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Spa Start-Up with Bromine

1. Turn off power to spa before draining. After draining spa, make sure spa is properly cleaned. (Skip this step for new spas.)
2. Fill spa with fresh water to 1-2" above highest jet (Do **NOT** count neck and shoulder massage jets.)
3. Test Alkalinity and pH and balance accordingly.
 - a. Alkalinity should be between 100-150ppm (ideal is 120ppm)
 - b. pH should be between 7.2- 7.8 (ideal is 7.6)
(Wait 2- 4hrs between each adjustment)
4. Once water is balanced, add 5 to 6 bromine tablets to skimmer tray/floater.
5. Add recommended dosage of Brom-Start and let spa run 2 hours.

IMPORTANT:

Add 1 to 2 caps full of spa shock (depending on cap-size) per week to start with. You may have to increase or decrease dosage volume or frequency based on usage habits.

Test spa water every 2 to 3 days. Maintain bromine levels between 2- 5ppms. Adjust number of bromine tabs used as necessary to maintain a 2-5ppm sanitizer level.

Remove and clean filters once a month. Use a garden hose that has a pressure nozzle and make sure to get in between the pleats of the filter.

Soak filters every 4 months in a filter cleaner solution. Rinse filters thoroughly with a garden hose. Make sure filters are completely dry before replacing to allow the fibers to expand and fluff up, thus providing more effective filtration.

Drain spa every 3 to 4 months depending on use.

What to adjust first?

IF pH & ALKALINITY ARE BOTH HIGH- ADJUST BOTH BY USING pH LOWER.

IF pH IS HIGH AND ALKALINITY IS LOW- ADJUST pH FIRST AND THEN ALKALINITY.

IF pH AND ALKALINITY ARE BOTH LOW- ADJUST ALKALINITY FIRST.

IF pH IS LOW AND ALKALINITY IS HIGH- ADJUST ALKALINITY FIRST AND THEN pH.

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