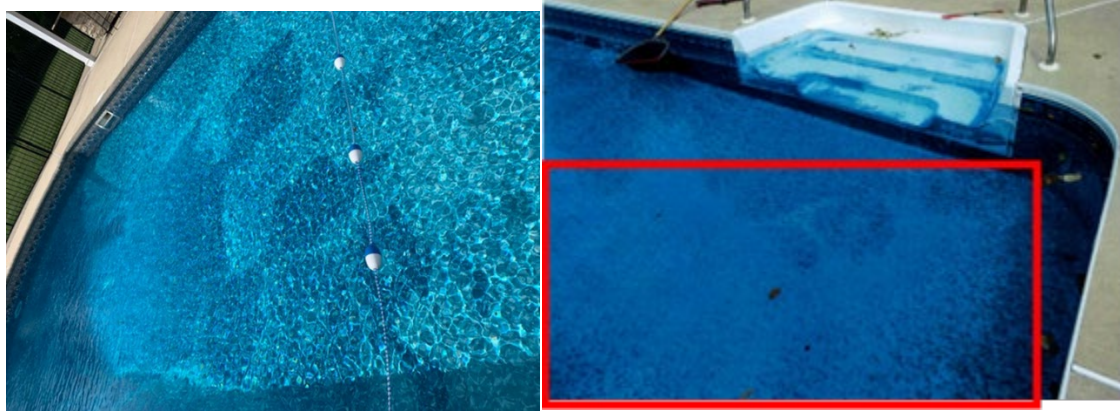


## Is My Liner Really Bleached?

Visually, liner stains can misguide the homeowner regarding the true cause of a change in a liner's appearance (see pictures below): stains are often mistaken for 'fading' or 'bleaching' of the liner. For example, a stain may make an area of the print look so dark that the rest of the liner looks very light by comparison. In other words, the liner appears faded.. Another example might be that a stain covers a section of the liner so that the print is no longer visible. This may also be misinterpreted as liner fading.



The good news is that stains on vinyl liners are generally reversible. Vinyl is not a porous material like gunite or tile, and so stains do not penetrate below the surface as they would with 'cementitious' materials. With some cleaning and careful maintenance, your liner can look as perfect as before.

