



pH-value HR T

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8.0 - 9.6

Thymol Blue

Instrument specific information

The test can be performed on the following devices. In addition, the required cuvette and the absorption range of the photometer are indicated.

Instrument Type	Cuvette	λ	Measuring Range
MD 600, MD 610, MD 640, MultiDirect, PM 620, PM 630, XD 7000, XD 7500	ø 24 mm	560 nm	8.0 - 9.6

Material

Required material (partly optional):

Reagents	Packaging Unit	Part Number
Thymol Blue Photometer	Tablet / 100	515710BT
Thymol Blue Photometer	Tablet / 250	515711BT

Application List

- Boiler Water
- Pool Water Control
- Pool Water Treatment
- Raw Water Treatment

Notes

1. For photometric determination of pH values only use THYMOLBLUE tablets in black printed foil pack and marked with PHOTOMETER.
2. The accuracy of the colorimetric determination of pH values depends on various boundary conditions (buffer capacity of the sample, salt contents etc.).

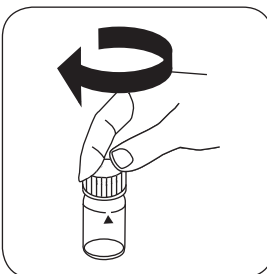
Implementation of the provision pH-value with Tablet

Select the method on the device

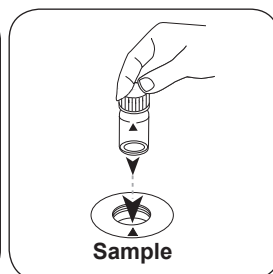
For this method, no ZERO measurements are to be carried out with the following devices: XD 7000, XD 7500



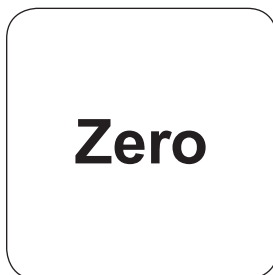
Fill 24 mm vial with **10 ml sample**.



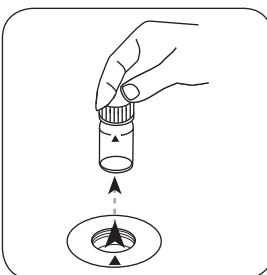
Close vial(s).



Place **sample vial** in the sample chamber. • Pay attention to the positioning.

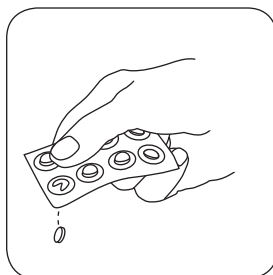


Press the **ZERO** button.

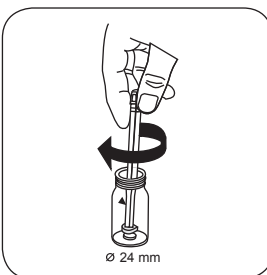


Remove the vial from the sample chamber.

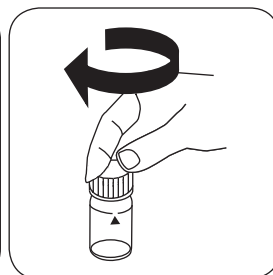
For devices that require **no ZERO measurement**, start here.



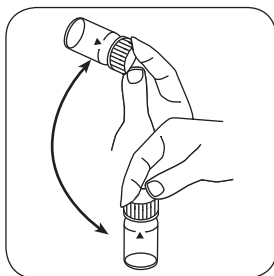
Add **THYMOLBLUE PHOTOMETER** tablet.



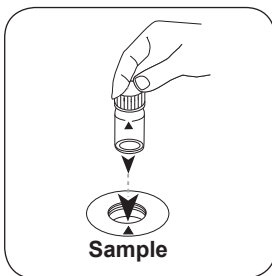
Crush tablet(s) by rotating slightly.



Close vial(s).



Dissolve tablet(s) by inverting.



Place **sample vial** in the sample chamber. • Pay attention to the positioning.



Press the **TEST** (XD: **START**) button.

The result in pH value appears on the display.

Chemical Method

Thymol Blue

Appendix

Interferences

Persistent Interferences

1. pH values below 8.0 and above 9.6 can produce results inside the measuring range. A plausibility test (pH-meter) is recommended.

Removeable Interferences

Salt error Correction of test results (average values) for samples with salt contents of:

Indicator	Salt content per sample		
Thymolblue	1 molar -0.22	2 molars -0.29	3 molars -0.34

The values of Parson and Douglas (1926) are based on the use of Clark and Lubs buffers. 1 Mol NaCl = 58.4 g/l = 5.8 %

Bibliography

Colorimetric Chemical Analytical Methods, 9th Edition, London

^{a)} determination of free, combined and total | ^{b)} Reactor is necessary for COD (150 °C), TOC (120 °C) and total -chromium, - phosphate, -nitrogen, (100 °C) | ^{c)} MultiDirect: Adapter is necessary for Vacu-vials® (Order code 19 20 75) | ^{d)} Spectroquant® is a Merck KGaA Trademark | ^{e)} alternative reagent, used instead of DPD No.1/No.3 in case of turbidity in the water sample caused by high concentration of calcium and/or high conductivity | ^{f)} additionally required for determination of bromine, chlorine dioxide and ozone in the presence of chlorine | ^{g)} Reagent recovers most insoluble iron oxides without digestion | ^{h)} additionally required for samples with hardness values above 300 mg/l CaCO₃ | ⁱ⁾ high range by dilution | ^{j)} including stirring rod, 10 cm