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Calcium Chloride (Hardness Increaser) AND Sodium Bicarbonate (Bicarb) OR Sodium Carbonate (Soda Ash)	Calcium Chloride and bicarb or soda ash should not be added at the same time or even within a few hours of each other. A white precipitate will form, clouding the water and may cause scaling
TriChlor AND Cal Hypo	Explosion and Fire (by themselves)
Chlorine – Any kind AND Iron	Stain and discolored water. Iron above .5ppm will rapidly destroy the chlorine.
Polymer water Clarifier AND Sequestering agent	Cloudiness that may not go away or filter out
Phosphate Remover AND Sequestering Agent	Cloudiness
Phosphate Remover AND High level of calcium or magnesium	Cloudiness and a precipitate that may scale