Chlorine Dioxide

Method

References: USEPA Methods for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes, Method 330.5 (1983). APHA Standard Methods, 20th ed., pp. 4-76, Method 4500-ClO₂ D and pp. 4-63 Method 4500-Cl G (1998).

Chlorine dioxide is used as an oxidizing microbiocide in industrial cooling water treatment, the dairy industry, the meat industry, and many other food and beverage industry applications. It is used as a bleaching agent in the pulp and paper industry, and as a disinfectant in municipal water treatment. Industrial waste treatment facilities use chlorine dioxide because of its selectivity for certain compounds, including phenols, sulfides, cyanides, thiosulfates, and mercaptans. The oil and gas industry uses chlorine dioxide for downhole applications and as a stimulation enhancement additive. The Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level for chlorine dioxide is 0.8 mg/L in drinking water.

In the standard DPD methodology, chlorine dioxide reacts with DPD (N, N-diethyl-p-phenylenediamine) to form a pink product. Interference from free Cl_2 is prevented (up to 6 ppm Cl_2) by the addition of glycine to the sample. Results are expressed as ppm (mg/L) ClO_2 .

Instrumental Kits

V-2000 Multi-Analyte Photometer

(See page 12 for instrumental features)

Range: 0.80-11.00 ppm Method: DPD

Vacu-vials Kit,	Shelf-life 8 months

Kit comes in a cardboard box and contains everything needed to perform 30 tests: thirty ampoules, Neutralizer Solution, 25 mL sample cup, ampoule blank, instructions, calibration table, and MSDS.

Cat#

K-2703

Vacu-vials Kits require the use of the V-2000 Photometer or a spectrophotometer capable of accepting a 13 mm diameter round cell. Instrument sold separately.

SAM Single-Analyte Photometer

(See page 15 for instrumental features)

Range: 1.0-11.00 ppm Method: DPD	
SAM Kit	Cat# I-2005
Vacu-vials Kit, 30 ampoules, Neutralizer Solution, 25 mL sample cup, ampoule blank, instructions, calibration table, and MSDS, Shelf-life 8 months.	K-2703
SAM Kit comes in a plastic case and contains everything needed to perform 30 tests: Vacu-vials Kit, SAM Photometer, 2 AA batteries, and instructions.	



sample cup, instructions, and MSDS

Range: 0-2 & 2-10 ppm MDL: 0.1 ppm / Method: DPD		
CHEMets Kit	Cat# K-2705	
CHEMets Refill, 30 ampoules	R-2705	
Neutralizer Solution Pack, six 10 mL bottles, Shelf-life 8 months	A-27001	
Low Range Comparator, Shelf-life 1 year: 0, 0.2, 0.4, 0.6, 0.8, 1.2, 1.6, 2.0 ppm	C-2702	
High Range Comparator, Shelf-life 1 year: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 ppm	C-2710	
Kit comes in a plastic case and contains everything needed to perforr 30 tests: Refill, Low and High Range Comparators, Neutralizer Soluti		

Kit Components common to Chlorine Dioxide

Description	Cat#
Sample Cup Pack, 25 mL (6 ea)	A-0013
Ampoule Blank Pack (5 ea)	A-0023

¹The accessory pack supplies enough solution to perform at least 200 tests.

Instructions are posted on our website.

If no shelf-life is listed for a product, then the shelf-life is at least 2 years.

