



# QUAD-CORE LAMINATED FABRIC SEVEN-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

(pro-rata during the third through seventh year)

**QUAD-CORE LAMINATED FABRIC SEVEN-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY:** Cover-Pools Incorporated (“Cover-Pools”) warrants Quad-Core laminated fabric used in a Cover-Pools system to be free of defects under normal use and service for seven (7) years from the date of purchase (the “Warranty Period”) as specifically provided hereinafter.

In the first two (2) years of the warranty period, Cover-Pools will arrange for the repair or replacement of the defective cover without charge for materials. During years three (3) through seven (7) of the Warranty Period, the costs of repair or replacement will be prorated at 1/84 per month for each remaining month of the warranty, not including any costs for labor. Cover-Pools will not be responsible for any charges associated with or resulting from labor costs.

This warranty does not apply to products that have been moved from their original installation sites. The liability of Cover-Pools shall not exceed the replacement of the defective product or its parts, and does not include transportation costs and/or costs for labor to service or repair the defective product. Cover-Pools is not responsible for charges or delays incurred when a servicer is unable to perform service due to lock outs, animals, intolerable pool or spa water temperature when entry into the pool is required for service, service refusals, etc. No reimbursements will be made for loss and/or usage of water, fuel or other resources resulting from product defects. A third-party service provider may charge the end-user/customer for parts and/or labor required to resolve any issue not covered by warranty, such as improper installation; Cover-Pools is not responsible for these charges.

Cover-Pools warrants that during the Warranty Period the cover fabric will not shrink or deteriorate as to its imperviousness to water to such an extent that water could penetrate the cover in an amount that makes the cover no longer reasonably operable. This warranty does not cover failures, defects, malfunctions or complaints resulting from the following:

1. Failure to properly install, operate or maintain the product in accordance with Cover-Pools’ published installation, operation and/or maintenance manuals.
2. The occurrence of pinholes.
3. Fading of the vinyl and/or webbing.
4. The workmanship of any installer or service professional.
5. Use of non-factory authorized parts or accessories in conjunction with the cover(s).

This is the only warranty given by Cover-Pools. No one is authorized to make any other warranties on behalf of Cover-Pools. IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY AND THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE LIMITED TO THE EXPRESS WARRANTIES LISTED ABOVE. Some states and/or provinces do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you. Cover-Pools expressly disclaims and excludes any liability for consequential, incidental, indirect, or punitive damages for breach of any expressed or implied warranty. In no event shall Cover-Pools be liable for incidental or consequential damages of any nature, including damage to tile, stone, coping, fixtures, skimmers or skimmer covers, plumbing, drains, landscaping, animals, plants, or dwellings. Some states and/or provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights that vary by state and/or province. For warranty consideration, contact the installer and provide the following information: proof of purchase, identification of the equipment, date of completion of installation, and nature of defect(s). Service will be provided by the dealer during normal business hours. For the location of the nearest independent dealer and/or distributor, contact the Cover-Pools Customer Service department. All parts shipped F.O.B. Salt Lake City, Utah.

ISSUED TO: \_\_\_\_\_ EFFECTIVE DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

INSTALLING DEALER: \_\_\_\_\_

THIS WARRANTY IS EFFECTIVE WHEN SIGNED AND DATED. PROOF OF PURCHASE MUST BE PROVIDED. FAILURE TO PAY ALL CHARGES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL TERMS OF THE SALE SHALL NULLIFY THIS WARRANTY. FAILURE TO PROPERLY INSTALL, OPERATE OR MAINTAIN THE PRODUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PUBLISHED INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND/OR MAINTENANCE MANUALS WILL NULLIFY THIS WARRANTY; IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER/HOMEOWNER TO VERIFY THE STANDING OF THE INSTALLER AND TO CONFIRM THAT THE INSTALLER IS QUALIFIED, LICENSED AND/OR INSURED ACCORDING TO STATE REQUIREMENTS.

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## Fabric Maintenance & Care

### Fabric Slack

- The pool cover needs extra slack to handle rain and snow loads.
- The pool cover fabric will shrink between 1-2%, which can equal 3-4" on a 20-foot wide pool cover. Indoor pools may shrink more because they are often heated year-round.

### Fabric Care & Maintenance

- Place the pump on the cover when the pool is covered.
- Remove standing water from the top of the cover.
- Patch small holes as soon as possible.
- Remove any sharp objects from the cover before uncovering the pool.
- Remove any obstacles (toys, dirt, rocks etc.) in the track, on the cover, or in the mechanism housing before operating the cover.
- Remove any leaves, debris, or dirty water before they have a chance to leave a residue.
- **Maintain normal-operating water level all year to support the weight of the cover.** Inspect the water level in the pool regularly; add water if necessary.

### Cleaning

- To remove dirt, organic matter, or undissolved solids from chemicals, rinse the cover fabric with fresh water.
- Regularly rinse the cover off with a pump in place to remove water and contaminants. Note that indoor covers may seldom appear dirty; however, chemical deposits can build up on top of the fabric, and if not rinsed off regularly, can cause premature fabric failure.
- Never use detergents on the cover.
- To remove stubborn stains, use a soft bristle brush and scrub the cover with fresh, clean water. For oils like suntan lotion or leaf stains, or anything that cannot be removed by just scrubbing, use a small amount of non-detergent cleanser such as Ivory® bar soap (not dish-washing liquid) and a wet cloth to scrub the soiled area. Then, rinse well with fresh water.
- To remove algae stains, use a mixture of water and household bleach such as Clorox® bleach (not pool chlorine) at one (1) part bleach to nine (9) parts water. Add the bleach to the water, not water to the bleach, to make this solution. Make sure to read the label on the bleach and follow all of the manufacturer's precautions. This solution may be wiped directly onto the algae.

### Winter Maintenance

- If you can maintain normal-operating water level during winter months, the cover may be used as a winter cover. If it is not possible to keep your pool full of water during the winter, then leave the cover off the pool and use other safety precautions during the winter.
- Leave the cover pump in place during the winter. As the ice or snow melts, the cover pump will turn on to remove it.

### Chemical Maintenance

- Always maintain proper chemical balance. Check your water regularly to make sure it is balanced properly; improper chemical balance can rapidly affect your pool, system, and cover fabric.
- The pool's chemical program may be significantly different from that of a pool without a cover. With proper use, the cover will substantially reduce chemical loss; any previous chemical programs may need to be adjusted.
- Avoid chemical build-up in the pool water; improper water balance may cause deterioration of the vinyl cover. A deterioration so caused is not covered by the warranty.
- Allow chemicals to circulate before closing the cover.
- High alkalinity or high chlorine levels can begin to break down the cover prematurely. Some pH adjusters and chlorine shocks may create harmful levels of alkalinity (high pH) if not allowed to mix with the water before the cover is closed. We recommend using non-chlorine shock because the cover can usually be closed in 30 minutes or less. Please check with your pool service company for proper usage.
- Balance pool water before covering the pool for extended periods of time (such as winterizing).
- Recheck water balance after the chemicals have had a chance to mix completely (up to two days later).
- When covering the pool for long periods of time, adjust your ozone generators and chemical feeders to an appropriate level for a covered pool. Long-term build up of ozone can damage the fabric.
- Make sure your pool service company or anyone in charge of pool maintenance is aware of this information.

#### Maintain the following swim-safe levels:

<b>*Chlorine</b>	<b>pH</b>	<b>Alkalinity</b>
1—5 ppm	7.2—7.8 ppm	80—120 ppm

\*Sanitizers other than chlorine-based compounds, per manufacturer guidelines.

Please refer to your Owner's Manual for additional advice on how to operate and care for your Cover-Pools system and/or replacement fabric. You may download a copy of Cover-Pools Owner's Manuals from [www.coverpools.com](http://www.coverpools.com).

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