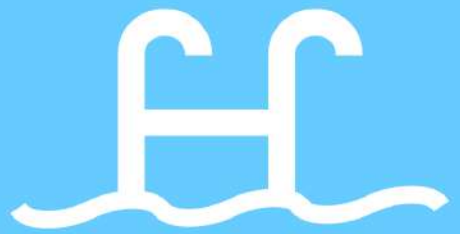
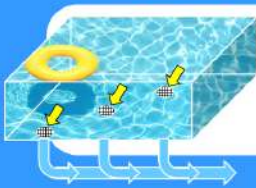


POOL ENTRAPMENT PREVENTION



POOL SUCTION ENTRAPMENT IS A SERIOUS HAZARD AND CAN BE FATAL

1. PREVENT SOLE SOURCE OF SUCTION



Configure the circulation system to include multiple main drains

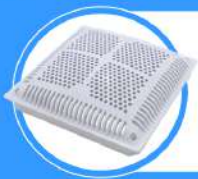
2. EQUIP POOL WITH A SVRS



Install a Safety Vacuum Release System (SVRS)



3. USE AN ANTI-VORTEX GRATE



Cover main drain outlets < 300mm wide and shut down the pool if grate is compromised

4. PLACE POWER SWITCHES NEAR POOL



Label them prominently to turn off quickly in emergencies

PREMISES OWNERS MUST ENSURE THEIR POOL DOES NOT POSE INJURY RISK TO USERS



For full details on entrapment measures, please refer to [Singapore Standard 556 Code of Practice for the Design and Management of Aquatic Facilities](#)

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