

# 1015 IPT TOTAL HARDNESS

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# **PRODUCTION RANGE**

| Code      | Description                     |
|-----------|---------------------------------|
| 304.00.02 | Water hardness control test kit |

#### FEATURES

| Type of analysis         | volumetric   |
|--------------------------|--|
| Method                   | Titration of alkaline earth metals<br>(especially calcium and magnesium) with EDTA   |
| Sensitivity              | 0.5 French degrees (on 10 ml sample)   |
| Number of determinations | 625 French degrees   |
| Contents of the kit      | <ul> <li>1 bottle 25ml hardness titrant</li> <li>1 bottle 15ml hardness indicator</li> <li>1 20 ml tube</li> <li>instructions</li> </ul> |
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### **OBSERVATIONS**

- Strictly speaking, together with calcium and magnesium, strontium and barium are also titrated, but in normal waters the concentration of the latter is so low that it can be negligible.
- IPT kits are ideal in cases where only a few analyses need to be carried out with moderate precision. For many analyses and high accuracy we recommend HYDROCHECKs, which also offer a lower cost per analysis.

# AVAILABLE SPARE PARTS

| Code No. | Description                                     |
|----------|---|
| 3111     | hardness titrant, pack of 6 25 ml bottles       |
| 3112     | hardness titrant 1 °f, pack of 6 250 ml bottles |
| 3002     | hardness indicator, pack of 6 15ml bottles      |
| 3310     | 20ml tube, pack of 10                           |

#### **INTERFERENCES**

| Copper   | > 2 ppm.  |  |  |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| Aluminium, Lead, Strontium and Zinc  | > 5 ppm.  |  |  |
| Manganese  | > 10 ppm. |  |  |
| Iron   | > 20 ppm. |  |  |
| Water colours such as to prevent the appreciation of indicator colour changes. |           |  |  |
| Low water temperatures slow down the colouring of the indicators.              |           |  |  |
|  |           |  |  |

The recommended temperature for analysis is between 20 and 30  $^\circ\mathrm{C}.$ 

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