Intex Above Ground Swimming Pools

When it comes to choosing an above ground swimming pool, Intex is the brand of choice for many pool purchasers. As a highly trusted and respected name in the pool supply industry, Intex offers an excellent line of above ground pools that are affordable and easy to assemble yet solidly constructed. With a variety of options available, Intex above ground swimming pools can accommodate a wide variety of yards as well as many different budgets. Often available in convenient pool sets, many Intex above ground pools come complete with equipment and accessories such as ground and pool covers, ladders, filter pumps, surface skimmers and pool vacuums. For even greater convenience and to make the assembly process as straightforward as possible, Intex above ground pools also come with an instructional DVD.

For anyone who is considering the purchase of an Intex above ground pool, it's important to take several considerations into account prior to making your selection. By making an informed decision regarding the specific Intex pool model you purchase, you will be ensuring that your pool will be a good fit for your yard and lifestyle. For example, swimming pool size, placement and primary use are all factors that come into play when purchasing an above ground pool. However, with the help of the following information, everyone should be able to select an Intex above ground pool that will be well suited to their yard, family, needs and preferences.

Yard Size and Pool Placement

Before dealing with the features and characteristics of specific Intex pool models, future pool owners should first familiarize themselves with their yard's capability to accommodate a pool. For instance, you will need an area in your yard that is level or can be levelled and you ideally will also want to place your pool in a spot that receives plenty of sunshine and yet is shielded from wind. The dimensions of your yard are also extremely important and will naturally dictate the size of swimming pool that your property can accommodate. When thinking about yard dynamics, other factors to consider include providing easy access from walkways and/or patios and ensuring that any adult supervising swimming children will have a clear and unobstructed view of the pool from the patio, deck or other supervision area.
**Pool Style**

Once you know where you will be placing your pool and have decided on the size of pool you want, it’s time to start examining the different available Intex above ground pool models. Intex above ground swimming pools are available in four basic styles -- Easy Set Pools, Metal Frame Pools, Round Ultra Frame Pools and Rectangular Ultra Frame Pools. All of these Intex pools feature strong, triple-ply sidewalls and will provide many hours of aquatic fun and recreation. However, each individual model also has its own features to consider.

**Intex Easy Set Pools**

*Intex Easy Set Pools* are the easiest of all Intex above ground pools to install. These pools can be ready to receive water in just 30 minutes and may even be ready for swimming the very same day. These above ground swimming pools feature an inflatable top ring and are available in several different sizes, ranging from eight to 18 feet in diameter and 30 to 52 inches in height. With their economical purchase price and remarkably fast and easy installation, Intex Easy Set Pools provide an excellent option for many new pool owners.

**Intex Metal Frame Pools**

For a stronger and sturdier alternative to Intex Easy Set Pools, *Intex Metal Frame Pools* are a great choice. While still available at a reasonable cost, Intex Metal Frame Pools are larger, providing more space for swimming, and are solidly constructed from high-grade, rust-resistant steel. Yet, even with their sturdier construction, Intex Metal Frame Pools are still very easy to assemble and the installation process requires no tools. These Intex above ground pools will typically be ready to receive water in 45 minutes or less and range in size from 10 to 24 feet in diameter and 30 to 52 inches in height.

**Intex Round Ultra Frame Pools**

As with Intex Metal Frame Pools, *Intex Round Ultra Frame Pools* offer sturdy construction with high-grade steel treated to resist rust. However, Intex Round Ultra Frame Pools also provide a classier look that will complement any outdoor living area. Moreover, these pools feature frames that are even stronger than Intex's traditional metal frames. All the pieces fit together smoothly and securely, allowing for exceptionally easy installation and a cleaner look when fully assembled. These Intex above ground swimming pools are available in two sizes, with the smaller model measuring 16 feet in diameter and 48 inches in
Intex Rectangular Ultra Frame Pools

The fourth category of Intex above ground pools is comprised of Intex Rectangular Ultra Frame Pools. With respect to construction, assembly and sturdiness, these Intex pools are the same as the Round Ultra Frame Pools. However, these Intex pools provide a more traditional shape with their rectangular form and are ideal for lap swimming and playing pool games. Intex Rectangular Ultra Frame Pools are available in three sizes with the smallest measuring 18 feet by 9 feet and the largest measuring 32 feet by 16 feet.