# PondXpert Easyfilter 9000 & 12000

Maintenance guide for your PondXpert Easyfilter



## Easyfilter 9000 & 12000

This is how your Easyfilter will look when you take it out of the box.



# **Opening the filter**

In order to access the filter you will need to remove the metal clamp that holds the base and lid together.



The lid can then be removed from the base; this will simply pull apart. At first, with a new unit this may be difficult to remove; do not be alarmed this is normal.



# **Setting Up**

The hosetails supplied need to be fitted securely to the screw fittings to the front of the filter unit.

(1) The outlet valve allows the returning clean water to enter the pond from the filter.

(2) The inlet valve requires the hose to be connected from the pond pump.

(3) The dirty water valve allows the water that is accumulated during the cleaning process to be directed away form the filter.

Please note that it is important to follow the instructions as to which pipe to fit to each hosetail as they enable the filter to perform different jobs.

#### **Filter Foams**

Inside the filter you will find a layer of three filter foams in the order shown here; blue, yellow and black.

Always make sure that they are replaced in the same order.

There is a plastic tray to the bottom of the unit which protects the biological media and allows drainage of the filter foams.





#### How to change from normal filtering to cleaning mode

The filter will arrive in this position. This is the filter position; handle down to the left.



The grey handles need to be moved to the alternative position; handle down to the right to use the cleaning function.

The grey handles may be a little stiff at first; do not be alarmed as this is due to the unit being new. A little bit of pressure and rocking should allow you to rotate this to change to clean mode.



## How to change the UV Bulb

Firstly turn the lid upside down, this will allow access to the plastic quartz housing.



Once you have turned the unit upside down, there are three screws to be removed, this will then allow you access to the casing that surrounds the bulb.



# How to change the UV Bulb

Once you have taken the casing off, your able to remove the quartz sleeve. There is a screw fitment to the base which needs to be turned anti-clockwise.



Now you are able to take out the UV bulb which is held in by pins; this will easily remove to be changed.