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This label has been updated according to the re-evaluation decision for Sodium Hypochlorite and Calcium Hypochlorite RVD2023-14. While users are encouraged to follow this updated label immediately, the previously approved label is valid until 08-29-2025 in accordance with the phase out period set out in the re-evaluation decision for Sodium Hypochlorite and Calcium Hypochlorite RVD2023-14. This previously approved label will be provided upon request by emailing hc.pmra.info-arla.sc@canada.ca. In your email please include the product name and Registration number of the label you are requesting.

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**VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets
With Anti-Scale Additive**

CONTROLS BACTERIA AND ALGAE in Swimming Pool Water

For Commercial Pools and Spas
FOR USE ONLY WITH VERSACHLOR EASY FEED CHLORINATION SYSTEM
FEEDER IN COMMERCIAL POOLS.

COMMERCIAL

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Available chlorine, present as calcium hypochlorite...68.46%

REGISTRATION NO. 30669 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

DANGER – CORROSIVE TO EYES AND SKIN



WARNING POISON

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

Westlake Chemicals & Vinyls LLC.
2801 Post Oak Blvd.
Suite 600
Houston Texas 77056

Emergency Telephone Number: – 304-455-6882

Made in U.S.A

Net Contents: 4.53 -24.95 kg

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PRECAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

CORROSIVE to the eye. DO NOT get in eyes. Corrosive to the skin. DO NOT get on skin. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns.

May be fatal if swallowed.

Irritating to the nose and throat.

Avoid breathing dust and fumes.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, protective eyewear (goggles or face shield), , socks and shoes and when handling this product.

Do not mix VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets with any other chemicals, including any other pool chemicals of any kind.

Mixing with other chemicals could cause a fire or explosion.

Always use the VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets with the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System.

Do not pour water into product.

Do not use VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets with stabilized chlorine or bromine tablet chemical feeders.

Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and shoes before reuse.

FIRST AID

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15–20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15–20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice.

Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

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TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Treat symptomatically.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish and other aquatic organisms. It is not to be used in circumstances that would cause or allow it to enter lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters in contravention of federal and provincial regulatory requirements. The requirements of applicable laws should be determined before using the product. This registration is granted under the Pest Control Products Act and does not exempt the user from any other legislative requirements.

Physical and Chemical Hazards

Strong oxidizing agent! Mix only with water. Do not mix this product with any other chemicals, including any other pool chemicals of any kind, such as other disinfection or "shock" pool products. Always use the VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets with the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System. Do not pour water into product. Use only a clean, dry utensil made of metal or plastic each time product is taken from the container. Do not add this product to any dispensing device other than a VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System. Such use may cause violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. Contamination with moisture, acids, organic matter, other chemicals (including, but not limited to cleaning chemicals and other pool chemicals), petroleum or paint products or other easily combustible materials may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible violent reaction leading to fire or explosion. If product becomes contaminated or decomposes do not reseal container. If possible isolate container in open air well-ventilated area. If necessary, flood area with large volumes of water to fully dissolve product.

STORAGE

Read before using.

Keep in original container in a cool, dry place.

Keep container closed when not in use.

Keep away from heat sources, sparks, open flames and lighted tobacco products.

Store this product away from food or feed.

Use only clean, dry utensils made of metal or plastic each time Calcium Hypochlorite is taken from the container.

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Residual material remaining in empty drum can react if mixed with incompatible materials to cause a chemical reaction with subsequent generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire.

DISPOSAL

Follow provincial instruction for any required additional cleaning of the container prior to its disposal. Rinse container thoroughly before discarding. Do not reuse. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

In Case of Fire: Drench with water. Calcium Hypochlorite supplies oxygen; therefore, attempts to smother fire with a wet blanket, carbon dioxide, or a dry chemical extinguisher are ineffective.

In Case of Spill or Leak: Use extreme caution. Contamination may cause chemical reaction with subsequent generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire. If fire or reaction occurs in area of spill, douse with plenty of water. In case of small dry spills, sweep up spilled material using a clean dry shovel and broom and place into clean dry containers. Dispose of material and rinse water in accordance with all applicable governmental regulations.

NOTICE TO USER

This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offense under the *PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT* to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

For use in Commercial Swimming Pools

VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets help to control the growth of algae and effectively kills many bacteria.

Use Directions:

VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets have been specifically designed for use with the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination Systems. VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets are cube-shaped tablets for commercial pools.

Before loading these cube-shaped calcium hypochlorite tablets into a VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System thoroughly review and understand operating procedures for the systems as outlined in the operating manual.

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To load tablets: Remove the lid from the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System and load with VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets. When complete, replace lid and close the tablet container.

Adjust the flow of water through the chlorinator to maintain 1.0 - 3.0 ppm free available chlorine residual in swimming pools. To increase or decrease tablet delivery, increase or decrease water flow using the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System's control valve to the desired setting.

One VersaChlor™ tablet weight 53 grams. Maintain proper daily chlorine residual by adding 53 grams of the Versachlor™ tablets per 10 000 L of pool water, or as needed.

Never throw tablets directly into the pool or allow tablets to contact plastic or steel pool linings.

Do not mix this product with other chemicals, including any other pool chemicals of any kind, such as other disinfection or “shock” products. Mixing could cause a fire or explosion. Never add water into product. For best results, test your pool water prior to addition of this product and maintain pool water parameters in the ranges noted below.

This product will raise the pH of pool water. For best results, test your pool water prior to addition of this product. If the pH measures 7.4 or higher adjust it downward so that is between 7.2 and 7.4. This will help avoid clouding of water and allow for faster dispersion of the product.

HOW TO APPLY TO SWIMMING POOLS

REMINDER: Never add water to product. Maintain operation of your pump and filter.

Opening Pool/Initial Chlorination: Begin operation of your recirculating equipment. Balance the water by making certain the pool water parameters for pH, total alkalinity, and water hardness are in their proper ranges, provided in Table 1. Shock treat/superchlorinate the pool. Follow label directions of the shock/superchlorinator product and use as recommended. Allow 30 minutes for the product to disperse, and then determine the free chlorine residual using a pool test kit. If no residual is found, superchlorinate again. Repeat treatment, as needed, until the chlorine residual is between 1.0 - 3.0 ppm. If a stabilizer is used to protect chlorine against degradation by sunlight, check and adjust stabilizer to proper level (30 - 100 ppm). Regulations may exist regarding the use of cyanuric acid; please consult your local authority. Wait at least 4 hours, preferably overnight, and then vacuum the pool bottom. Begin routine

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chlorination using VersaChlor™ System Chlorinating Tablets in the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System.

Routine Chlorination: The pH, total alkalinity, water hardness, and stabilizer concentration should be maintained at values recommended in Table 1 under “Regular Treatment for Commercial Pools in Use.” Actual dosages of this product required to maintain the desired free chlorine residual will vary with sunlight, water temperature, bathing load, stabilizer concentration, water balance, and other factors. Use a test kit daily to determine and maintain the proper free chlorine residual and other water parameters.

Regular Treatment: Maintain commercial pool water parameters in the ranges in Table 1. This product will raise the pH of pool water. If your pH measures 7.4 or higher, adjust it downward to between 7.2 and 7.4. This will help avoid clouding of water and allow for faster dispersion of the product. Obtain and make use of a pool test kit to measure pH, free chlorine residual, total alkalinity, water hardness, and cyanuric acid concentration.

Table 1: Swimming pool water parameters to maintain daily	
Free available chlorine	1.0 - 3.0 ppm
pH	7.2 - 7.8
Total alkalinity	100 - 120 ppm
Calcium hardness	200 - 300 ppm
Cyanuric acid (Stabilizer)	30-100 ppm

Proper Water Balance and Use of Stabilizer: Maintaining the proper pH, total alkalinity, and water hardness is necessary to obtain proper water balance, and help avoid problems such as cloudy water, scaling, corrosion and swimmer discomfort. Stabilizer (cyanuric acid) slows down the rate at which chlorine is destroyed by sunlight. Follow carefully the directions given with the product when using a stabilizer. Kits for testing free chlorine, pH, total alkalinity, water hardness, and cyanuric acid concentration are an integral part of a proper program for controlling the quality of your pool water. The kits are inexpensive and available from most pool chemical dealers.

How to determine the capacity of your pool:

First: Approximate the average depth in feet by adding the depth at the deep end to the depth at the shallow end and divide the total by two.

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Then: For rectangular or square pools: Multiply length (ft) x width (ft) x average depth (ft) x 7.5 = capacity of the pool in gallons.

For circular pools: Multiply diameter (ft) x diameter (ft) x average depth (ft) x 5.9 = capacity of the pool in gallons.

For oval pools: Multiply long axis (ft) x short axis (ft) x average depth (ft) x 5.9 = capacity of the pool in gallons.

Note: If pool has sloping sides, multiply total gallons calculated by 0.85 to arrive at the capacity of your pool.

Calculating the cubic meters (m³) of water in your pool:

- Rectangular Pools

Average length (meters) x average width (meters) x average depth (meters) = m³ capacity.

- Circular Pools

Diameter (meters) x diameter (meters) x average depth (meters) x 0.79 = m³ capacity.

- Oval Pools

Long diameter (meters) x short diameter (meters) x average depth (meters) x 0.79 = m³ capacity.

End of Season: At the end of the swimming pool season, or when the water is to be drained from the pool, chlorine must be allowed to dissipate from treated pool water before discharge. Do not chlorinate the pool within 24 hours prior to discharge.

For use in Commercial Spas

Apply 15 g of product per 2,000 L of water to obtain a free available chlorine concentration of 5 ppm, as determined by a suitable chlorine test kit. Adjust and maintain pool water pH to between 7.2 and 7.8. Some oils, lotions, fragrances, cleaners, etc. may cause foaming or cloudy water as well as reduce the efficiency of the product. To maintain the water, apply 15 g of product per 2,000 L of water using the VersaChlor™ Easy Feed Chlorination System, to maintain a chlorine concentration of 5 ppm.