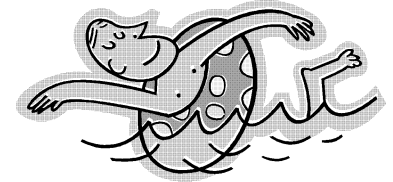


## How to Treat and Prevent Cloudy Water

Cloudy pools may occur due to a number of reasons. Cloudy water largely occurs because of poor water balance, lack of circulation, poor filtration or the depletion of chlorine/bromine. It can also occur due to dead algae, dirty or old filter sand, excessive debris in the pool or leaving solar blankets on for extended periods of time.

1. Bring a pool water sample into Buds for water balance assistance.
2. Remove solar blanket from pool and keep it off.
3. Adjust Total Alkalinity and pH to desired ranges.
4. The pool must circulate for 24 hours a day until it is clear. Timers are not recommended when having pool water problems.
5. Clean all debris from pump basket and skimmer basket.
6. Direct return jets downwards at 45 degree angle.



Choose one of the following options:

### Option A:

Add 50 ml of **POOL SPARKLE** per 10 000 L of pool water. Walk along the poolside staying mainly in the deep end. **Do not** use more than the required amount as this chemical may lose efficiency and cause cloudy water. Backwash when the filter pressure rises 8-10 psi or after 48 hours, whichever comes first. **Do not use this product with Zeobrite, Cartridge or D.E. filters.**

### Option B:

Add 1 oz (30 ml) of **CLEAR & PERFECT** per 15 000L of pool water. Spray across entire pool surface concentrating on deep surface areas. This is the **only** product that may be used with Cartridge and D.E. filters.

- Ensure sanitizing systems are working effectively (i.e. chlorinators/brominators are not clogged; salt chlorinators do not have scale build-up and are generating adequately).
- All filters need to be cleaned annually with **FILTER CLEANSE**.
- Filter sand should be changed approximately every 5-7 years, if the filter is being chemically treated on an annual basis.
- Filtration, circulation, cleaning and chemical balance are extremely important in maintaining a clear and problem free pool. Be sure to test your water on a monthly basis to prevent problems that might shorten your swimming season.

**Always ensure pump and filter systems run continuously during all treatments!**  
**Every pool should be treated weekly to maintain sparkling, clear water.**

