

# Pond Art



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This issue of Pond Art focuses on many of the products required to maintain your pond.

## Water Temperature -- The Key to Maintaining your Pond

With cool nights and warm days, your pond's water temperature fluctuates more than at any other time of year. Good maintenance at this time is essential to reducing algae, and controlling the healthiness of your plants and fish.

**24°C**

Increase lily, lotus and marginal plant feedings to twice a month

**18°C**

Introduce tropical plants to your pond

**15°C**

Start feeding potted plants with food tablets monthly

**13°C**

Add submerged plants, such as Hornwort(Hardy) with tropical Parrot Feather. Begin feeding plants

**7°C**

Move existing pond plants to proper position and re-pot if necessary



**WATER  
TEMPERATURE**

**Above 29°C**

Increase circulation

**18°C - 21°C**

Switch to Summer Staple Pond Food

**11°C**

Begin regular use of Pond Zyme

**7°C**

Start water pumps.  
Begin testing pond water.  
Start biological filter

**5°C - 20°C**

Begin feeding Spring & Autumn Pond Food.



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## Pond Care Chemicals

**Pond Salt** *An all-natural sea salt that replaces electrolytes, such as potassium, sodium, chloride, calcium and magnesium, essential for the uptake of oxygen and the release of carbon dioxide and ammonia. Fish lose these minerals. Stress caused by weather & other conditions*

**Pond-Zyme** *A non-toxic enzymatic pond cleaner containing three types of enzyme-producing bacteria, breaking down pond sludge & waste.*

**Formalin** *Safe and effective treatment for external parasites that infect koi and goldfish. Controls ich, gill flukes, and many other harmful fish parasites in ornamental fish ponds; non-toxic to plants, snails and biological filters.*

**Stress-Zyme** *Highly concentrated solution of specifically selected bacterial necessary for the development and maintenance of the biological filter of the pond.*

**Microbe-Lift** *Creates a cleaner environment for your pond, promoting faster fish growth. Reduce ammonia & nitrogen levels. Dissolves away organic sludge. Seeds and maintains biological filters. Significantly reduces noxious odors caused by dead algae, fish fecal matter, and urine. Reduces hydrogen sulfide, which creates strong, offensive odors & breaks down dead algae.*

**Chlorine and Heavy Metal Neutralizer (Water Prep)** *Quickly neutralizes chlorine, copper, lead and zinc found in tap water, as well as heavy metals caused by oil leaching and acid rain, all of which may be toxic to fish.*

**Aquatic Plant Food** *Slow-release tablet formula of nutrients and trace elements to insure nonstop blooming of hardy and tropical aquatic plants.*

**Aquatic Plant Stimulant** *Concentrated solution containing six of the most important trace elements essential for stimulating plant growth. The lack of any of these can result in decreased flowering and growth of pond plants.*

**Phosphate Remover** *A special filtration material for removing the phosphate and silicate that enter the pond from tap water, rain runoff, uneaten fish food, and decomposing vegetation.*





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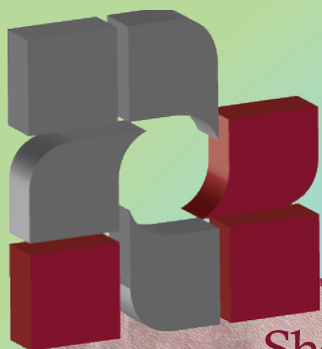
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