FAC

Directions for testing the Free Available Chlorine (FAC)

- 1. **Rinse** the cylinder prior to use.
- 2. **Fill the cylinder with 25 ml of water** from the PoolComm CAT Controller.
- 3. Take the **small blue spoon and add 2 scoops** of the **R-0870 powder** to the water sample.
- 4. After the 2nd scoop, dip the spoon in the sample to make sure it is free of powder.
- Put the spoon upright in the tray (next to the R-0870 powder) with the **bowl at the top.**
- 6. Swirl the water until the powder is dissolved.
- 7. If there is any **FAC** present in the sample, the water will turn **pink**.
- 8. Add R-0871 one drop at a time. After each drop, swirl the sample. Count the number of drops it takes for the sample to turn clear.
- 9. Multiply the total number of drops by .2
- 10. The result is the amount of FAC present in the water sample.
- 11. Enter the total in the chemical test sheet.



Directions for testing the Combined Chlorine (CC)

- 1. Using the same sample you used to test the FAC, add 5 drops of R-0003.
- 2. Swirl to mix the sample.
- 3. If there is any **CC** present in the sample, the water will turn **pink**.
- 4. Add R-0871 one drop at a time. After each drop, swirl the sample. Count the number of drops it takes for the sample to turn clear.
- 5. Multiply the total number of drops by .2
- 6. The result is the amount of cc present in the water sample.
- 7. Enter the total in the chemical test sheet.

Directions for testing the pH

- 1. **Rinse** the pH testing cylinder prior to use.
- 2. **Fill the cylinder with 44ml of water** from the PoolComm CAT Controller.
- 3. Add 5 drops of R-0004.
- 4. **Cover** with the black cap.
- 5. Swirl the water until the sample is mixed.
- 6. Set the test sample on the ledge of the white box.
- 7. Turn on the white light (switch on the left side of box).
- 8. Match the color with the pH color on the tube.
- 9. The result is the pH level of the water sample.
- 10. Enter the result in the chemical test sheet.

Alkalinity

Directions for testing the Total Alkalinity

- 1. Rinse the cylinder prior to use
- 2. **Fill the cylinder with 25ml of water** from the PoolComm CAT Controller.
- 3. Add 2 drops of R-0007.
- 4. Swirl the water until the sample is mixed.
- 5. Add 5 drops of R-0008.
- 6. Swirl the water until the sample is mixed.
- Add R-0009 one drop at a time. When the color turns bright pink (no blue present), STOP. That said, it's always a good idea to add one more drop to make sure the sample doesn't get pinker.
- 8. Multiply the number of R-0009 by 10.
- 9. The result is the amount of Alkalinity present in the water sample.
- 10. Enter the total in the chemical test sheet.

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