Shock Treatment

**Why You Should Use This Product:** This is a highly effective multi-purpose product that sanitizes, clarifies, prevents algae and shock treats your pool. It is convenient, easy to use, and won't over-stabilize your pool. For crystal clear pool water, the makers of HTH® recommend the following 4 step pool care program that includes: Step 1: Test and adjust pool water balance. Step 2: Chlorinate and clarify. Step 3: Shock treat once a week. Step 4: Add algaeicide regularly. Additional shocking to keep water clean and clear is recommended after: Rain and heavy winds; High number of swimmers; Increased water temperature; Increased frequency of pool usage.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. READ ALL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS BEFORE USE.

**How To Use:** Add the recommended dosage of this product during evening hours while the filter is running. When adding this product to your pool, broadcast the product evenly over a wide area in the deepest part of the pool. Use the whole bag when opened. If any granules settle to the bottom of the pool use brush to disperse.

**Water Balance:** For best product performance, swimmer comfort and crystal clear water. 1. Maintain pH in the range of 7.2 to 7.8. Allow the pH adjusters to dissolve and disperse before adding this product to the pool. 2. Maintain total alkalinity in the range of 60 to 180 parts per million (ppm). 3. Maintain calcium hardness above 200 ppm. 4. Maintain available chlorine level at 1-4 ppm. Use a reliable test kit that measures all these ranges. Use HTH Pool Care Products to make adjustments. Follow label directions for each product.

**Opening Your Pool:** For best results, see the Water Balance section above before treatment. Test and adjust the pH to 7.2 to 7.8. Allow the pH adjusters to dissolve and disperse before adding this product to the pool. 1. Follow "SHOCK TREATMENT" directions on this package. 2. Allow 30 minutes for product to disperse. 3. Test for free available chlorine residual with a pool test kit. 4. Repeat dosage, as needed, until the free available chlorine residual is 1-4 ppm. For best results during the season, follow the HTH 4 Step Program. Re-entry into treated pools is prohibited above levels of 4 ppm for risk of bodily injury.

**Pool Shock Treatment:** Add the recommended dosages of this product while the filter pump is running. Adjust and maintain pH to 7.2 to 7.8 with HTH pH Plus® or HTH pH Minus. Follow label directions. Allow the pH adjusters to dissolve and disperse before adding this product to the pool. When adding this product to your pool, broadcast this product evenly over a wide area of the deepest part of the pool.

**Dosage Rate - Shock Treatment/Super Chlorination:** For best results, see "WATER BALANCE" and "HOW TO USE" section above before treatment. Every 7 days, or as necessary to prevent pool problems, shock treat and super chlorinate by adding 16 to 32 ounces (one to two bags) per 11,500 gallons of water to yield 5 to 10 ppm available chlorine by weight. Re-entry into treated pools is prohibited above levels of 4 ppm for risk of bodily injury. Use entire contents of bag when opened. An additional shock treatment may be required to correct problems which are caused by visible algae, high bathing loads, heavy wind and rainstorms. Additional shock treatments will also remove unpleasant odors and eye irritation. Check the available chlorine with a test kit. DO NOT reenter the pool until the chlorine residual is 1 to 4 ppm. Re-entry into treated pools is prohibited above levels of 4 ppm for risk of bodily injury.

**Algae Control:** 1. Follow "SHOCK TREATMENT" directions on this label. 2. Add this product as close as possible to any algae on the sides or bottom of the pool. 3. DO NOT enter pool until the free available chlorine residual is 1-4 ppm. Re-entry into treated pools is prohibited above levels of 4 ppm for risk of bodily injury. 4. If necessary, repeat the treatment. 5. To prevent possible stinging or bleeding, take the following steps immediately after treatment: Thoroughly clean pool by brushing surface of algae growth, vacuum and cycle through filter. However, if problems persist use your preferred HTH algaecide product regularly. Follow label directions on this product.

**Storage & Disposal:** Keep this product dry in its tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat or open flame. DO NOT reuse empty container. Rinse empty container thoroughly with water to dissolve all material and discard container in trash. DO NOT contaminate food or feed by storage or disposal or cleaning of equipment. For disposal of a contaminated or decomposing product, see EMERGENCY HANDLING.

**Precautionary Statements:** HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS: DANGER. CORROSIVE. Causes irreversible eye damage or skin burns. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. DO NOT get in eyes or on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield. Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves.

**Emergency Handling:** In case of contamination or decomposition: 1. DO NOT reuse container. 2. Immediately remove container to an open and well-ventilated outdoor area by itself. 3. Flood with large amounts of water until the material is dissolved. 4. Dispose of container and any remaining material in an approved landfill area.

**Chemical Hazards:** DANGER, STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT. Add only into water. Use only clean dry utensils to dispense this product. DO NOT use this product in a container or dispensing device that has been used with any other product. KEEP ALL FOREIGN MATERIAL, INCLUDING OTHER POOL TREATMENT PRODUCTS, AWAY FROM THIS PRODUCT. DO NOT ALLOW TO BECOME WET OR DAMP BEFORE USE. CONTAMINATION MAY START A CHEMICAL REACTION THAT CAN GIVE OFF HEAT AND HAZARDOUS GASES AND MAY CAUSE A FIRE OR EXPLOSION. DO NOT touch this chemical with a flame or burning material (like a lighted cigarette).

**Environmental Hazard:** This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

**In Case of Emergency Call:** 1-800-654-9311

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(7.26 kg)

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Kills bacteria
Destroys organic contaminants
Restores crystal clarity to pool water

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:
Calcium Hypochlorite 47.6%
OTHER INGREDIENTS 52.4%
TOTAL 100%
Minimum
Available Chlorine .45%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER: Containers may burst if overheated. Do not incinerate or expose to temperatures above 140°F.

FIRST AID: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If swallowed, give 1-2 cups of water and induce vomiting. If necessary, consult a physician. Contains chlorine gas. Do not inject or群众.

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