

START-UP or CONVERSION

to a BAQUACIL® Pool



How to Start a New or Freshly Filled Pool on the BAQUACIL® Pool Care System:

1. Fill the pool with water. Start filter and brush and vacuum the pool. Run filter continuously for 24 hours.
2. Clean or backwash the filter using **BAQUACIL® SAND FILTER CLEANER** or **BAQUACIL® D.E. & CARTRIDGE FILTER CLEANER**.
3. Calculate the volume of your pool to determine the right amount of chemicals to use. If you measure the length, width and depth of your pool, your *Authorized Dealer* will be able to calculate your pool volume.
4. Take a water sample to your *Authorized Dealer* for a thorough water analysis using the PINPOINT™ Water Analysis System. Follow your Dealer's recommendations to balance your pool water.
5. Neutralize any chlorine that is present by adding 1 bottle (5 oz. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® CHLORINE NEUTRALIZER** for every 2ppm of free chlorine. Allow the water to circulate for 8 to 12 continuous hours and verify that the free chlorine level is 0.
6. Remove metals (if present):
 - a. If water contains metals – add 1 bottle (1¼ lbs. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® METAL CONTROL** for every 2ppm of metals present. Circulate water for 8 to 12 continuous hours.
 - b. If starting a plaster pool – you must add 1 bottle (1¼ lbs. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® METAL CONTROL** regardless of metal levels. Circulate water for 8 to 12 continuous hours.
7. Add 1 bottle (4 pints per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® SANITIZER AND ALGISTAT** to achieve a level of 50ppm.
8. Add INITIAL DOSE (5¼ oz. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® ALGICIDE** and run the filter continuously for 24 hours.

For easy start-up, see your *Authorized Dealer* to get your **BAQUACIL® Easy Start Kit** in convenient 10,000 and 20,000 gallon pool sizes!

Start-Up Dosages				
Gallons	BAQUACIL® CHLORINE NEUTRALIZER	BAQUACIL® SANITIZER AND ALGISTAT	BAQUACIL® ALGICIDE	BAQUACIL® OXIDIZER
5,000	2½ oz.	2 pints	2½ oz.	½ gal.
10,000	5 oz.	4 pints	5¼ oz.	1 gal.
15,000	7½ oz.	6 pints	7½ oz.	1½ gals.
20,000	10 oz.	8 pints	10½ oz.	2 gals.
25,000	12½ oz.	10 pints	13 oz.	2½ gals.
30,000	15 oz.	12 pints	15¼ oz.	3 gals.
35,000	17½ oz.	14 pints	18 oz.	3½ gals.
40,000	20 oz.	16 pints	21 oz.	4 gals.
50,000	25 oz.	20 pints	26¼ oz.	5 gals.

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How to Convert a Chlorine or Bromine Pool to the BAQUACIL® Pool Care System:

1. Take a water sample to your *Authorized Dealer* to test on PINPOINT™ Water Analysis System. Follow your Dealer's recommendations to balance your pool water.
2. Brush and vacuum the pool and clean the filter using **BAQUACIL® SAND FILTER CLEANER** or **BAQUACIL® D.E. & CARTRIDGE FILTER CLEANER**.
3. Remove the source of chlorine or bromine and discontinue further use of these chemicals.
4. Neutralize the chlorine or bromine:
 - a. If water is clear and contains free chlorine – add 1 bottle (5 oz. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® CHLORINE NEUTRALIZER** for every 2ppm of free chlorine. Allow the water to circulate for 8 to 12 continuous hours and verify that the free chlorine level is 0.
 - b. If haze or algae are present – add 1 bottle (1 gallon per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® OXIDIZER**. Allow the water to circulate for 8 to 12 continuous hours and verify that the free chlorine level is 0.
5. Remove metals (if present):
 - a. If water contains metals – add 1 bottle (1¼ lbs. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® METAL CONTROL** for every 2ppm of metals present. Circulate water for 8 to 12 continuous hours.
 - b. If converting a plaster pool – you must add 1 bottle (1¼ lbs. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® METAL CONTROL** regardless of metal levels. Circulate water for 8 to 12 continuous hours.
6. Add 1 bottle (4 pints per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® SANITIZER AND ALGISTAT** to achieve a level of 50ppm.
7. Add INITIAL DOSE (5¼ oz. per 10,000 gallons) of **BAQUACIL® ALGICIDE** and run the filter continuously for 24 hours.

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25,000	12½ oz.	10 pints	13 oz.	2½ gals.
30,000	15 oz.	12 pints	15¾ oz.	3 gals.
35,000	17½ oz.	14 pints	18 oz.	3½ gals.
40,000	20 oz.	16 pints	21 oz.	4 gals.
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