



SILK BALANCE WATER CARE INSTRUCTIONS

(New Hot Tub Start Up)



FOR MAXIMUM EFFECTIVENESS

Silk Balance works with all types of hot tubs. It works best with new tubs equipped with an ozonator, a 24 hour circulation pump, and an AG Silver Ion Cartridge.

START UP

- ☞ Insert a garden hose into the gray filter standpipe and fill your hot tub with water to just above the jets and below the headrests.
- ☞ Allow the hot tub to heat to your desired temperature, approximately 102 degrees.
- ☞ Insert an AG Silver Ion Cartridge into the gray filter standpipe.
- ☞ Silk Balance is designed for use with regular tap water. Most city and well water has a normal range for pH between 7.2 and 8.2. Test your water with a test strip. If pH is above or below these levels, simply adjust your water with pH Increaser or pH Decreaser.
- ☞ Add 1 TBSP of chlorine granules to the filter compartment of your hot tub.
- ☞ Turn the jets on and allow them to run for approximately 1 hour.

THE NEXT DAY

- ☞ Shake the Silk Balance for 30 seconds.
- ☞ Pour 4 ounces into the filter compartment of the hot tub and allow it to circulate naturally with the pump action.
- ☞ DO NOT RUN THE JETS.
- ☞ Wait an hour before using the hot tub.

MAINTENANCE:

After Each Use	Once a Week
MPS Oxidizer 1 TBSP per person	Chlorine 1TBSP 4 oz Silk Balance***

***** SILK BALANCE should be added the day AFTER you add the Chlorine**

- ☞ **AFTER EACH USE –**
 - Upon getting out of your hot tub, add 1 TBSP of MPS Oxidizer per person to the filter compartment and run the jets for about 10 minutes.
- ☞ **EVERY WEEK –**
 - Add 1 TBSP chlorine granules to the filter compartment
 - Run the jets for about 30 – 60 minutes
- ☞ **THE NEXT DAY**
 - Shake the Silk Balance for 30 seconds and pour 4 ounces into the water in the filter compartment
 - DO NOT RUN THE JETS
 - Wait an hour before using the hot tub.
- ☞ **MONTHLY –** Remove the filters and clean thoroughly.
 - Hot Spring and Tiger River Filters should be rinsed with a hard spray from the hose, being sure to clean between each pleat.
 - Tri-X filters can be put in the dishwasher and cleaned using no heat and/or soap.
- ☞ **EVERY FOUR MONTHS –**
 - Drain and clean your hot tub.
 - Follow the start up procedures.
 - Clean your filters with Filter Cleaner and Degreaser.
 - Replace your hot tub filter cartridge(s) with new cartridge(s).
- ☞ **EVERY 2 YEARS –**
 - Replace your filter cartridges