**VANTAGE®**

**CHLORINATING STICKS**

Stabilized Chlorinating Sticks for Chlorinators and Skimmers

Slow Dissolving • Concentrated • Stabilized

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT**

Trichloro-s-triazinetrione . . . . . . . . . 98.5%

OTHER INGREDIENTS . . . . . . . . . . . 1.4%

**TOTAL**: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .100.0%

**Available Chlorine 90%**

**NET WEIGHT 50 lbs. (22.68 kg)**

**APPLICATION:**

**IN FLOATERS AND CHLORINATORS:** Dispense this product in an appropriate floating or stationary feeding device, such as an automatic chlorinator. Fill the feeder with this product and adjust the feeding mechanism to provide a continuous level of 1.0 – 3.0 ppm free available chlorine in the pool as determined by a test kit or test strips. Always follow feeder manufacturer’s instructions. Chlorine demand will vary with weather and degree of pool use, but, normally, about 2 ounces of this product per 10,000 gallons of water will be needed daily. The feeding device should be checked regularly and refilled as needed.

**IN SKIMMERS:** This product may be dispensed through the pool skimmer if the skimmer and piping to the pump is plastic. Never add other products through the skimmer when using this product as fire and explosion may result. Initially add one of this product to the skimmer per 10,000 gallons of water. Additional product should be added as necessary to maintain a free available chlorine residual of 1.0 – 3.0 ppm as determined by a test kit. Caution: This product may cause damage to vinyl liners or other bleachable surfaces with direct contact.

**REENTRY:** REENTRY INTO TREATED SWIMMING POOLS IS PROHIBITED ABOVE LEVELS OF 3 PPM OF CHLORINE DUE TO RISK OF BODILY INJURY.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:**

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**CONTAINER HANDLING AND DISPOSAL:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available. If party filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:**

**HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS. DANGER.**

**CORROSIVE.** Causes irreversible eye damage. May be fatal if inhaled. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Do not breathe dust, vapor or spray mist. Wear goggles, face shield or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** This product is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of waste. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

**PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS:** Strong oxidizing agent. DO NOT mix with other chemicals. Mix with organic matter or other chemicals will start a chemical reaction and generate heat, hazardous gas, possible fire and explosion. In case of contamination or decomposition, do not reseal container. If possible, isolate container in open air, well ventilated area. Avoid moisture getting into container. Keep off wet floors. In case of spillage, wash with large amounts of water. After each use, keep container tightly closed. Oxidizing material. Keep away from flames, sparks and all sources of heat. Avoid contact with organic material.

**SWIMMING POOL DISINFECTANT**

This product, when used as directed, is effective as a swimming pool water disinfectant.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

If it is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and use directions.

**SUPERCHLORINATION**

Superchlorination is necessary at the beginning of the bathing season, whenever the pool is filled, every week during hot weather, and following heavy rain or windstorms. Superchlorinate the pool with a suitable granular product by following directions on that product’s label. Keep pump-filter system running for at least 10 hours after treatment. Frequency of treatment depends on ambient temperatures and bather load. DO NOT reenter pool until the chlorine residual has dropped to 1.0 – 3.0 ppm.

**MAINTENANCE TREATMENT**

Ensure all pool equipment and systems are in proper working condition and that the water is balanced. When using other products as outlined in directions for this product, always follow directions on those products. Adjust and maintain pool water balance in the range of 7.2-7.6 as indicated by a suitable test kit. Superchlorinate the pool with a suitable granular product to establish a free available chlorine residual of 1.0 – 3.0 ppm. For maximum effectiveness, it is recommended that the pool be first stabilized with 25-35 ppm of Cyanuric Acid to reduce chlorine loss in sunlit pools. This product introduces chlorine and additional Cyanuric Acid into the pool to assure a stabilizing effect.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.