

# Hardness Colorimetric Analyzer

Compact online analyzer for measurement of hardness in water

#### **APPLICATION FIELDS**

- Power plants
- Cooling water
- Water steam cycle
- Boiler feedwater
- Reversed osmosis
- Ion exchangers
- Ultrapure water
- Drinking water

## **ADVANTAGES / FEATURES**

#### • Different compartments

To ensure complete separation between the electronics (upper case) and the wet part (lower case).

#### • Low reagents consumption

Minimum operating cost by small reagent consumption, only 2 L for the 16 mm cell, 2.6 L for the 26 mm cell of each reagent every 30 days with 15 minutes analysis frequency.

### • Automatic calibration / validation / cleaning

Validation, cleaning and calibration are standard features which significantly reduce downtime and operator intervention ensuring the most accurate results are obtained. Free selectable validation, cleaning and calibration intervals.

## • Wide measuring range

The determination ranges of the Analyzer vary from None to a maximum range of None using internal dilution module.

## • Factory tested, ready for installation and operation

Just connect the power, sample, and reagent lines and the analyzer is fully operational.

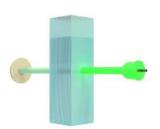


#### • Large color touchscreen

The colorimeter is equipped with a graphic touchscreen interface showing measured values and status information. Easy access to menus and functions. Integrated datalogger with USB download.

#### • Measurement principle

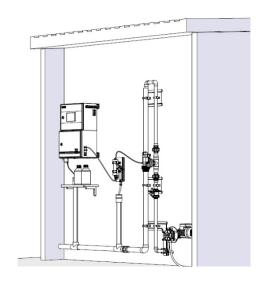
The photometric determination is based on the reaction of calcium ions with an <i>o</i>-cresolphthalein complexone solution, which yields a violet colored complex. The intensity of the color is proportional to the calcium concentration in the sample. The absorbance of the complex is measured at 572 nm.



## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Measured parameter	hardness
Measuring principle	Differential colorimetric absorbance.
Measuring range	3 ppm (Ø 16 mm)
Reproducibility	± 5 ppb / ± 5% (Ø 26 mm) ± 10 ppb / ± 5% (Ø 16 mm)
Analysis Frequency	Freely programmable, batch near-continuous analysis.
Cycle time	7 minutes, including conditioning before analysis cycle and rinsing after measuring.
Termoregulation	Not necessary.
Sample	Pressure-free vessel Temperature: 5 - 50 °C (41 - 122 °F) Flow Rate: 80 to 500 mL/min Connection: 6 mm (¼-in.)
Drain	Pressure-free, atmospheric drain Connection: 12 mm (½-in.)
N° of streams	1, 2 with integrated switching valve
Dimensions (H x W x D)	604 x 380 x 242 mm (23.6 x 14.8 x 9.4 in)
Weight	Approx. 20 Kg (44 lbs)
Power Supply	Voltage: 100 - 240 VAC 50/60 Hz standard or 24 VDC (option) Power consumption: max. 80 VA
Outputs	2 x 4-20 mA outputs for measured data Modbus RTU RS485
Alarms	2 SPDT programmable potential free relays
Digital Input	Remote start/stop, start extra cycle, skip idle time, emergency stop
Working Temperature	5 - 45 °C (41 - 113 °F)
Humidity	10 to 90% RH (indoor use only)
Installation	Wall mount (standard), bench top support or panel mount (options).
Protection Grade	IP54

#### **INSTALLATION EXAMPLE**



The analyzer is easily installed in a minimum amount of wall space.

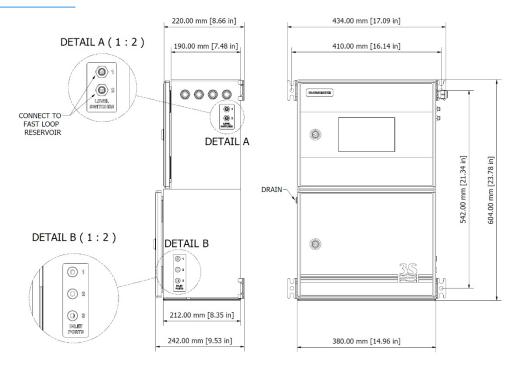
In the picture are included the optional accessories:

- a) A46ERLS000 Fast Loop external reservoir with level switch
- b) A46SF10020 Filtration unit 100 micron 230 VAC (other mesh size and input voltages available)
- c) A46SPP0000 Sampling Pump

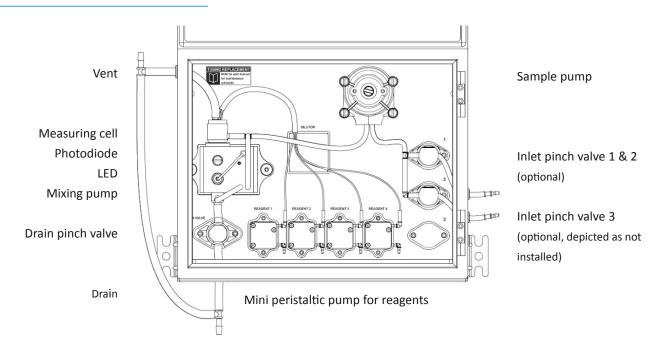
Other accessories, including external dilutors to increase the analyzer range and different kind of sample reservoirs are also available. See our website for more info.



#### **TECHNICAL DRAWING**



## **HYDRAULIC COMPARTMENT VIEW**



## **PRODUCT CODES**

CL3-2-572-0-16-HA	Colorimeter, one inlet port, 16 mm cell
CL3-2-572-2-16-HA	Colorimeter, two inlet ports, 16 mm cell
CL3-2-572-3-16-HA	Colorimeter, three inlet ports, 16 mm cell
CL3-2-572-0-26-HA	Colorimeter, one inlet port, 26 mm cell
CL3-2-572-2-26-HA	Colorimeter, two inlet ports, 26 mm cell
CL3-2-572-3-26-HA	Colorimeter, three inlet ports, 26 mm cell