strips.
2. Check and adjust the SmartChlor level if needed.
3. Rinse filters with water to remove debris.

CHANGING THE SMARTCHLOR CARTRIDGE:

1. **The gray SmartChlor cartridge part will last 3-4wks with average use.**
2. When the Frog floater flips completely over, the gray SmartChlor cartridge needs to be replaced.
3. Shock the swim spa with a Spa Frog **Maintain for Swim Spas** pouch when you change the gray SmartChlor cartridge.
4. **Helpful Tip:** If the floater has not completely flipped over yet, try adding 1/2 a Maintain pouch to free up any remaining amount of SmartChlor from the cartridge. This may extend the time between gray cartridge replacements.

ALWAYS refer to your Owner's Manual for complete information on water care, filter care and general maintenance.

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MONTHLY:

1. Clean filters with a hot tub filter cleaner spray.

EVERY 4 MONTHS:

1. Replace the entire Spa Frog floater - the blue mineral cartridge part lasts 4 months.

EVERY 12 MONTHS:

1. Draining half the water from your swim spa and filling with fresh water is recommended every 12 months.
2. After you have drained and refilled your swim spa, follow the start up instructions for balancing the water on page 1 and in your owner's manual.

OTHER TIPS:

- Frog @ease for Swim Spas does **NOT** contain cyanuric acid (CYA).
- After periods of extended use, shock the spa with a Spa Frog Maintain packet.
- When balancing your swim spa water, ALWAYS disperse the chemicals into the water away from the walls and ALWAYS run the jets on high speed with the cover OPEN for at least 20 minutes.
- Use CLEAN START when you fully drain your swim spa to purge the plumbing lines.
- If you have well water, fill with a Clean Screen hose end filter EVERY time.
- ALWAYS test fill water for metals, phosphates and high calcium before filling your swim spa.
- Change paper filters ANNUALLY.
- **DO NOT USE ANY TYPE OF POOL CHLORINE OR OTHER POOL CHEMICALS IN YOUR SWIM SPA.**

SWIM SPA WATER BALANCE GUIDELINES:

MODEL	GALLONS	START UP JUMP START	@EASE GRAY CARTRIDGE SETTING		
			START HERE	LOW USE	HIGH USE
E2000	TOTAL: 2350				
	SWIM SIDE 2000	4 JUMP START PACKETS	3	2	4-5
	SPA SIDE 350				
E700	2150	4 JUMP START PACKETS	3	2	4-5
	W/ TREADMILL 2100	4 JUMP START PACKETS	3	2	4-5
E550	2390	4 JUMP START PACKETS	4	3	5
	W/ TREADMILL 2360	4 JUMP START PACKETS	4	3	5
E500	1770	3 JUMP START PACKETS	2-3	1	4
	W/ TREADMILL 1735	3 JUMP START PACKETS	2	1	3-4
X2000 SWIMCROSS	TOTAL: 2350				
	SWIM SIDE 2000	4 JUMP START PACKETS	3	2	4-5
	SPA SIDE 350				
X500 SWIMCROSS	1650	3 JUMP START PACKETS	2	1	3-4
R500 RECSPORT	1785	3 JUMP START PACKETS	2-3	2	4
R200 RECSPORT	1335	3 JUMP START PACKETS	2	1	3

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- **ALKALINITY** 80-120ppm (Target 100ppm)
Use PH decreaser to lower alkalinity.
Use alkalinity increaser/up to raise.
- **PH** 7.2-7.8
Use PH increaser/decreaser to adjust.
- **CALCIUM HARDNESS** 150-250ppm
Use calcium hardness to increase.
Use vanishing act bag to lower.
- **CYA (cyanuric acid)** 20-50ppm
40ppm or less: Ok to convert to Frog @ease.
80-100ppm: Partial drain and refill.
Above 100ppm: Full drain and refill.

Swim Spa @Ease Floater Setting Chart

Gallons	Setting
Less than 1800	2
1800 to 2200	3
More than 2200	4

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