



## QUAT KIT

DROP COUNT, 1 DROP = 2, 5, 10 ppm

CODE 7057-01

QUANTITY	CONTENTS	CODE
15 mL	*Phenolphthalein Indicator, 0.5%	*2258-E
15 mL	*Sulfuric Acid, 0.5 N	*6090-E
60 mL	Quat Titrating Solution	3996-H
30 mL	Toluidine Blue O Indicator	3995-G
60 mL	*EDTA Solution	*7117-H
1	Test Tube, 5-10-15-20-25 mL, plastic, w/cap	0715
1	Quat/Polyquat Endpoint Color Chart	3613-CC

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### PROCEDURE

1. Rinse test tube (0715) with sample water. Fill with desired sample size selected from the table.

Sample Size	Equivalence [ppm Per Drop]
25 mL	1 drop = 2 ppm
10 mL	1 drop = 5 ppm
5 mL	1 drop = 10 ppm

2. Add 5 drops \*EDTA Solution (7117). Swirl to mix.

NOTE: If the hardness of the sample is greater than 500 ppm, add 5 more drops of EDTA Solution.

3. Add 2 drops of \*Phenolphthalein Indicator, 0.5% (2258). Swirl to mix. If colorless, proceed to Step 4. If pink, add \*Sulfuric Acid, 0.5N (6090) dropwise, until the pink color disappears.

4. Add Toluidine Blue O Indicator (3995) as follows:

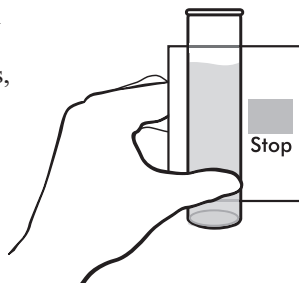
**25 mL sample      add 8 drops**

**10 mL sample      add 3 drops**

**5 mL sample        add 2 drops**

Swirl to mix. Sample should turn light blue.

5. While swirling test tube, add Quat Titrating Solution (3996) one drop at a time, until color changes from blue to purple. Hold bottle vertically. For best results, when the color change is first detected, use the Endpoint Color Chart (3613-CC) as shown to match the color of the solution exactly to the endpoint. Continue adding Quat Titrating solution one drop at a time until color matches endpoint. Count the number of drops added.



6. Calculate result in ppm.

**25 mL sample:** subtract three (3) from number of drops used in Step 5.  
Multiply by 2.

**10 mL sample:** subtract one (1) from number drops used in Step 5.  
Multiply by 5.

**5 mL sample:** subtract one (1) from number drops used in step 5.  
Multiply by 10.

Record as ppm Quat.

NOTE: The quat equivalence is based on n-alkyldimethylbenzyl ammonium chloride, molecular weight 360. If a quat of different molecular weight is tested, multiply the equivalence by:

$$\text{equivalence} \times \frac{\text{molecular weight}}{360}$$

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