

EVALUATION OF THE HORIBA pH METER

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A test of the Horiba pH meter was run on working CCA solutions. The results were compared to a conventional laboratory pH meter.

Solution No.	Standard meter	Horiba meter.
1	3.10, 3.11, 3.10	3.10, 3.10, 3.11
2	3.13, 3.12, 3.12	3.12, 3.12, 3.12
3	3.09, 3.10 3.10	3.09, 3.09 3.07
4	2.44 2.45 2.43	2.44, 2.44 2.45
5	2.13, 2.13 2.13	2.13 2.13 2.13
6	1.77 1.77 1.78	1.76 1.77 1.77
7	2.00 2.00 2.00	2.00 2.00 2.00 *
8	1.80 1.81, 1.80	1.80 1.80, 1.81 **
9	2.60 2.60 2.62	2.61, 2.61, 2.59 ***

* Standard solution (pH = 2.00) 25 ml 0.2M KCl + 6.5 ml 0.2 M HCl diluted to 100 ml.

** Standard solution (pH = 1.80) 25 ml 0.2M KCl + 10.2 ml 0.2 M HCl diluted to 100 ml.

*** Standard solution (pH = 2.60) 50 ml 0.1 M KH Phthalate + 35.4 ml 0.1 M HCl diluted to 100 ml.

The Horiba appears to be a convenient accurate instrument for the in plant quality control determination of the pH of CCA treating solutions. It should work equally well on ammoniacal solutions.

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