WATER EFFICIENT POOL COVERS

Uncovered pools can lose up to 55,000 litres annually through evaporation which is a big deal.

Using a solar pool cover can help you to stop 97% evaporation. This is great for water saving but is also helpful for reducing expensive chemical consumption by 30-60%.

- Choose a Smart WaterMark approved pool cover to make significant water and energy savings.
- Smart WaterMark only approves pool covers that adhere to Swimming Pool and Spa Association (PASCAA) standards. These covers are durable and fit to withstand high amounts of chemicals and the harsh Australian climate.
- Smart WaterMark approved pool covers also;

1. Pool covers reduce evaporation.
2. Pool covers reduce expensive chemical and salt evaporation.
3. A good pool cover conserves water temperature and as a result save on energy bills and greenhouse gas.
4. Covers help reduce algae growth which in turn means less scrubbing and chemicals.
5. You can even increase your pools temperature without increasing energy costs.
6. Save time and energy cleaning the pool. Covers keep water cleaner as they serve as a barrier to debris, leaves and yard litter.

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Advice

Other pool tips

- Planting strategic shrubs and fences around your pool will also compliment the pool cover by reducing further water loss through wind evaporation.
- Turning off fountains and waterfalls or running them occasionally instead will also help.
- Reduce the amount of backwashing you do to save water and maintain the effectiveness of your pool filters.
- Monitor the temperature you set for your pool so as seasons change so you can down it down during the warmer months.
- Use a timer on your pool that can also be programed to run at different times during different times of year.

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