pH VALUES OF DIFFERENT SANITIZERS

pH Factor

7.0

12.0*

12.0*

7.0

10.0 -13.0*

3 0**

3.0**

10.0 -13.0*

4.0**

2.30**

** Extremely Acidic (like vinegar)

Gentle on Swimmers,

Liners & Equipment?

YES

NO

NO

YES

NO

NO

NO

YES

NO

NO

Built in Stabilizer,

Algaecide, Clarifier

& Shock?

YES

NO, Only Shock

NO, Only Shock

NO, Only Stabilizer

NO

NO, Only Stabilizer

NO, Only Stabilizer

NO, Only Shock

NO

NO

Add 1 Product per Week?

YES

NO.

Add 2 Products per Week NO.

Add Once a Day

Add Once a Day

Add Once or Twice a Day

NO.

Add Twice a Week

NO,

Add Once a Day

MAYBE

MAYBE,

Add Once or Twice a Week

NO

Works at Low

Chlorine or

Sanitizer Levels?

YES

NO

NO

NO

NO

NO

NO

NO

NO

NO

	Sanitizer Type	
Relax		

Sustain

Poolife/hth

Granular

Liquid

Bromine

Shock 'n Swim

Concentrated

3" Slow Dissolve Tabs

1" Slow Dissolve Tabs

1"Rapid / Quick/Fast Tabs

SALT Chlorine Generators

* Extremely Basic (causes scale)