Water Analysis



PF-3 and VISOCOLOR® ECO

The perfect team for drinking water analysis

- Compact photometer of the youngest generation
- Tough and water proof according to IP 68
- Intuitive user guidance
- Determination of Cl₂, pH, F⁻, Fe, ClO₂
- Mobile use at all water intake points





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Water is critical

Drinking water is the most important foodstuff and cannot be replaced. Hence, it has to be wholesome and free of impurities that may adversely affect human health. Continuous water analysis is therefore the fundament for a sustainable and reliable drinking water supply.

The new compact photometer PF-3 allows a quick and easy way of monitoring and checking drinking water parameters for all water suppliers and industrial users at water intake points and during drinking water treatment. Thus, the PF-3 is ideally suited for mobile drinking water analysis. Together with the proven *VISOCOLOR® ECO* tests, the PF-3 covers analysis needs for some of the most important water parameters (chlorine, chlorine dioxide, pH, fluoride and iron).

PF-3 customer benefits at a glance



Small and tough

- · Handy and light weight
- · Glass-fibre reinforced housing
- Water proof according to IP 68
- · Shock-resistant optics

Ideal for all your analysis needs in the lab and right at the point of interest



Easy and convenient

- · Fully developed menu structure using just 4 buttons
- · Optional storage for just one 0-measurement
- · Results in different units
- · Open cuvette slot

Safe results and convenient operation



Smart and clever

- · Runs on standard or rechargeable batteries
- Free of charge data export software
- · Add new tests and parameters anytime
- Power supply and data transfer via USB port

Flexible use and easy data administration

Technical data compact photometer PF-3

Type: LED photometer with 3 interference filters

Wavelengths: Version A: 450 nm, 530 nm, 590 nm

Wavelength accuracy: ± 2 nm, bandwidth at half transmission 10–12 nm

Measuring modes: Pre-programmed MN-tests

Cuvette holder: Tubes 16 mm OD

Memory: 50 results

Display: Backlit graphic display, result with unit

Operation: Self-explanatory menu guidance, plastic foil keypad, test selection via parameter lists

Power supply: 3 AA batteries, rechargeable batteries, USB interface; optional internal accu-pack

Housing: Water proof, IP 68 certified

Dimensions: 170 x 95 x 68 mm

This device complies with the following directives: 2006/95/EG - Low-Voltage Directive; 2004/108/EG - EMC Directive



VISOCOLOR® customer benefits at a glance



Reliable and accurate

- · Highly accurate measurements due to photometric determination with PF-3
- · Simple chemical-analytical methods
- Reaction principles based on internationally acknowledged regulations (DIN, EN, ISO)
- · Low susceptibility to interferences assures reliable results

High measurement safety for reliable water analysis



Comfortable and fast

- · Intuitive instructions with pictograms
- Colour-coded reagent bottles with clear dosing instructions
- · Fast-dissolving reagents save time
- · Maximum safety for the user and easy disposal

Convenient handling for quick analysis without the need for time consuming training



Fair and economical

- · Individual combination of reagent bundles
- · Cost efficient refill packs available
- · Competent customer service by highly educated and experienced professionals
- · Fast replacement availability in case of repairs

Consistently fair concept with impressive price-performance ratio

VISOCOLOR® ECO tests running on the PF-3

VISOCOLOR® ECO Test	Measurement range	Test number	Version	No. of tests	REF
Chlorine 2, free and total*	0.05-2.00 mg/L Cl ₂	5-15	Α	150	931 215
Free Chlorine 2*	0.05-2.00 mg/L Cl ₂	5-16	Α	150	931 216
Chlorine 6, free and total*	0.05-6.00 mg/L Cl ₂	5-17	Α	200	931 217
Free Chlorine 6*	0.05-6.00 mg/L Cl ₂	5-19	Α	400	931 219
Chlorine dioxide	0.10-3.80 mg/L CIO ₂	5-21	Α	150	931 221
Fluoride	0.1–2.0 mg/L F ⁻	5-27	Α	150	931 227
Iron 2	0.04-2.00 mg/L Fe	5-26	Α	100	931 226
pH 6,0-8,2	pH 6.10-8.40	5-70	Α	150	931 270

^{*} This product contains harmful substances which must be specially labelled as hazardous. For detailed information please see MSDS.

Additional tests and versions will be launched successively.



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VISOCOLOR® reagent cases

To provide maximum flexibility MACHEREY-NAGEL offers flexible case solutions for multiple applications. These mini-labs in rugged cases with premium foam inlays (available with or without photometer) can be equipped in an individual and highly flexible way with different test kits. Catering to our customer needs we offer a high range of pre-packed reagent cases including the PF-3, test kits and analytical accessories.



Ordering information reagent case with photometer PF-3

Chlorine tests with liquid reagents*

Reagent case	VISOCOLOR® ECO Tests	REF
PF-3 Cl ₂	Chlorine 2, free and total	934 110
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH	Chlorine 2, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2	934 112
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH · F ⁻	Chlorine 2, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, fluoride	934 120
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH · Fe	Chlorine 2, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, iron	934 122
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH · F ⁻ · Fe · ClO ₂	Chlorine 2, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, fluoride, iron, chlorine dioxide	934 124

Chlorine tests with solid reagents*

Reagent case	VISOCOLOR® ECO Tests	REF
PF-3 CI ₂	Chlorine 6, free and total	934 111
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH	Chlorine 6, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2	934 113
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH · F ⁻	Chlorine 6, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, fluoride	934 121
PF-3 Cl ₂ · pH · Fe	Chlorine 6, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, iron	934 123
$PF\text{-3}\;Cl_{_2}\cdotpH\cdotF^{\scriptscriptstyle{-}}\cdotFe\cdotClO_{_2}$	Chlorine 6, free and total; pH 6,0–8,2, fluoride, iron, chlorine dioxide	934 125

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