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Model: AP2400P

Brand: VCRAZE

1. INTRODUCTION & PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The VCRAZE Pond Aerator Pump (Model AP2400P) is designed to efficiently oxygenate water features and outdoor ponds up to 1000 gallons. Proper aeration is crucial for promoting biological processes, supporting aquatic life, and maintaining a healthy pond ecosystem. This pump operates at 4-Watts, providing a flow rate of 0.21 CFM (96 GPH) and an air pressure of 2.3 PSI (0.016 Mpa). Its design focuses on robust performance and quiet operation, with additional benefits such as preventing ice formation during colder months.



The complete VCRAZE Pond Aerator Pump kit, including the main pump unit, two rolls of airline tubing, two spherical air stones, and two check valves for preventing water backflow.



The All-in-1 Pond Aeration Kit

The aerator pump unit is shown in an outdoor pond setting, demonstrating its integration with a water feature containing koi fish, highlighting its role in oxygenating the water.

2. PACKAGE CONTENTS

The VCRAZE Pond Aeration Kit is supplied with all necessary components for effective pond aeration. Please verify that all items listed below are present in your package:

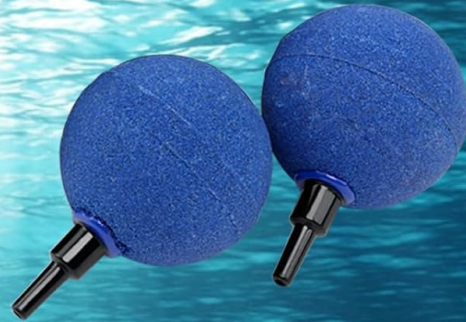
- 1 x VCRAZE Pond Aerator Pump (Model AP2400P)
- 2 x 30ft Vinyl Airline Tubing rolls
- 2 x 2-inch Diameter Air Stones
- 2 x Check Valves
- 2 x Replacement Air Filter Pads

Complete Package

Includes all necessary components for your pond aeration needs



Check Valve x 2



2" Air Stone x 2



Air Filter Pad x 2



30ft Vinyl Airline x 2

A visual representation of the comprehensive kit, detailing each included item: check valves, air stones, air filter pads, and airline tubing, ensuring users have everything needed for installation.

3. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	VCRAZE
Model Number	AP2400P
Power	4 Watts
Flow Rate	0.21 CFM (96 GPH) / 363 Liters Per Hour
Air Pressure	2.3 PSI (0.016 Mpa)
Pond Capacity	Up to 1000 Gallons
Voltage	120 Volts
Product Dimensions	6.3"L x 3.9"W x 2.95"H

Item Weight	2.3 Pounds
Material	Copper, Steel, Rubber, Plastic
Included Components	Air pump, Air stones, Airline tubing, Check valves

4. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Pump Placement:** Position the aerator pump in a dry, protected location above the pond's water level. This prevents water from flowing back into the pump.
2. **Tubing Connection:** Connect one end of each 30ft vinyl airline tubing to the chrome-plated air outlets on the pump. Ensure a snug fit.
3. **Check Valve Installation:** Install a check valve into each airline tubing line, between the pump and the air stone. The arrow on the check valve should point towards the air stone (away from the pump) to ensure proper airflow and prevent water backflow.
4. **Air Stone Attachment:** Attach one 2-inch air stone to the free end of each airline tubing.
5. **Air Stone Placement in Pond:** Carefully place the air stones into the pond. For general aeration, distribute them evenly. For winter ice prevention, place air stones at approximately half the maximum pond depth to avoid disturbing warmer water at the bottom, which is vital for fish.
6. **Power Connection:** Plug the pump's power cord into a grounded 120-Volt electrical outlet.

Efficient, Powerful & Quiet



Internal design with a unique texture for noise reduction



Adjustable air output



Metal hose adapter
resistant to corrosion

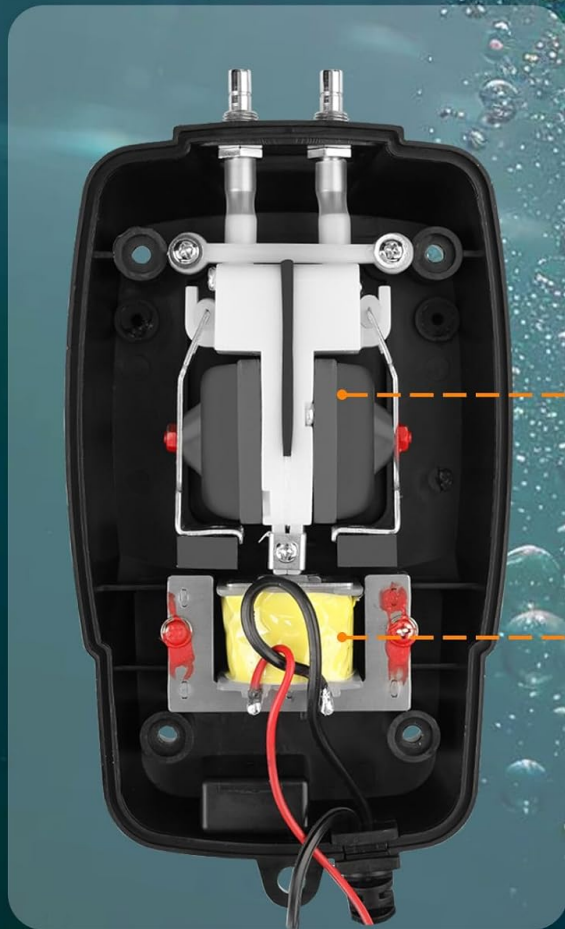


Air filter for clean air



This image provides a detailed view of the pump's control features, including the dial for adjusting air output and the durable metal hose adapters for secure connections.

24 Hours Safety & Durability



Sulfurized Rubber Diaphragm

Motor Guarded with Insulated Tape



Crafted with Expertise

An inside look at the pump reveals its robust construction, featuring a sulfurized rubber diaphragm designed for enhanced durability and a motor protected by insulated tape.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Power On:** Once all connections are secure and the air stones are placed in the pond, plug the pump into the electrical outlet. The pump will begin operating immediately.
2. **Adjusting Airflow:** The pump features an adjustable dial on its top surface. Rotate this dial to increase or decrease the air output to suit your pond's specific needs.
3. **Continuous Operation:** For optimal pond health and continuous ice prevention during winter, the pump is designed for continuous operation.
4. **Monitoring:** Periodically observe the air stones to ensure consistent bubble production and proper aeration throughout the pond.



This image demonstrates the primary function of the aerator: infusing the pond water with oxygen, crucial for aquatic life and overall pond health.

6. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and efficient performance of your VCRAZE Pond Aerator Pump.

- **Air Filter Replacement:** The air filter pads should be inspected monthly and replaced every 3-6 months, or more frequently in dusty environments. To replace, open the pump casing, remove the old filter, and insert a new one.
- **Tubing and Air Stone Cleaning:** Periodically check the airline tubing and air stones for blockages caused by algae or debris. Clean them as needed to maintain optimal airflow.
- **Winter Care:** During winter, ensure air stones are positioned at approximately half the pond's maximum depth. This helps create an ice-free area for gas exchange without disrupting the warmer water layer at the bottom, which is essential for fish survival.



Feature 2

Disrupt Ice Formation

As the pump functions, it keeps the surface water in motion. This motion helps prevent the water from freezing during winter, creating a hole for your koi to access sufficient oxygen.

IMPORTANT

During the winter, move the air stones to **HALF** your maximum depth to avoid ice formation.

A close-up of the replacement air filter pads, essential for maintaining clean air intake and optimal pump performance.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No Airflow	No power, disconnected tubing, clogged air filter.	Check power supply and connections. Ensure tubing is securely attached. Inspect and replace air filter.
Reduced Airflow	Clogged air stones or tubing, dirty air filter, pump dial set too low.	Clean air stones and tubing. Replace air filter. Adjust the pump's airflow dial to a higher setting.
Excessive Noise	Pump not on a stable surface, loose components.	Place the pump on a flat, stable surface. Check for any loose parts and secure them.

Water Backflow into Pump	Incorrectly installed or faulty check valve, pump placed below water level.	Ensure check valves are installed correctly (arrow pointing away from pump). Relocate pump above the pond's water level. Replace faulty check valve.
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8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

VCRAZE products are manufactured to high-quality standards. This product is covered by a manufacturer's warranty against defects in materials and workmanship. For specific warranty details, including duration and coverage, please refer to the warranty card included in your product packaging or visit the official VCRAZE website.

If you encounter any issues or have questions regarding the installation, operation, or maintenance of your VCRAZE Pond Aerator Pump, please contact our customer support team. Our representatives are available to assist you with troubleshooting and provide guidance.

Customer Support Contact: Please refer to your product packaging or the VCRAZE website for the most current contact information.