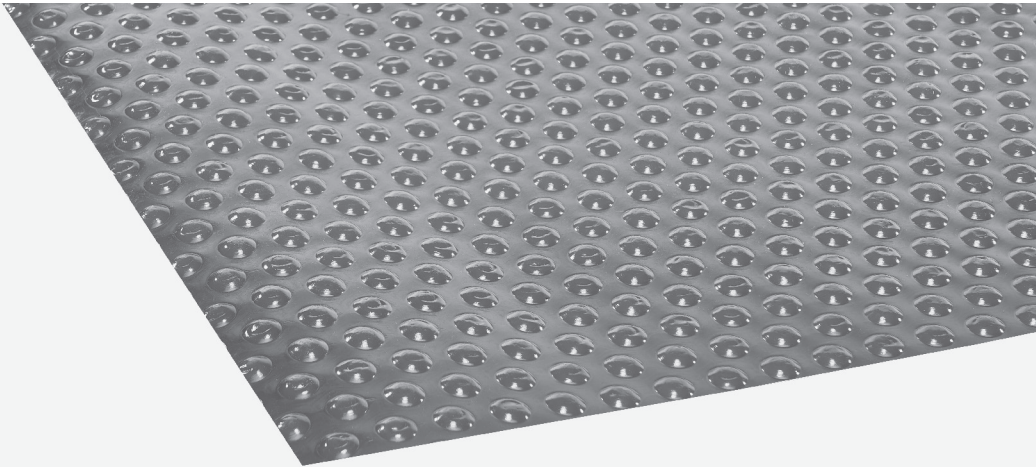


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## 550 Solar Pool Cover

# INSTALLATION AND CARE GUIDE



### WARNING

This product is not a safety cover. It is not designed to support a person. Do not swim whilst the cover is on the pool.



Please pass these instructions on to the owner of the pool.

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**A Henden Solar Pool Cover is an effective way to save time, effort and money on maintaining your swimming pool.**

All year round, the cover works to conserve water in your pool by reducing evaporation. It traps heat, raising the temperature of your pool approximately 6-8 degrees above that of an uncovered pool and extending your swimming season. The cover also helps to keep your pool clean and free of debris, saving on filter maintenance.

Installing your Henden Solar Pool Cover is a simple and easy procedure. With correct installation, it should fit neatly on your pool.



**IMPORTANT**

- > Operate your filter during the hottest part of the day
- > Remove your cover when super chlorinating (replace after 3 hours)
- > Remove your cover every 10 days for 24 hours to avoid over chlorination
- > Never leave your cover in direct sunlight when not on the pool
- > Store your cover and roller in a shaded area when not in use
- > Always use the approved over cover when your cover is stored on your roller

## **Installing your Henden 550 Solar Pool Cover**

We advise using two people when installing the cover.

Ensure that your pool is at the correct water level. After unpacking your cover, place it rolled up on the long edge of the pool. Unroll your cover to the length of your pool and then place it over the surface of the pool with the air pocket side facing downwards.

Before trimming your cover, it is essential to float the cover on your pool for a few hours. This will allow any creases to settle. It may take longer when the weather is overcast. When the cover has settled, it is then ready to fit to size.

Using a pair of sharp household scissors, cut the cover to the shape of your pool. There are two ways this can be done.

1. The cover can be cut 3-5cm over the edge of your pool, so that it rises up the side of your pool.
2. The cover can be cut to the waterline measurement. This helps with not entrapping chemicals in the water. This is recommended for fibreglass pools.

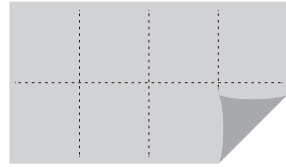
Take care that the cover remains below the rim of your pool. When cutting, ensure that the cover does not move, as this may cause over cutting or mistakes. We advise using two people, one to hold the cover steadily in place and the other to cut. This will help ensure that the cover is not cut under the ideal size for your pool.

Once your cover has been cut to size, it does not require weights or ties to hold it in place. With the air pocket side placed downwards on the surface of your pool, it will remain in position through heavy winds and rain.

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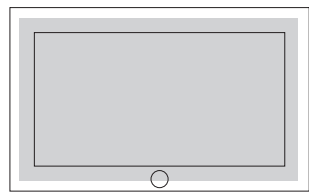
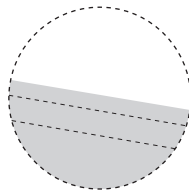
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**Step 2**

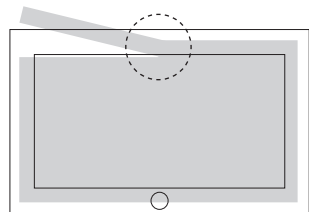
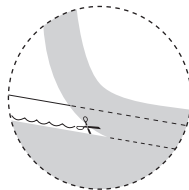
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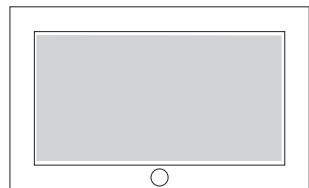
Cut



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**Finished**

Settled



## **Protecting your Henden 550 Solar Pool Cover**

It is important to take proper care of your cover to ensure it lasts the predicted life span.

All plastic materials will naturally deteriorate when exposed to sunlight. However, with the addition of UV stabilisers to your cover, this deterioration is slowed. Sunlight, chlorine and heat will all take their toll on the UV stabilising system in your cover. Excessive exposure to these elements will accelerate the usage of the UV stabiliser, reducing the life span of your cover and potentially voiding your warranty.

To extend the life of your Henden Solar Pool Cover and to keep your warranty valid, please follow the guidelines below:

- > Remove your cover when super chlorinating (replace after 3 hours)
- > If you have a roller, an approved over cover must always be in place when your cover is stored on the roller
- > If you do not have a roller, ensure that your cover is stored out of direct sunlight
- > Avoid pulling your cover over rough surfaces

## **Cleaning and storing your Henden 550 Solar Pool Cover**

To clean your cover, all that is required is a soft sponge and clean cold water.

When you go to store your cover, it is essential that you clean it with cold water. This will prevent chemical build up, which can be damaging to the life span of your cover.

Algae build up can be easily removed by gently scrubbing your cover, however algae is not damaging to your cover.

If you are planning to store your cover for long periods of time, allow it to dry first to prevent the growth of mould.

**Removing and replacing your Henden 550 Solar Pool Cover**

Removing your cover is a simple procedure, especially with a roller. The Henden Mobile Pool Roller is a convenient solution that is sleek, portable and compact. One person can reel the cover onto the roller and move it to a suitable storage space with little difficulty. The Henden Mobile Pool Roller also comes with an approved over cover. This must always be in place when your cover is stored on the roller, as it prevents your cover from being exposed to direct sunlight when not in use.

Replacing your cover is just as easy as removing it from the roller. One person can unroll the cover and guide it back into place on the pool with ease.

If you do not own a roller, it is best to fold your pool cover. Once folded, it is important to store the cover out of direct sunlight and use an approved over cover to protect it.

Failure to use the approved over cover will void your warranty.

## Warranty Information

Your Henden 550 Solar Pool Cover is covered by a 10 Year Pro Rata warranty with a 4, 3, 3 discount structure. This means your cover is covered against manufacturer defects for a total of 10 years from the original date of purchase, with certain discounts applied every year the pool cover ages.

Should your cover fail due to manufacturer defects during the first 4 years, you will receive a full 100% covered replacement.

Any malfunctions due to manufacturer defects for the next 3 years (years 5-7) will entitle you to a 50% discount off the current retail price on the same cover.

If something should go wrong in the last 3 years (years 8-10), Henden will support you with a 25% discount.

Years	Discount off replacement
1 to 4	100%
5 to 7	50%
8 to 10	25%

## Technical and After Sales Support

Should you require technical or after sales support for your Henden Solar Pool Cover, contact your nearest Reece Irrigation & Pools branch. Visit [reece.com.au/storefinder](http://reece.com.au/storefinder) for a complete list of Reece Irrigation & Pools branches.

