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Dual Wave Pool (Ramayana Water Park - Chon Buri, Thailand)

# Introduction

shape and size.

a wave or river.

## Leading the Industry

When we first started building waves, we could have never imagined that over 30 years later, we would have installed over 400 wave pools and wave rivers in almost every corner of the globe for water parks of every

### **Diversity of Choice**

As the largest water park manufacturer, we are able to offer complete water park solutions, from iconic water slides and interactive water play structures to wave pools and surf simulators that are engineered with reliability and safety in mind. Our comprehensive line of waves and rivers ensure that we have options to suit every price point, capacity requirement, footprint, and demographic.

#### **Custom Designs**

Our experienced team of designers understand how to maximize both guest experience and operational efficiency. Smooth operations, mechanical placement, life guarding, sound mitigation, and sight lines are all important factors that are considered when we design



Wave Pool (Yas Waterworld - Abu Dhabi, UAE)

## Waves & Rivers 101

While water parks may come in many different shapes and sizes in every corner of the planet, they all share the same attractions fundamentals. A mix of slide-types to appeal to adventure-seeking individuals and groups, interactive water play areas and structures for younger visitors and their families, and lastly waves and rivers to give all visitors queue-line free access to a range of thrills or relaxation.

These types of attractions help define a park's layout, create food and beverage opportunities, and round out a comprehensive ride mix. Whether you need an always in-demand Wave Pool that appeals to all guests or an exciting way to navigate your park with a Wave River, we have the right solution for your needs.



Lazy River (Disney's Typhoon Lagoon Water Park - Orlando, USA)

#### **Rethinking Capacity**

#### **ACTIVE CAPACITY**

Active Capacity refers to the number of people that can be on an attraction at any point of time. Wave Pools and Rivers have very high active capacity as they can accommodate a much larger number of people simultaneously, without lines, than slides.

#### **PASSIVE CAPACITY**

Passive Capacity refers to the ability of a ride to entertain guests who are not in the ride itself—this can include friends and family who are watching, or guests who are having a drink or meal while catching a glimpse of the fun. Rides with a high passive capacity generate revenue with food and beverage sales and function as a meeting area or "base camp" for guests.

#### **Anchoring Your Park**

Every park has them, those higher capacity attractions that create focal points within your park, around which crowds are drawn. Placed at intervals around a park, anchor attractions help drive circulation as people move from one to the next, stopping at other rides along the way.

Considered traditional anchor attractions, Wave Pools and Rivers are the heart of every water park. Wave Pools for their ability to create a central hub where families congregate and relax and Rivers for their range of experiences and ability to move people around a park.



Wave River (Chimelong Water Park - Guangzhou, China,



Extreme River (Aqua Nick at Nickelodeon Hotel and Resort - Cancun, Mexico)

#### A Water Park Favourite

Wave Pools and Rivers continue to be one of the most popular features of any water park. In a report published by IAAPA in 2015, they found that the top attractions at water parks overall are Wave Pools. Regionally, Wave Pools are the number one attraction in North America, Europe, and the Middle East.

#### Safety First

Safety is our top priority, and we have various features and products that make our waves, rivers, and surf products as safe as possible:

- We have partnered with Life Floor, a foam-rubber flooring system specifically designed for use in wet areas with barefoot traffic. Added to wave pool and river entries, Life Floor helps to reduce slips and falls, and helps to absorb the impact when they do occur.
- Our Wave Pools feature wave-generating equipment that can be adjusted according to guest suitability. For instance, wave heights and frequency can be lowered for younger guests.



Wave Pool (Disney's Typhoon Lagoon Water Park - Florida, USA)



The largest wave pool in North America, the 152 meters (500 feet) wide Surf Wave Pool at Typhoon Lagoon is one of the most iconic wave pools in the world.



Wave Pool (Wild Rivers Waterpark - Irvine, USA)

# Waves & Rivers Products

#### Wave Pools

A Wave Pool is an essential feature in any water park—guests of all ages and physical abilities are able to enjoy a cooling dip, a refreshing swim, or even just a relaxing sit-down in the shallows. Wave Pools offer the highest guest capacity in a park, without any queue lines. They act as central meeting places for families and are often anchors for food, rental cabanas, and retail opportunities. They also help draw guests into far corners of the park and encourage them to walk past other attractions. All these features place Wave Pools as a valuable focal area for water park design.

We offer four variations of wave pools:

- Family Wave Pools
- Surf Wave Pools
- Children's Wave Pools
- Dual Wave Pools



Family Wave Pool (Jungle Bay Waterpark - Dubai, UAE)

#### Family Wave Pools

Family Wave Pools feature waves that are gentle and relaxing, making them suitable for guests of all ages. They allow the whole family to enjoy the water together, even young children. Children's pools can be added to the main pool, creating a separate section that young kids can play in.

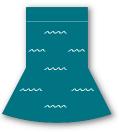
Cabanas can be placed in the space around the pools, generating rental income. Food and beverage stands and kiosks can be strategically added around the pool as they help to not only increase guest satisfaction, but also guest spending.

Family Wave Pools are the easiest wave pools to build—they're simple, cost-effective, and low maintenance. The pneumatic waves in these pools are created by wave fans blowing air into chambers at the deep end of the pool. These chambers have underwater openings, so when the air is blown into them, the water level in the chamber is pushed down to create a surge in the pool outside the chamber.

By having a series of chambers across the back of the pool and alternating air flow into the different chambers, various wave patterns can be made. This pneumatic technology requires minimal maintenance, is easy to install, and offers variable heights, wave patterns, and wave frequency.

Wave Type	Pneumatic
Wave Heights	Variable to 1.5 m (5 ft)
Wave Patterns	Double & Double Diamond, Parallel & Half Parallel, V & Inverted V, Left & Right Diagonals
Pool Size	Typically 185 m <sup>2</sup> (2,000 ft <sup>2</sup> ) to 4,650 m <sup>2</sup> (50,000 ft <sup>2</sup> )
Wave Frequency (adjustable)	Typically 2.75 seconds

#### WAVE PATTERNS



DIAMOND 1



DIAMOND 2



INVERTED VEE



VEE

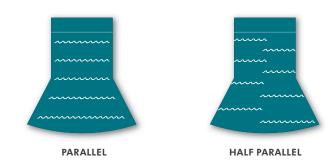
#### Children's Wave Pools

Children's Wave Pools offer safe, playful waves that entertain the youngest of swimmers. They have a shallow water depth and zero-entry beach areas for kids to wade in. The waves are up to 0.9 meters (3 feet) in height, and similar to Family Wave Pools, use the same reliable, efficient, and versatile blowing air technology to generate a variety of wave patterns that keep kids of all ages splashing all day long. These pools can be integrated into a complete play lagoon with AquaPlay products, which are water activity elements that can be configured to create a dynamic splash pad or combined with an AquaPlay, a multi-level play structure.

Children's Wave Pools are also the perfect setting for Life Floor, an award-winning aquatics flooring that helps prevent slips and falls and keeps surfaces cool. Hence, toddlers and children can play safely while parents can have peace of mind.

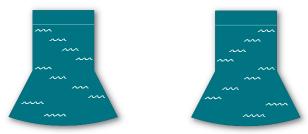
Wave Type	Pneumatic
Wave Heights	Variable to 0.9 m (3 ft)
Wave Patterns	Double & Double Diamond, Parallel &
Pool Size	Typically 46 $m^2$ (500 ft²) to 185 $m^2$ (2
Wave Frequency (adjustable)	Typically 2 seconds





& Half Parallel, V & Inverted V, Left & Right Diagonals (2000 ft<sup>2</sup>)

Wave Pool (Thrill Waterpark at Perfect Day at CocoCay - Bahamas)



LEFT OR RIGHT DIAGONAL



Surf Wave Pool (Sunway Lagoon - Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)

#### Surf Wave Pools

Surf Wave Pools feature bigger, more exciting waves that are ideal for surfing and boogie boarding. However, they are also lots of fun for guests who are more inclined to appreciate thrills. Surf Wave Pools create surges generated by the hydraulic equipment, and huge swells that carry people, boards, and tubes towards the beach. They are also a spectacle to watch, thus offering both active and passive capacity.

Our Surf Wave Pools have waves that are created with a hydraulic system which uses large pumps to fill enormous holding tanks above the deep end of the pool. When the gates in the bottom of the tanks are opened, this massive volume of water is released to create a surge wave that is up to 3 meters (10 feet) in height.

Surf Wave Pools are available as a combination system to include pneumatic wave equipment for flexibility in operations. The hydraulic wave equipment is made up of multiple pumps and can be operated using them all, or only a few to reduce operating costs on a slower day, but still creating epic waves.

Wave Type	Hydraulic with pneumatic option
Wave Heights	Up to 3 m (10 ft)
Wave Patterns	Parallel, V & Inverted V, Left & Right Diagonals
Pool Size	Typically 4,700 m² (50,000 ft²) to 13,000 m² (140,000 ft²)
Wave Frequency (adjustable)	Typically 20-90 seconds (hydraulic water- dump mode) / Typically 3 seconds (pneumatic mode)

#### **Dual Wave Pools**

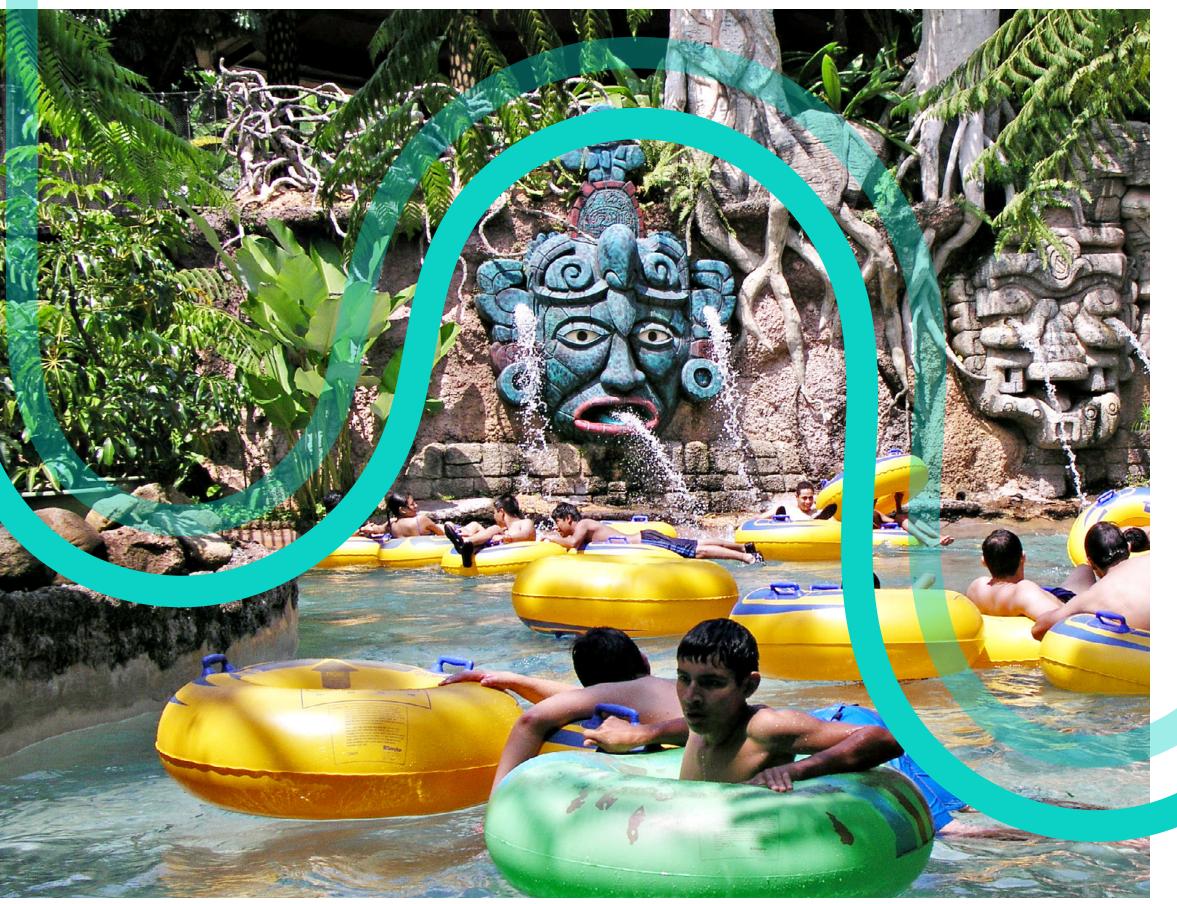
We are able to combine a Family Wave Pool and a Surf Wave Pool to create a Dual Wave Pool, which enables parks to have the flexibility to create two very distinct experiences side-by-side. One side of the pool provides the calm enjoyment of Family Waves, while the other offers the exhilaration of larger waves.





Chimelong, the mostvisited water parks in the world, has a dual wave pool: Family Wave Pool on one side and Surf Wave Pool on the other.

Dual Wave Pool (Chimelong Water Park - Guangzhou, China)



Wave River (Xocomil - Retalhuleu, Guatemala)

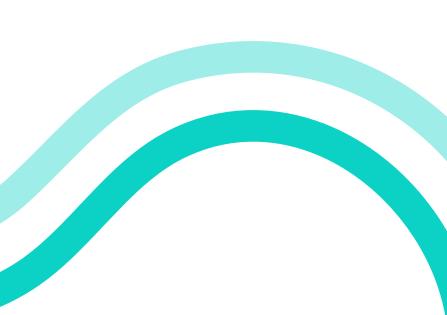
#### **Rivers**

Rivers are a fun way for guests to not only enjoy the scenery as they move around your park, but also be entertained by the motion of the waves, for which there are options. Rivers are high capacity and suitable for guests of all ages and can be themed as well. Unlike traditional Lazy Rivers, our Wave Rivers and Extreme Rivers feature wave-generating equipment which creates big or small waves that can increase the thrill factor while moving people more quickly.

Like Wave Pools, Rivers are simple, cost-effective, and low maintenance. They also feature different wave modes for operators to choose from depending on suitability.

We offer two main types:

- Extreme Rivers
- Wave Rivers





Extreme River (Wet'n Joy Water Park - Mumbai, India)

#### **Extreme Rivers**

Extreme Rivers are high thrill rivers that feature waves of up to 0.9 m (3 ft) in height, propelling guests forward in addition to giving them an exciting "bump" every 15-20 seconds. They are very popular amongst kids and teenagers while being calm enough for parents and younger children alike.

The Extreme River wave generator uses large pumps that fill a holding tank. Gates control the water flow down a ramp into the river, generating surges of water that add momentum to the water and create waves in the river. Parks can also build restaurants overlooking extreme rivers, giving diners a fun view to look at while having a bite.

Wave Type	Hydraulic
Wave Heights	Typically to 0.9 m (3 ft)
Frequency	Typically 15-20 seconds

#### Wave Rivers

Wave Rivers are similar to lazy rivers, except they add some excitement by including gentle waves of up to 0.6m (2 feet) high. They are calm and relaxing for guests of all ages, and are easy to install.

Wave Rivers can also double as a form of transportation to move guests from one area of the park to another while enjoying the scenery, passing by iconic rides and floating through food and beverage locations. They also function to separate various areas in the park.

Wave Type	Pneumatic
Wave Heights	Variable to 0.6 m (2 ft)
Frequency	Typically 2.5 seconds



Wave River (Guangzhou Sunac Water Park - Guangzhou, China)



# Engineered for Fun

WhiteWater has designed and built some of the largest and most famous wave pools in the world, including at Sunway Lagoon in Malaysia, Disney's Typhoon Lagoon in Florida, and Chimelong Water Park in China. Our wave generating equipment is engineered for durability, safety, and years of nonstop service. We continue to refine and redefine the best generated waves in the world, with the largest in-house team of engineering experts who can customize any size and scale project to the highest standards of safety, reliability, and efficiency in the industry.

Our goal is to understand your venue, operations, and vision, and help you achieve your goals—not just to make another sale. We stand by our clients for the long haul, placing the utmost importance on safety, longevity, durability, and appeal in all our wave products, from Wave Pools to Extreme Rivers.



Wave Pool (Island H2O Waterpark - Kissimmee, USA)



#### **Entertain the Possibilities**

WhiteWater was born in 1980 with one clear purpose, to create places where families unite and make joyful lasting memories.

We achieve this by standing alongside our customers from concept to completion of award-winning attractions, from slides to water rides and everything in between. We aim to inspire our clients by unleashing our creativity to realize their ambitions; we craft solutions which make each park unique. We are dedicated to making products that operators can count on, because we understand the importance of reliability and efficiency on the bottom line.

As market leaders, we put our success down to our attitude, in all our years we've never once forgotten why we're here – to help parks solve problems, create immersive experiences, and delight guests all over the world.

We're here to create places where fun thrives.

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