

# **ALGAE TREATMENT GUIDE**

## 1 ASCERTAIN THE TYPE OF ALGAE

**GREENWATER ALGAE** is microscopic and causes the water to look like green cordial or pea soup. The algae is often so small it is impossible to filter from the pond water.

**BLANKETWEED** looks like green cotton wool and floats on the surface. Another variety may also proliferate in water courses and streams as "slime", and sometimes on the pond walls.

### 2 TREAT THE ALGAE ACCORDING TO THE TABLE BELOW

Use the preventative treatments as suggested, to reduce further outbreaks. Note: If the pH of the pond water is high, treatments will not be as effective.

### **GREEN WATER ALGAE**

TREATMENT OPTION:

Check pH with: pH Test Kit, and if high

Adjust with: PondPro® pH ADJUST DOWN

Then Treat with: PondPro® Green Away

Followed by PondPro® Sludge Away (to consume dead algae)

PREVENT FURTHER OUTBREAKS WITH:

PondPro® Extract of Barley Straw with Clarifier Bacteria

OR Install a Biofilter & U.V. Clarifier for long term prevention

## **BLANKETWEED**

TREATMENT OPTION:

First: Physically remove as much as possible

Check pH with: pH Test Kit, and if high

Adjust with: PondPro® pH ADJUST DOWN

Then Use: String Algae Treatment

PREVENT FURTHER OUTBREAKS WITH:

PondPro® Extract of Barley Straw with Clarifier Bacteria

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