

Zinc**Test kit for the determination on zinc ions
in surface water and sewage****Method:**

Determination of zinc with zincon

Measurement range:

0.5–3 mg/L Zn²⁺

Contents of test kit (*refill pack):

sufficient for 120 tests

- 16 mL Zn-1*
- 12 mL Zn-2*
- 27 mL Zn-3*
- 2 screw-plug measuring glasses
- 1 slide comparator
- 1 colour chart
- 1 plastic syringe 1 mL
- 1 instructions for use*

Hazard warning:

Information regarding safety can be found on the box' label and in the safety data sheet. You can download the SDS from www.mn-net.com/SDS.

Procedure:**a) colorimetric determination with color chart**

also refer to the pictogram on the back of the color chart

1. Pour a 1 mL water sample into each of the measuring glasses using the plastic syringe.

Place a measuring glass on position A in the comparator.

Only add the reagent to measuring glass B.

2. Add 2 drops of Zn-1, seal the glass and mix.
3. Add 2 drops of Zn-2, seal the glass and mix.
4. Add 5 drops of Zn-3, seal the glass and mix.
5. Open the glass after 1 min and place it on position B in the comparator.
6. Slide the comparator until the colours match in the inspection hole on top. Check the measurement reading in the recess on the comparator reed. Mid-values can be estimated.
7. After use, rinse out both measuring glasses thoroughly and seal them.

b) photometric determination with photometer PF-12/PF-12^{Plus}

Requisite accessories: reaction tubes 16 mm OD (REF 91680)

Reaction time: 1'00 min

Sample	Blank value
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Rinse reaction tube 16 mm OD several times with sample and fill with 5 mL sample.2. Add 5 drops Zn-1, close and mix.3. Add 5 drops Zn-2, close and mix.4. Add 10 drops Zn-3, close and mix.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Fill reaction tube 16 mm OD with 5 mL sample.

After use, rinse out both reaction tubes thoroughly and seal them.

Interferences:

The following ions will not interfere: ≤ 1000 mg/L Cl⁻; ≤ 500 mg/L Ca²⁺, SO₄²⁻; ≤ 200 mg/L Cr(VI), PO₄³⁻; ≤ 100 mg/L Mg²⁺, Mo(VI); ≤ 10 mg/L Al³⁺, Cu²⁺, Ni²⁺; ≤ 5 mg/L Fe³⁺; ≤ 0,5 mg/L Cd²⁺, Pb²⁺, Mn²⁺; ≤ 0,1 mg/L Cr(III).

The method can be applied also for the analysis of sea water after dilution (1+9).

Disposing of the samples:

Information regarding disposal can be found in the safety data sheet. You can download the SDS from www.mn-net.com/SDS.

Storage:

Store the test kit in a cool (< 25 °C) and dry place.