

Hazen 50 M203

10 - 500 mg/L Pt (APHA) Platinum Cobalt Standard Method

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
SpectroDirect, XD 7000, XD 7500	□ 50 mm	455 nm	10 - 500 mg/L Pt

Material

Required material (partly optional):

Reagents	Packaging Unit	Part Number

no reagent required

Application List

- · Waste Water Treatment
- · Drinking Water Treatment
- · Raw Water Treatment

Preparation

1. Sample collection, preservation and storage:

Pour the water sample into clean glass or plastic containers and analyse as soon as possible after the sample is taken. If this is not possible, fill the container right up to the top and seal tightly. Do not stir the sample and avoid lengthy contact with the air. The sample may be stored in a dark place at a temperature of 4 °C for 24 hours. Before carrying out any measurements, the water sample should be brought up to room temperature.



Notes

- This colour scale was originally developed by A. Hazen as a visual comparison scale. It is therefore necessary to ascertain whether the extinction maximum of the water sample is in the range between 420 and 470 nm, as this method is only suitable for water samples with yellowish to yellowish-brown colouration. Where applicable, a decision should be made based on visual inspection of the water sample.
- This method is calibrated on the basis of the standards specified by "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater" (also see EN ISO 7887:1994). Pt-Co colour unit ^= 1 mg/L of platinum as chloroplatinate ion
- 3. Colour may be expressed as "true" or "apparent" colour. The apparent colour is defined as the colour of a solution due to dissolved substances and suspended particles in the sample. This manual describes the determination of true colour by filtration of the water sample. To determine the apparent colour, non-filtrated deionised water and sample are measured.
- 4. The estimated detection limit is 10 mg/L Pt.



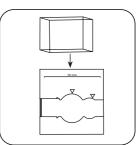
Determination of Colour, true and apparent

Select the method on the device.

For this method, a ZERO measurement does not have to be carried out every time on the following devices: XD 7000, XD 7500



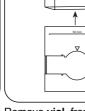
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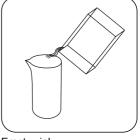


Filter approx. 50 mL sample Fill 50 mm vial with with a pre-rinsed filter (pore deionised water. size 0.45 µm).

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







Press the ZERO button.

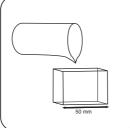
Remove vial from the sample chamber.

Empty vial.

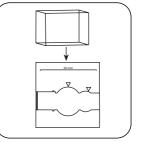
For devices that require no ZERO measurement, start here.



Pre-rinse vial with water sample.



Fill 50 mm vial with prepared sample.



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



Test

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

The result in Pt-Co units appears on the display.



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Appendix

Calibration function for 3rd-party photometers

Conc. = $a + b \cdot Abs + c \cdot Abs^2 + d \cdot Abs^3 + e \cdot Abs^4 + f \cdot Abs^5$

	□ 50 mm
а	-3.54386 • 10 ⁺⁰
b	7.57544 • 10 ⁺²
С	
d	
е	
f	

According to

DIN 7887-C1 (WL 430, 455 nm; Standard: 410 nm)