## Handling EnergySaver® Pool Covers

## **SAFETY FIRST!!!** ALWAYS OBSERVE ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS AND PRACTICES BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO ASSEMBLE POOL COVER(S).

1. Before unpacking cover(s), please note panel size and number written on the packaging material that would suggest where to place the individual cover relative to the size and configuration of the pool. Be careful not to cut covers inside when attempting to open packages.



## IMPORTANT: LOOK FOR SIGNS OF FREIGHT DAMAGE.

If one is found, **DO NOT OPEN** the package, refuse delivery and call the freight company for inspection. Signing for product without noting damages will result in loss of right to file claim for compensation.

2. Pool covers are shipped from the factory rolled lengthwise then folded in half and placed inside the shipping crate. After discarding all packing materials and unfolding the pool cover, attach a tow rope onto the center pull-point of the leading edge of the cover and place cover into the pool. Slowly pull on the attached tow-rope to unfurl the cover and pull it across the pool surface. It might take two people to assist in unrolling the cover as it is pulled across the pool surface until it reaches the opposite end.

**Note:** If covers must be deployed over existing lane lines, beware of broken/jagged lane lines that may cause heavy abrasion and premature tear on the cover.



IMPORTANT

Pulling cover too fast will cause the leading edge to dive and hard to pull and also create a **DANGEROUS** situation for personnel at other end.

3. Once cover is fully unrolled, grab the corner pull-point (**Note:** corner pull-point is the strongest) and properly position cover on the pool. Do not overlap covers. Overlapped covers are susceptible to wind.

4. Make sure all "Warning" labels are clearly legible and visible from the deck and around the perimeter of the pool.

## IMPORTANT

Call S.R.Smith for missing or torn "**WARNING**" labels. For **SAFETY**, labels must be legible and securely attached to all covers at all times.



5. When retrieving covers off the pool for storage, please pull from one of the corner pull-point and then move on toward the center of the cover and hook up the dowel to the center tab on the reel. Avoid folding and creasing covers by connecting all available dowels to the reel tabs.



6. Prevent abrasion by rolling cover(s) evenly onto the reel, avoiding 'telescopic' effect. Secure it by attaching cordage around the rolled-up covers.



7. Once all covers are safely stored on the reel, be sure to use a protective cover to shield it from harmful Ultra Violet exposures.

Note: our warranty requires the regular use of protective materials for all covers stored on the reels.

8. Repeat process # 2, 3, and 4 when deploying covers onto the pool.



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