

# CARTRIDGE FILTER CLEANING GUIDE



Cartridge filters are an integral part of a pool or spa system. The cartridge in the filter catches particles, bacteria, and debris, which means that cleaning it is essential to keep your pool or spa sparkling! Pool and spa cartridge filters should be rinsed weekly to remove surface level bacteria/debris. **Spa cartridges should be chemically cleaned every 4–6 weeks and pool cartridges once seasonally to remove oils embedded into the filter and any debris that has worked its way into the pleats.** The lifespan of a pool or spa cartridge is roughly 3–4 years depending on use and maintenance.

## Instructions

- 1 Remove the cartridge/filter from the pool or spa.
- 2 Rinse the filter from the top and work your way down.  
**Do not use a pressure washer as it can damage the fibres in the filter.**
- 3 Soak your filter in a plastic container according to the product instructions below:

### Omni 2-in-1 Filter Cleaner

Use 1/2 bottle to 20 L of fresh water for cleaning 2 spa filters or 1 pool filter. Soak overnight (10–12 hours) in a large container.



### Spa Essentials Filter Cleaner

Use 1 pouch to 20 L of fresh water. Soak overnight (10–12 hours) in a plastic container.



### Spa Marvel Filter Cleaner

Use 2 capfuls per 20 L of fresh water. Soak overnight (10–12 hours) in a plastic container.



- 4 When finished soaking, rinse the filter with fresh water until the water running off the filter has no more bubbles.
- 5 Allow the cartridge to fully dry before reinstalling the filter into the pool or spa. When the filter is being chemically cleaned, the pores of the pleats open up. If the filter does not dry, the pores remain open allowing for dirt, debris and oil to pass through.

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