MiniVisc 3000 Series
PORTABLE KINEMATIC VISCOMETERS
Solvent-free, simple to use, fast and accurate results

Applications include:
- Machine Condition Monitoring – Increase availability of critical equipment by monitoring viscosity changes due to oil degradation and contamination. Avoid inadequate lubrication which causes adhesive wear in machinery and is a principal cause of equipment downtime.
- Quality Control for Fuel/Oil Production and Blending
- Incoming Inspection Quality Control

High accuracy 40C kinematic viscosity measurements for new and in-service oils
Lab-quality results when and where you need them
- Accuracy +/- 3% Relative Standard Deviation to NIST viscosity standards.

Solvent-free operation
- Fewer consumables, lower disposal costs and less environmental impact.
- Easy cleaning with the patented split-cell design – just wipe off the surfaces with a non-abrasive cleaning pad between samples.

Requires only a few drops of oil to test
- Obtain samples without impacting lubricant level; only a few drops (60 µL) of oil required. A positive displacement pipette is provided for the most precise, repeatable measurements.

Test even dark and sooty samples
- Innovative design allows testing of virtually any sample including dark and sooty or transparent samples without any pre-checks.

Portable, battery-powered design
- Fits easily into a toolbox or carrying bag and capable of operation for over six hours before recharge.

Expanded I/O capability
- Import sample lists and export measurement results via ViscTrack or AMS Oilview software.

ASTM compliance

Principle of Operation
MiniVisc 3000 Series viscometers use a patented split cell design that enables measurement of kinematic viscosity using only a few drops (60 µL) of oil. When closed, the center pieces of the split cell form a funnel with a 100 micron gap allowing oil to flow down by gravity. Sensors along the funnel are triggered when oil flows by and flow time between two sensors is measured. The kinematic viscosity is then calculated. When opened, the split cell can be easily cleaned with a non-abrasive cleaning pad and it is ready for the next sample. The split cell is controlled at 40°C throughout the measurement.

\[ V_{40} = A^* (t_1 - t_0) + B \]
*A and B are calibration coefficients
MiniVisc 3000 Series Product Information

The MiniVisc 3000 includes the base viscometer, battery charger, USB cable, user’s manual DVD and ViscTrack software. The recommended 3050 Standard Accessories Kit SA1021 includes a positive displacement pipette, disposable pipette tips and cleaning pads for 192 samples, and two viscosity standards kits. The recommended 3000 Standard Accessories Kit SA1002 includes disposable 60 µL pipettes and cleaning pads for 100 samples, and two viscosity standards kits.

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**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

**Applications**

Lubricant oils (mineral and synthetic), coolants, glycol, and any Newtonian fluid within the measuring range

**Output**

Kinematic viscosity (cSt) @ 40°C
V100 viscosity calculation from VI index input (3050 only)

**Methodology**

ASTM D 8092

**Standard Analytical Range**

3000: 10-350 cSt @ 40°C
3050: 1-700 cSt @ 40°C

**Accuracy**

3000: ≤ ± 3% of measured value over range 10-350 cSt
3050: ≤ ± 3% of measured value over range 1-350 cSt
≤ ± 5% of measured value for viscosity > 350 cSt

Accuracy specification is with use of user correction function.

**Repeatability**

3000: ≤ ± 3% RSD of measured value, typical
3050: ≤ ± 3% RSD of value, typical, over range 1-350 cSt
≤ ± 5% RSD of measured value for viscosity > 350 cSt

RSD is Relative Standard Deviation.

**Test Temperature Control**

± 0.1°C

**Calibration**

Not required

**OPERATIONAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**Sample Volume**

60 µL

**Solvents/Reagents**

None

**Ambient Operating Temperature**

0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F)

**Relative Humidity**

10% to 80% r.h., non-condensing

**Ambient Altitude**

Up to 5,000 meters (16,404 feet)

**USER INTERFACE SPECIFICATIONS**

**Display**

Fixed angle color touchscreen display

**Data Transfer**

USB for software updates

**Data Entry**

Touchscreen

**POWER REQUIREMENTS**

**Battery Power Source**

Built in rechargeable lithium ion battery

**Power**

AC 110/240 V, 50/60 Hz, 10 Watts

**Typical Runtime**

6-8 hours with full charge

**Recharge Time**

2.5 hrs

**MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**Dimensions**

152 mm (H) x 127 mm (W) x 203 mm (D) (6.0 in x 5.0 in x 8.0 in)

**Weight**

1.8 kg (4.0 lbs)

**Shipping Package Dimensions**

50.8 cm (H) x 40.6 cm (W) x 35.6 cm (L) (20 in x 16 in x 14 in)

**Shipping Package Weight**

4.9 kg (11 lbs)

**COMPLIANCE**

CE Mark: EMC Directive (2004/108/EC); RoHS

**CONSUMABLES**

P-11177 Positive displacement pipette, 10-100 µL
P-11178 Pipette tips for P-11177, package of 192
P-11201 Pipette tips for P-11177, package of 960
PV1011 Disposable non-abrasive cleaning pads, package of 500
P-11052 60 µL disposable pipettes, package of 500
PV1025 Visc 30 standard, 20 ml
PV1026 Visc 120 standard, 20 ml

A recommended solution set includes the FluidScan 1000, MiniVisc 3000 and FerroCheck 2000.