Thermo-Pond[™] Perfect Climate Submersible Pond De-icer Care & Instructions



Thank you for purchasing a Thermo-Pond™ Perfect Climate Submersible Pond-Deicer. When used properly your heater will maintain a hole in pond ice to help the proper gas exchange take place helping to keep your pond healthy during those crucial winter months.

WARNING: This is an electrical product. Read all directions and precautions carefully before operating. Failure to properly follow all directions and instructions may lead to electrical shock of fire which could cause serious bodily injury.

USE INSTRUCTIONS

Read all instructions carefully. This is an electrical product, pay special care to IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS.

- The framework on the bottom side of your heater has 1/4" and 3/8" holes to insert tubing so your heater can be used in combination with a air or water pump to increase circulation.
- Thermo-Pond[™] Perfect Climate Submersible Pond Delcer is designed to be used as a submersible pond de-icer in ponds up to 300 gallons. When using the heater in a larger pond follow the instructions for use as a floating pond de-icer.
- The best time to install your heater is before ice forms on the surface of your pond.
- Place heater in deepest part of your pond and run the cord to a properly grounded outlet remembering to protect cord from damage.
- If ice has already formed on the surface of your pond drill a hole in the ice with an ice auger, do not chop through ice as the shock waves can damage or kill your fish. Then place your heater through the hole and run your cord to properly grounded outlet protecting the cord from damage.
- If you do not have access to and ice auger place a large pan or bucket with water on the surface of the ice. Place your heater into the container and plug the heater into a properly grounded outlet. The heater will heat the water and container melting a hole in the pond ice. When a hole has been melted unplug the heater and remove the container. Place the heater through the hole and run the cord to a properly grounded outlet protecting the cord from damage.

DETERMINING POND SIZE

Intended for use with ponds up to 300 gallons.

The formula used to determine the number of gallons of water in your pond is length x width x average depth x 7.5. These measurements must be in feet. *Example:* A pond that is $6'L \times 4'W \times 1.5'$ Average Depth x 7.5 = 270 gallons.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

- Have a qualified electrician install a properly grounded outlet, acceptable for outdoor use and protected from snow and rain immediately adjacent to the location where the heater will be used.
- Route supply cord and locate the heater so as to be protected from damage by livestock.
- Do not use extension cords
- Inspect cord before using. If the cord is damaged do not use.
- Unplug heater at receptacle outlet when not in use or before removal from pond.
- Store heaters indoors after the winter season.
- Never walk on thin ice

Care Instructions:

After the winter season, wipe down your Thermo-Pond™ Submersible Pond De-Icer with a damp cloth and store indoors in a clean dry place. Always inspect your heater before use. If there are cracks in the cord or the plug is damaged do not use. Discard immediately. Consult your pond professional on tips for overwintering fish.



WARNING: HEATING ELEMENT MUST BE SUBMERGED UNDER WATER AT ALL TIMES when the de-icer is in use!

- Make sure the cord is placed properly to ensure the de-icer floats level when using as a floating de-icer.
- Never allow pond to run dry.

K&H Limited Two Year Warranty

Our warranty is as follows: K&H Manufacturing warrants to the original consumer, that this product will be free of defects and workmanship for a period of two years from the date of purchase. The manufacturer's liability hereunder is limited to replacement of the product. This warranty is void if the product has been damaged by accident, unreasonable use, neglect, tampering, or other causes not arising from defects in material or workmanship.

To exercise your warranty: If, during the warranty period, your product malfunctions, return it to the place of purchase with your original purchase receipt. If this cannot be done, return the product, postage prepaid, to K&H Manufacturing, with dated proof of purchase or original date receipt. A return authorization number, obtained by calling (719) 591-6950 must accompany all returns to manufacturer. Please include a note explaining the product.