



**HI 96728**

## Nitrate (as Nitrogen) Portable Photometer



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- CAL CHECK™
- User calibration
- Certified calibration and verification standards
- BEPS (Battery Error Prevention System)
- TIMER function
- Auto shut-off
- GLP Features

Nitrates are present in nature as a result of decomposition of organic microorganisms or due to their use as fertilizers. Nitrates reduce to nitrites, which in turn easily combine to form substances dangerous to man.

A maximum level of 45 mg/L (ppm) is established as a worldwide guideline for nitrate concentration in water. In Europe, the maximum consented level of nitrates in potable water is 50.0 mg/L (ppm), while in the USA the EPA has established a guideline for the maximum level of nitrate—nitrogen of 10 mg/L (NO<sub>3</sub>-N), which corresponds to 45.0 mg/L of nitrates.

The HI 96728 meter measures the nitrate content in water and wastewater.

This meter uses an exclusive positive-locking system to ensure that the cuvette is in the same place every time it is placed into the measurement cell.

### Order Information:

**HI 96728** is supplied with sample cuvettes with caps (2), 9V battery and instruction manual.

**HI 96728C** include photometer, sample cuvettes with caps (2 ea.), 9V battery, scissors, cloth for wiping cuvettes, instrument quality certificate, instruction manual and rigid carrying case.

| Specifications | Accessories   | Downloads |
|----------------|---|-----------|
| Range          | 0.0 to 30.0 mg/L  |           |
| Resolution     | 0.1 mg/L  |           |
| Accuracy       | ±0.5 mg/L ±10% of reading@ 25°C   |           |
| Light Source   | Tungsten lamp   |           |
| Light Detector | Silicon photocell with narrow band interference filter @ 525 nm   |           |
| Environment    | 0 to 50°C (32 to 122°F); RH max 95% non-condensing  |           |
| Power Supply   | (1) 9V battery  |           |
| Auto-off       | After 10 minutes of non-use in measurement mode; after 1 hour of non-use in calibration mode; with last reading reminder. |           |
| Dimensions     | 192 x 104 x 69 mm (7.6 x 4.1 x 2.7")  |           |
| Weight         | 360 g (12.7 oz.)  |           |
| Method         | Adaptation of the cadmium reduction method.   |           |