

# Introducing the **PERFECT PAIR** for Balanced Pool and Spa Water

Achieve Optimal Alkalinity and pH with ARM & HAMMER™ Solutions



Ensuring proper bicarbonate alkalinity is essential for various water treatment applications, including municipal drinking water systems, bustling water parks, and even residential swimming pools.



With Alkalinity First<sup>™</sup>, maintaining optimal water balance and corrosion control has never been easier. Our product delivers bicarbonate alkalinity reliably and efficiently, making it the **PROFESSIONAL CHOICE FOR WATER TREATMENT.** 

## ARM & HAMMER™ Your Trusted Parter for Balanced Water

Transform your water treatment process and experience the difference Alkalinity First<sup>™</sup> can make:



**Reliable pH and Alkalinity Management:** Our product helps establish and consistently maintain pH levels within the recommended range of 7.2 to 7.8, ensuring safe and clear pool water.

**Prevent Corrosion and Scaling:** By stabilizing pH and alkalinity, Alkalinity First<sup>™</sup> sodium bicarbonate helps prevent staining, corrosion, scaling, and cloudy water, prolonging the life of your pool surfaces and equipment.

**Enhanced Sanitizer Efficiency:** Maintaining the proper alkalinity level optimizes sanitizer efficiency, ensuring the effective elimination of bacteria and algae.

**Certified Quality:** Alkalinity First meets the stringent requirements of the NSF / ANSI / CAN 60 Drinking Water Chemical – Health Effects standard, assuring its safety and effectiveness for water treatment purposes.

<b>S</b> KU: 20015471 SBC Alkalinity First <b>50lb Bag</b>	
Weight per Bag	50 lb
Bags per Layer	5
Bags per Pallet	55
Trade Unit Gross Weight	51 lb
Pallet Gross Weight	2805 lb
Max Pallets per Truck	15

#### Additional Details: -

Alkalinity First <b>4/12lb Pouch</b>
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Weight per pouch	12 lb
Pouches per case	4
Cases per layer	10
Cases per pallet	40
Trade unit gross weight	52.35 lb
Pallet gross weight	2094 lb
Max pallets per truck	21

### Experience the Power of Alkalinity First<sup>™</sup> in a **NEW COMPACT SIZE!**

Introducing a practical 12-pound pouch, perfect for contractors and small applications, to complement our existing 50 lb bag.

#### **New Pouch Features:**

- Water-Resistant Laminate: Our pouch ensures maximum protection for the sodium bicarbonate inside, keeping it fresh and effective even in humid environments.
- Re-Sealable Convenience: With easy opening and closing, your Alkalinity First<sup>™</sup> will remain secure and free from moisture, preserving its quality over time.
- Lighter and Easy to Handle: Designed with convenience in mind, our pouch makes it effortless to carry and transport, saving you time and effort.
- **4 Pouch Stackable Case:** A stackable case provides effortless organization and storage.





### The First Step Toward Balanced Pool Water

Low total alkalinity can cause rapid deterioration of plaster, paint and vinyl, as well as damage metal fittings and cause iron and copper stains. Utilize this chart to calculate the alkalinity increaser needed to raise alkalinity.

#### HOW TO RAISE TOTAL ALKALINITY (T.A.) USING SODIUM BICARBONATE

DESIRED INCREASE	GALLONS IN POOL						
IN T.A.	1,000	5,000	10,000	15,000	20,000	25,000	50,000
10 ppm	0.15 lbs.	0.75 lbs.	1.50 lbs.	2.25 lbs.	3.00 lbs.	3.75 lbs.	7.50 lbs.
20 ppm	0.30 lbs.	1.50 lbs.	3.00 lbs.	4.50 lbs.	6.00 lbs.	7.50 lbs.	15.00 lbs.
30 ppm	0.45 lbs.	2.25 lbs.	4.50 lbs.	6.75 lbs.	9.00 lbs.	11.25 lbs.	22.50 lbs.
40 ppm	0.60 lbs.	3.00 lbs.	6.00 lbs.	9.00 lbs.	12.00 lbs.	15.00 lbs.	30.00 lbs.
50 ppm	0.75 lbs.	3.75 lbs.	7.50 lbs.	11.25 lbs.	15.00 lbs.	18.75 lbs.	37.50 lbs.
60 ppm	0.90 lbs.	4.50 lbs.	9.00 lbs.	13.50 lbs.	18.00 lbs.	22.50 lbs.	45.00 lbs.
70 ppm	1.05 lbs.	5.25 lbs.	10.50 lbs.	15.75 lbs.	21.00 lbs.	26.25 lbs.	52.50 lbs.
80 ppm	1.20 lbs.	6.00 lbs.	12.00 lbs.	18.00 lbs.	24.00 lbs.	30.00 lbs.	60.00 lbs.
90 ppm	1.35 lbs.	6.75 lbs.	13.50 lbs.	20.25 lbs.	27.00 lbs.	33.75 lbs.	67.50 lbs.
100 ppm	1.50 lbs.	7.50 lbs.	15.00 lbs.	22.50 lbs.	30.00 lbs.	37.50 lbs.	75.00 lbs.

The acceptable range of total alkalinity is generally considered to be from 60 to 180 ppm. When alkalinity is adjusted to the range of 80 to 150 ppm, it maximizes the likelihood that the pool pH will hold in the range of 7.2 to 7.8.

	Pools	Spas
Free Available Chlorine	1.0 - 4.0 ppm	2.0 - 5.0 ppm
рН	7.2 - 7.8	
	60 – 180 ppm as CaCo	
Total Alkalinity	80 – 100 ppm as CaCO Where the sanitizer is Calcium, Lithium or Sodium Hypochlorite.	
	100 – 120 ppm as CaCO Where the sanitizer is Sodium dichlor, trichlor, chlorine gas or bromine compounds.	
Calcium Hardness	150 – 1,000 ppm as CaCO Ideally 200 – 400 ppm	100 – 800 ppm as CaCO3 Ideally 150 – 250 ppm

This information is made available to you courtesy of your pool chemical dealer in cooperation with Church & Dwight Co., Inc



**ARM & HAMMER™ Performance Products,** a leader with 178 years of experience, is your trusted strategic partner in providing high-quality solutions tailored specifically for the pool industry. With a legacy rooted in bicarbonate expertise, we understand the unique challenges faced by pool operators and owners.

Learn more at ahperformance.com



Professional Pool Care Products

The Trusted Choice for Professional Water Treatment Achieving the correct pH balance is essential for various water treatment applications, including municipal drinking water systems, bustling water parks, and even residential swimming pools.



Our product effectively addresses multiple issues, making pH Boost<sup>™</sup> the professional's go-to solution for optimal water quality and efficient chlorine performance.

### ARM & HAMMER™ Your Trusted Parter for Balanced Water

Transform your water treatment process and experience the difference pH Boost™ can make:



#### Raise and Maintain Ideal pH Levels:

Elevates pH to the preferred range of 7.2 - 7.8, ensuring balanced water for a healthier swimming environment.

**Enhance Swimmer Comfort:** Prevents eye and skin irritation, promoting a more enjoyable, comfortable and safe swimming experience.



#### Protect Your Pool and Equipment:

Guards against staining, corrosion, and scaling, extending the life of pool surfaces and equipment.

**Perfect Size for Spas, Swim Spas, and Small Pools:** Ideal for maintaining balanced water in a variety of smaller aquatic environments.



Recyclable Paper Box



Made with 100% Certified Renewable Energy  100% Sodium Carbonate Monohydrate

NET WT. 6.61 LBS (3 ko

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 Easy to handle, store, and shelf-ready

<b>S</b> KU: 20510466 pH Boost <b>6.6LB Box</b>		
Weight per box	6.6 lb	
Pouches per case	6	
Cases per layer	10	
Cases per pallet	40	
Trade unit gross weight	47.38 lb	
Pallet gross weight	1895.2 lb	

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#### HOW TO ADJUST pH USING SODIUM CARBONATE MONOHYDRATE

**FOR BEST RESULTS:** Always adjust Total Alkalinity (bicarbonate alkalinity) before adjusting pH. Raises pH, Keeping water balanced and in the pH range of 7.2 to 7.8 helps keep swimmers comfortable.

**DIRECTIONS:** Test pH of pool water. If the pH is below 7.2, add the amount of this product indicated in the dosage chart evenly to the water while walking around the edge of the pool. Add this product only when the pool is not being used and the pump is running.

DOSAGE		
Pool pH	Amount per 10,000 gallons	
7.2 - 7.8	No Addition Needed	
6.8 - 7.1	12 oz.	
6.5 - 6.7	16 oz.	
Below 6.5	20 oz.	

Max pallets/truck

Never add more than 40 oz. of this product per 10,000 gallons at one time. For best results allow the pool to circulate for 2 hours and then retest pH. Pool is ready to use when pool reaches 7.2 to 7.8 pH range.