

6 IMPORTANT POINTS ABOUT SOLAR COVERS

1. A solar cover will cut chemical consumption by around 50% - automated chlorinators must be adjusted appropriately. If a chlorinator is already running on its lowest setting, running time needs to be reduced. Failure to do so will result in overchlorination, and damage the cover.
2. Check chlorine levels regularly - the industry standard is around 1.5 to 2.5ppm. Chlorine levels should never exceed 3ppm - to do so will damage a solar cover, and void any warranty.
3. When superchlorinating, remove the cover completely, and do not replace it until chlorine levels have returned to normal.
4. Most solar covers will shrink, and this is allowed for on new covers. Never trim exactly to size upon installation - allow for several cm all around, and wait for at least 2-3 weeks before doing a final trim.
5. A solar blanket must always be covered when rolled up. If left uncovered, the layers heat up and can melt. It is called 'roller burn' and can not be repaired.
6. Never swim under a solar cover. The cover literally sticks to the water surface, so there is no air underneath it. Covers must be completely removed from the pool prior to swimming.

For information about fitting a new solar cover,
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