

Palmetto Pool Base is carefully formulated to give more coverage for each bag, good value, and a quality product which spreads easily, especially on walls and slopes. It is important to follow the mixing instructions for best results.

Palmetto Pool Base Mixing Directions --on the Back of every Bag

1. Start with **6 ½ - 8 gallons of water in the mixer**. (6 ½ for stiff mix, up to 8 gallons maximum)
 2. Turn the mixer on and “cut in” (gradually pour) one bag of Palmetto Pool Base. (1 Bag)
 3. Mix for 30 seconds. Stop.
 4. Add remaining water, if needed. Mix for no more than 1 minute.
- Mix 1 bag at the time for Palmetto Pool Base.
 - For “stiffer mixture” (for slopes and walls) [start with 6 ½ gallons of water](#).
 - If you add the rest of the water, [up to 8 gallons](#), Do NOT mix for more than one minute.
 - Like pancake batter, if you mix too much, the mixture will become runny!

Competitive pre-mix brands use the following ratios of bag mix and water:

- 2 bags of mix with 5 gallons of water
- 1 bag of mix with 4-5 gallons of water
- 1 bag of mix with 4-6 gallons of water

Remember, Palmetto Pool Base calls for 1 bag of mix and **6.5-8 gallons of water** -- allows your product to go farther for more coverage and good value.

1. What if a customer uses 5 gallons of water instead of following Palmetto directions?

This is not enough water and the mix will crumble.

2. Why the range of 6 ½ –8 gallons water with Palmetto Pool Base?

A pool builder may use 6.5 gallons of water for a stiffer mix for pool walls and slopes. 8 gallons of water is the max amount to be used with a bag of Palmetto Pool Base.

3. What if a customer doesn't measure the water OR dumps in 8 gallons of water, then opens additional bag(s) of Palmetto Pool Base and free-pours it in to try to thicken the mix? This will make a runny mess, stirred too much.