

Performance

When used, these tubes are to be connected.

Measuring range	1 to 20 ppm	20 to 100 ppm
Number of pump strokes	5(500 mL)	1 (100 mL)
Correction factor	1	5
Sampling time	10 min	2 min

Detecting limit: 0.25 ppm (5 pump strokes)

Colour change: White → Dark green

Operating conditions : Temperature 0 to 40 °C (32 to 104 °F) correction not used

Relative humidity 0 to 90 % correction not used

Relative standard deviation: 20 % (for 1 to 5 ppm), 15 % (for 5 to 20 ppm)

Tube quantity and number of tests per box: 10 tubes for 5 tests

Shelf life: 36 months

Reaction principle

 $C_6H_6 + I_2O_5 + H_2S_2O_7 \rightarrow I_2$

Possible coexisting substances and their interferences

Substance	Concentration	Interference	Changes colour by itself to
Hexane	≤ 50 ppm	No]
Toluene	≤ 100 ppm	No	No
Xylene	≦ 150 ppm	No	J

Aromatic hydrocarbons other than benzene are trapped in the brown layer in the pretreatment tube. If the pretreatment reagent is entirely consumed (whole brown layer turns to dark brown), a higher reading will be given.

Calibration gas generation

Diffusion tube method