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Model: 561ERE-BW

Brand: Bestway

## INTRODUCTION

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Welcome to the Bestway Power Steel Oval Above Ground Swimming Pool experience. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient setup, operation, and maintenance of your new pool. Please read all instructions carefully before assembly and use.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

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Your safety is paramount. Always follow these guidelines to prevent accidents and ensure a safe swimming environment:

- **Adult Supervision:** Children should always be supervised by a competent adult when in or around the pool.
- **No Diving:** Shallow water. You can be permanently injured.
- **Pool Fencing:** Check local regulations for fencing requirements.
- **Chemical Handling:** Handle pool chemicals with care and according to manufacturer instructions. Keep out of reach of children.
- **Electrical Safety:** Ensure all electrical components (pump, filter) are properly grounded and connected to a GFCI outlet.
- **Stable Surface:** Set up the pool on a completely flat and level surface to prevent structural damage and injury.



Image: Safety warnings displayed on the side of the Bestway Power Steel pool liner.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

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Before beginning assembly, verify that all components listed below are present:

- Oval Pool Liner (TriTech Material)
- Corrosion-Resistant Steel Frame Components
- Seal & Lock System Connectors
- 110-120V Filter Pump (2,500 GPH)
- Filter Cartridge (Type IV-B)
- Safety Ladder
- Pool Cover
- ChemConnect Dispenser
- Repair Patch

- Adapter for Garden Hose (for drain valve)



Image: Overview of all included components in the Bestway Power Steel Oval Pool Set.

## SETUP

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The Bestway Power Steel pool is designed for easy, no-tools-required setup. Follow these steps for optimal assembly:

1. **Site Preparation:** Choose a completely flat, level, and solid surface free of debris. Ensure adequate drainage and proximity to a GFCI-protected electrical outlet for the pump.
2. **Unfold Liner:** Carefully unroll the pool liner in the chosen location. Ensure the drain valve is positioned where it can be easily accessed for draining.
3. **Assemble Frame:** Connect the steel frame components according to the diagrams in the detailed manual, utilizing the Seal & Lock System for secure connections. Ensure all pins are properly inserted.
4. **Fill with Water:** Begin filling the pool with water. As the water level rises, smooth out any wrinkles in the bottom of the liner from the center outwards. Stop filling when the water reaches the recommended fill line.
5. **Install Filter Pump:** Connect the filter pump to the designated inlet and outlet ports on the pool liner using the provided hoses. Ensure all connections are tight to prevent leaks.
6. **Attach Ladder:** Assemble and place the safety ladder securely against the pool wall. Ensure it is stable before use.
7. **ChemConnect Dispenser:** Place the ChemConnect dispenser in the pool. This device helps maintain stable

chlorine levels.

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## 2,500 GAL. FILTER PUMP Type IV-B



**Uses Type IV-B  
Filter Cartridges**



**Energy Saving  
On/Off Timer**



**2 Hoses  
Included**

Image: Visual guide for the easy setup process of the Bestway Power Steel pool.

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Video: Overview of the Bestway Power Steel Oval Above Ground Swimming Pool Set, demonstrating its features and ease of assembly.

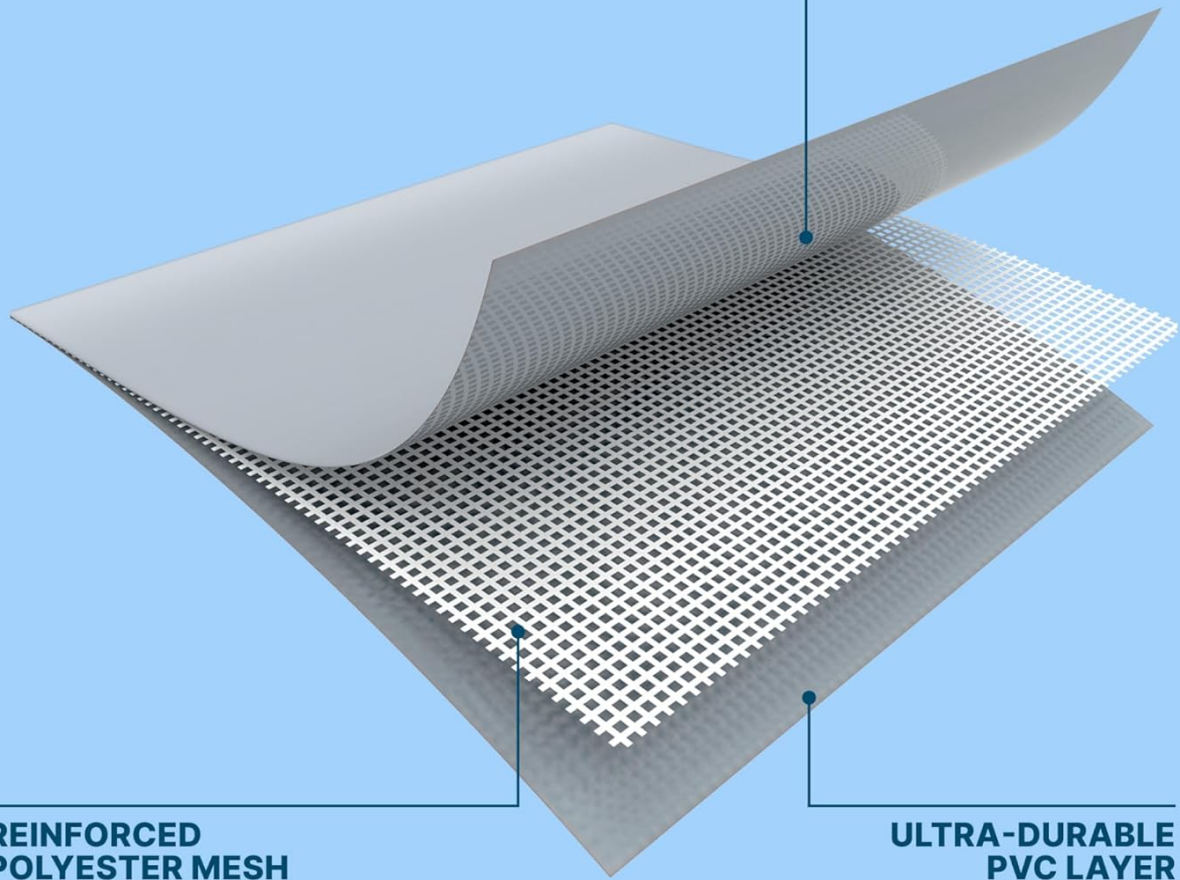
## OPERATING THE POOL

### Filter Pump Operation

The included 2,500 GPH filter pump is crucial for maintaining water clarity. Operate the pump daily for at least 4-6 hours, or longer during heavy use, to ensure proper filtration. Refer to the pump's dedicated manual for detailed operating instructions and timer settings.

# ENHANCED 3-LAYER TRITECH® LINER

ULTRA-DURABLE  
PVC LAYER



REINFORCED  
POLYESTER MESH

ULTRA-DURABLE  
PVC LAYER

**= 83% MORE PUNCTURE-RESISTANT AND 33%  
MORE STRETCH-RESISTANT\***

\* COMPARED TO STANDARD PVC MATERIAL

Image: The 2,500 GPH filter pump, showing its dimensions and key features like Type IV-B filter cartridges and energy-saving timer.

## ChemConnect Dispenser

The ChemConnect dispenser provides a stable level of chlorine by evenly dispersing it throughout the pool. Fill the dispenser with appropriate chlorine tablets (not included) and adjust the flow as needed to maintain proper water chemistry.

# EASY SETUP

## NO TOOLS NEEDED

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**TAKE OUT  
AND  
UNFOLD**

2



**BUILD  
WITH 2-3  
PEOPLE**

3



**FILL  
WITH  
WATER**

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## CHEMCONNECT™ DISPENSER

Maintains and provides clean, healthy pool water by providing a stable level of chlorine that is evenly dispersed throughout the pool.

Image: The ChemConnect dispenser, designed for even chlorine distribution.

## MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance is essential for extending the life of your pool and ensuring clean, safe water:

- **Water Testing:** Test pool water regularly (daily or every other day) for pH, chlorine, and alkalinity levels. Adjust chemicals as necessary.
- **Cleaning:** Skim debris from the surface daily. Vacuum the pool bottom as needed to remove settled dirt and algae.
- **Filter Cartridge:** Clean the filter cartridge frequently (every few days) by rinsing with a garden hose. Replace the cartridge every 2-4 weeks, or sooner if heavily soiled.
- **Liner Inspection:** Periodically inspect the TriTech liner for any signs of wear, tears, or punctures. Use the included repair patch for minor damages.
- **Winterization:** For colder climates, properly winterize the pool by draining, cleaning, and disassembling it for

storage. Follow specific winterization instructions in the full product manual.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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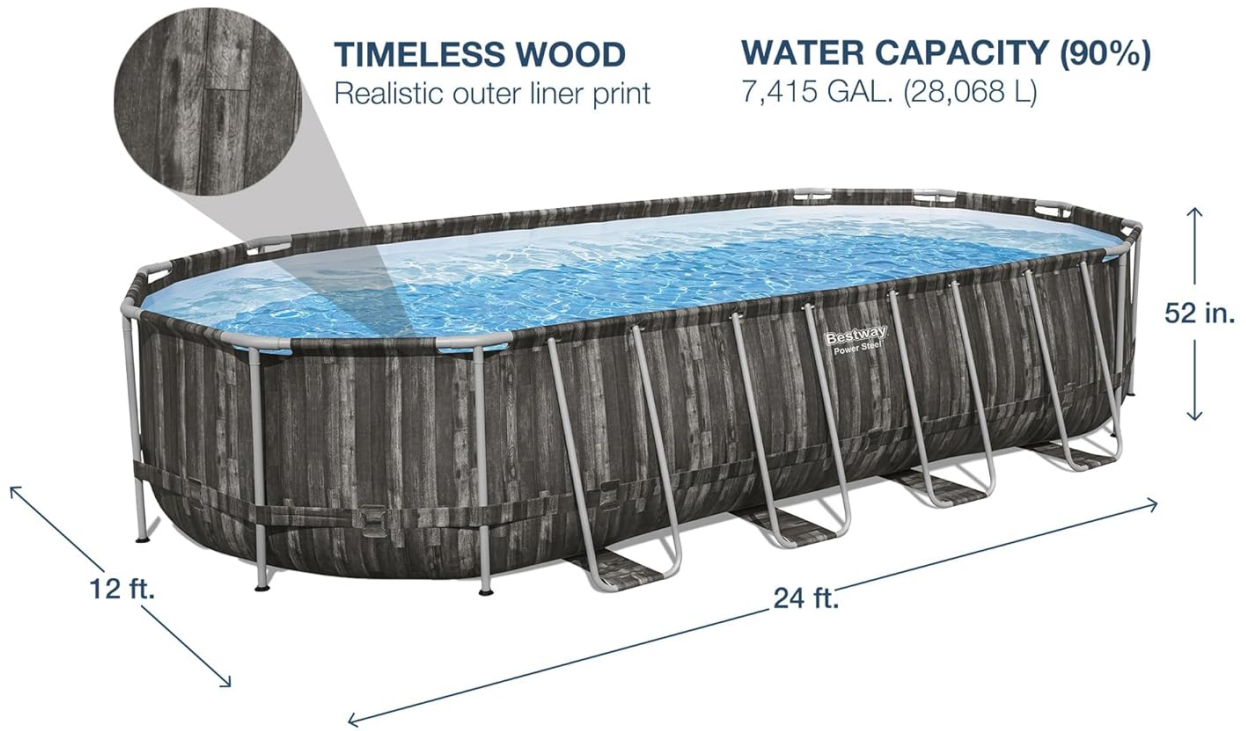
Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cloudy Water	Insufficient filtration; improper chemical balance; high organic load.	Run pump longer; test and adjust chemicals (chlorine, pH); shock treat pool; clean/replace filter cartridge.
Algae Growth	Low chlorine; high pH; poor circulation.	Shock treat with chlorine; brush pool walls; add algaecide; ensure proper pump operation.
Pump Not Working	Power issue; clogged impeller; air lock.	Check power connection/GFCI; clear debris from impeller; prime pump according to pump manual.
Water Leak	Loose connections; liner puncture.	Tighten all hose clamps and connections; locate and repair liner puncture with patch kit.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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- **Model:** 561ERE-BW
- **Dimensions:** 24 ft. L x 12 ft. W x 52 in. H (288"L x 144"W x 52"H)
- **Shape:** Oval
- **Capacity (90%):** 7,415 Gallons (28,068 Liters)
- **Material:** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC), Steel (TriTech enhanced 3-ply reinforced puncture-proof liner)
- **Filter Pump Flow Rate:** 2,500 Gallons per Hour (GPH)
- **Included Components:** Pool Liner, Steel Frame, Filter Pump, Ladder, Pool Cover, ChemConnect Dispenser, Repair Patch
- **Assembly Required:** Yes
- **Indoor/Outdoor Usage:** Outdoor

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## WHAT'S INCLUDED



Filter Pump



Ladder



Pool Cover



ChemConnect™  
Dispenser



Filter Cartridge

Image: Key dimensions and water capacity of the Bestway Power Steel Oval Pool.

## WARRANTY & SUPPORT

Bestway products are manufactured with quality materials and are inspected to ensure they are free of defects. For specific warranty details, including duration and coverage, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Bestway website.

For customer support, technical assistance, or to order replacement parts, please contact Bestway Customer Service through their official channels. Keep your purchase receipt and product model number handy for faster service.

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