Test 0-37 06.17 NANOCOLOR® Iron 3



Method:

Photometric determination with diphenylpyridyl triazine

Range:	Tube test 0.10-3.00 mg/L Fe	50 mm semi-micro cuvette 0.02–1.00 mg/L Fe
Wavelength (HW = 5–12 nm):	540 nm	0.02 1.00 mg/LTC
Reaction time: Reaction temperature:	5 min (300 s) 20–25 °C	

Contents of reagent set:

20 test tubes Iron 3

1 tube NANOFIX Iron 3 R2

Hazard warning:

Test tubes contain acetic acid 25-50 %.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

P260sh, P280sh, P303+361+353, P305+351+338, P310 Do not breathe dust/vapors. Wear protective gloves/eye protection. IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. For further information ask for a safety data sheet.

Preliminary tests:

If the order of magnitude of the concentration in a sample is not known, a preliminary test with QUANTOFIX® Total iron 100 (2–100 mg/L Fe, REF 91344) rapidly gives this information. From the order of magnitude the required dilution can be calculated and prepared directly.

Interferences:

Complex iron compounds are not determined by this test. Please refer to NANOCOLOR® NanOx Metal (REF 918978) for sample pretreatment. Oxidizing reagents interfere with the determination.

The following quantities of ions will not interfere: \leq 1 mg/L Co, Cu; \leq 10 mg/L Cr, Mn, Ni, Zn.

The method can be applied also for the analysis of sea water.

Procedure:

Requisite accessories: piston pipette with tips

Open test tube, add

4.0 mL test sample (the pH value of the sample must be between pH 2 and 12) and

1 NANOFIX R2. close and mix.

(Close NANOFIX tube immediately after use.)

Clean outside of test tube and measure after 5 min.

Lower iron concentrations (0.02–1.00 mg/L Fe) can be determined by using 50 mm semi-micro cuvettes (REF 91950):

Test sample	Blank value
Open test tube, add	Open test tube, add
4.0 mL test sample (the pH value of the sample	4.0 mL distilled water and
must be between pH 2 and 12) and	
1 NANOFIX R2, close and mix.	1 NANOFIX R2, close and mix.
(Close NANOFIX tube immediately after use.)	(Close NANOFIX tube immediately after use.)

Pour the contents of test tubes into 50 mm semi-micro cuvettes and measure after 5 min [method 1371].

Measurement:

For MACHEREY-NAGEL photometers see manual, test 0-37.

Note:

Only dissolved iron and easily soluble iron compounds can be determined with the procedure described above. We recommend the following methods to distinguish between total iron and dissolved iron:

- a) determination of the dissolved iron after filtration through a 0.45 µm membrane filter (REF 91650)
- b) determination of total iron after decomposition with NANOCOLOR® NanOx Metal (REF 918978) or with Crack Set (REF 91808)

Photometers of other manufacturers:

For other photometers check whether measurement of round glass tubes is possible. Verify factor for each type of instrument by measuring standard solutions.

Analytical quality control:

NANOCONTROL Multistandard Metals 1 (REF 925015)