

# Outdoor Water Solutions TM – Lake & Pond Bacteria

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Outdoor Water Solutions Lake & Pond Bacteria is a nontoxic blend of beneficial microbes in a barley straw base. Organic matter such as leaves, fish fecal matter, fertilizer run-off, grass clippings, etc. can cause a lot of problems in a pond or lake. These sources create an overabundance of nutrients as they decay and will also create a layer of “muck” on the bottom of your pond over time. Outdoor Water Solutions Lake and Pond Bacteria helps break down organic matter, diminishes nutrient overload, helps reduce odor and creates a clean, clear pond ecosystem.

## DOSE CHART

<u>Pond Size (Surface Area)</u>	<u>Dosage Rate</u>	<u>Dose Timing</u>
Up to ¼ acre pond	2 packets	Every 2 weeks
Up to ½ acre pond	4 packets	Every 2 weeks
Up to ¾ acre pond	6 packets	Every 2 weeks
Up to 1 acre pond	8 packets	Every 2 weeks

## HOW TO APPLY:

Outdoor Water Solutions Lake & Pond Bacteria is packaged in a water-soluble packet that will readily dissolve in the pond. Do Not Open Packets. Apply packets from shore or by boat. Placement near the airstone marker will help disperse the product more quickly if you have aeration.

## WHEN TO APPLY:

Apply every 2 weeks once water temperature exceeds 50 degrees F. For best results, double the initial dose rate then apply according to the dose chart above. **Note:** For ponds that have excessive sediment (black organic matter) on the bottom or are prone to algae, you may want to double the application rate in the chart above for best results.

## STORAGE AND HANDLING:

Product should be kept in its original container until use. Product can freeze. The use of rubber gloves is recommended when handling this product.

## WATER USE RESTRICTIONS:

Water treated with this product may be used for fishing, swimming and/or irrigation immediately following treatment.

## CAUTION: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Wash with soap and water following use.

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