

# **AQUACON RH/RH-S**

## Process analyzers for residual water hardness

The process analyzers AQUACON RH and AQUACON RH-S are suitable for the automatic measurement and control of residual hardness in boiler water and boiler feed water. Measurement principle is a complexometric titration of the water hardness with one combination reagent (RH) or with two reagents (RH-S) which include a buffering solution, the titrant solution and a hardness specific indicator. A photodetection system determines the titration end point (color change from red to blue). The result is displayed on the touchscreen as ppm  $CaCO_3$  or °dH (RH) or as  $\mu$ mol/I alkaline earth ions. Main application for the analyzers is the monitoring and control of de-hardening plants and the supervision of salt-less water.

The analyzers consist of a control unit with touchscreen and an analysis unit with measuring chamber, valve, dosing pump (incl. stepper motor) and all required tube connections. The control unit includes a microprocessor which controls the automatic measurement incl. sampling, rinsing, titration and surveillance of the photodetection system. The analysis results can be used for the monitoring and control of a supervised process.

### Your advantages:

- ⇒ Automatic measurement incl. self test and drift compensation
- ⇒ Low Measurement ranges RH: 0,5–9,0 ppm CaCO<sub>3</sub> or 0,02–0,50 °dH RH-S: 1,0 – 10,0 µmol/l alkaline earth ions
- ⇒ Easy operation via touchscreen
- ⇒ Adjustable limit value and alarm value
- ⇒ Programmable analog output (0/4-20 mA)
- ⇒ External start/stop of an analysis possible
- ⇒ No external calibration required.
- ⇒ Multi range power supply for variable use.
- ⇒ Including two-part polycarbonate wall cabinet
- ⇒ Optional for RH: second dosing pump for buffering solution to prevent interferences



#### **Order informations:**

AQUACON RH
Option second pump for AQUACON RH
Combination reagent RH-B2300 (500 ml)

AQUACON RH-S Titration reagent RH-B1000 (500 ml) Indicator reagent RH-IND (250 ml) Order No. 101 2705 01

Order No. 693 2702 02

Order No. 101 2702 01

Order No. 101 2702 03

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Order No. 125 0011 01



## **Technical Data**

Current output	0/4 - 20 mA, max. load 500 ohm		
Display	240 x 128 dots, touchscreen		
Relay	1 x Alarm, potential-free 230 V/50 Hz, 3A		
	1 x Limit, potential-free 230 V/50 Hz, 3A		
	1 x Analysis state, potential-free 230 V/50 Hz, 3A		
External Switching	potential-free contact, 18 V DC, ca. 4 mA		
Power Supply	110 - 230 V 50/ 60 Hz		
Power Consumption	approx. 16 VA		
Dimensions	640 x 315 x 190 mm (H x W x D)		
Protection	IP 65 (transmitter housing)		
Connections	Plugs with circular connection 1,5 mm <sup>2</sup>		
Temperature	5° to 45°C, at consumption of reagents within 6 months		

Since it is company policy to continuously improve its product range, we reserve the right to make changes in the product design without notification to its users.

## **Specifications**

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Parameter	Residual Hardness		
Description	Microprocessor-controlled analyzers for the determination of		
	residual hardness in water		
Typical Applications	Monitoring and control of water treatment, water blending and		
	potable water plants, supervision of salt-less water		
Analysis Method	Complexiometric titration of the total hardness using a		
	combination reagent (RH) or two single reagents (titration		
	reagent and indicator reagent)		
Туре	AQUACON RH	AQUACON RH-S	
Measuring Range	0,5 – 9,0 ppm	1,0 – 10 µmol/l	
Resolution	0,2 ppm	0,1 µmol/l	
Accuracy	5 % of end value	5 % of end value	
Reproducibility	3 % of end value	3 % of end value	
Zero-point Stability	automatic adjustment	automatic adjustment	
Number of Samples	1	1	
Sample			
Operating Pressure	0,1 - 10 bar		
Temperature	5 - 30 °C		
Sample Volume	25 ml per analysis (excluding rinsing)		
Sample Condition	clear, with particles < 0.5 g/l; < 50 µm		
Chemical Demands	pH 4 - 10, Fe < 3 ppm, Cu < 0,2 ppm, $CO_3^2$ < 10 mmol/l		
	absence of Mn- /Al-salts, HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>1</sup> -/ CO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2</sup> - < 1 mmol/l (only RH-S)		
Drain	pressure free into open drain		
Reagents			
Number	1	2	
Storage Temp.	5 – 20 °C	5 – 20 °C	
Usage/analysis	hardness dependent	hardness dependend	
Reagent volume	500 ml	500 ml / 250 ml	
Suitable for	appr. 2300 analysis at 1,8 ppm	appr. 250 analysis at 5 µmol/l	
Analysis			
Cycle (approx.)	6 - 13 min., incl. rinsing		
Sample interval	1 – 99 min or external start/stop		
Optional	2 <sup>nd</sup> pump (for buffering solution, only RH)		