

GUIDE TO CLOSING your pool

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Key to winterise your pool

Temperature < 15°C





1 PREPARE AND CLEAN THE POOL

- Clean the water line with **hth**® BORKLER® GEL.
- Measure the pH using the CHLORINE/pH test kit by **hth**®.
- Adjust the pH of the pool water to between 7.0 and 7.4, using the pH corrector 2 days before winterising.
- Carry out shock chlorination with the filter in operation non-stop for 24 hours with **hth**® SHOCK®, 2 days before winterising.
- Clean the pool with a manual vacuum and the filter in “drain” position. This will lower the water level.

Check the pH with a CHLORINE/pH test kit and adjust it if necessary.

Perform shock chlorination with **hth**® SHOCK®



Ideal pH analysis	Filtration	Dosage	In
Between 7.0 and 7.4	 In operation	1 capful  =  300 g 20 m ³	In the pool 

Clean the sides of the pool with **hth**® BORKLER® GEL



Leave to act for 10 minutes after application

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DESCALE THE FILTER AND THE CELLS

- Clean and descale the filter, spreading the product slowly and directly into the filter (if the filter cannot open, introduce **hth**[®] FILTERWASH upstream, into the pre-filter).
Wash and rinse the filter until the product is dispersed (no more water colour).
- If you have a salt electrolysis pool, clean the cells by immersing them in a diluted solution (1 litre for 4 litres of water) until the calcium deposits have completely disappeared (expect this to take 2 to 3 hours).
Rinse the electrodes with water until the foam disappears.
- Lower the water level to below the discharge nozzles.
- Drain the pipes, the pre-filter, the pump and the filter.

Descal the filter with **hth**[®] FILTERWASH.
Lower the water level.
Drain the pipes, the pre-filter, the pump and the filter.



Also clean the salt electrolysis cells :

Dilute the product at a ratio of 1 l in 4 l of water.

Leave any electrodes with calcium build-up to soak for 2 to 3 hours, then rinse with fresh water.

Dosage		Filtration	Backwash	
Sand filter : (allow to act for at least 1/2 a day) • 1 l to 2 l for a filter with $\varnothing < 50$ cm • 2 l to 5 l for a filter with \varnothing between 50 cm and 1 m • 5 l to 20 l for a filter with \varnothing between 1 m and 1.5 m Cartridge filter : (Allow to act for a minimum of 2 hours) The product should be diluted: 1 l in 10 l of water		Stopped 		 Introduce the product into the filter or ahead of the filter (pre-filter)
Position rinse/drain for a few seconds (to introduce the product into the filter) 	 Leave for 12 hours.	Backwash Rinsing	Backwash and rinse abundantly until the water runs clear in the control panel (when this is possible)	

3 WINTERISE




- Winterise with **hth**® SUPER WINTERPROTECT, pouring it directly into the pool water going all around the pool in order to evenly distribute the product.
- No foam **hth**® SUPER WINTERPROTECT prevents build-up of calcium and effectively fights against parasites such as algae and fungus during the winter period.
- Dosage in relation to the volume of your pool:

17 m ³	35 m ³	50 m ³	70 m ³	90 m ³	105 m ³	135 m ³
0.5 L	1 L	1.5 L	2 L	2.5 L	3 L	4 L

Pour
SUPER WINTERPROTECT
spreading it all around the pool.

With no
copper sulphate



Filtration	Dosage
In operation 1 hour 	1 litre =  =  35 m ³

4 INSTALL AND PROTECT

- Install the line of winter buoys diagonally across the pool.

Pool size	7 x 3	8 x 4	10 x 5	12 x 6
Number of floaters	16	20	24	28

- Place a bottle of Gizzmo in each skimmer after removing the baskets.
- PLACE one rubber plug per nozzle and suction point.
Screw in to replace the nozzles.
- Unplug the electrical box.
- Install a winter cover that covers the pool and the pool edges. This will protect the pool from various forms of external pollution and limit the proliferation of algae by keeping the pool in darkness.

**EXERCISE PRECAUTION WHEN USING CHEMICAL POOL TREATMENTS.
BEFORE USING, READ THE LABEL AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE PRODUCT ON
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Winterizing video



Winterising the pool

How to **calculate**
the **volume** of your pool?

Rectangular



Round



Oval



Freeform



How to **stabilize**
the **pH** of your pool?

Ideal pH value : 7.0 - 7.4



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