



SP62

Portable Sphere Spectrophotometer

The SP62 is a spherical hand held spectrophotometer, with a special PROJECT mode and wide range of aperture sizes, designed to meet the performance and feature capabilities necessary for diverse color measurement applications.

SP62 Advantages

- **Versatile.** Use for lab, plant or field operation
- **Easy to Read.** Large, graphical LCD display
- **Quick Color Compare.** Permits quick measurement and comparison of two colors without need to create tolerances or store data
- **Special PROJECT Mode.** Multiple color standards can be collected under an identified project as part of corporate color standards programs
- **Pass/Fail Mode.** Up to 1,024 standards with tolerances can be stored for easy pass/fail measurement
- **Wide Range of Aperture Sizes.** To accommodate various measurement areas; available in 4mm, 8mm, and 14mm apertures
- **Inter-Instrument Agreement.** Superior agreement capabilities ensures integrity of multiple-instrument color control
- **Measuring Functions and Indices.** Absolute and difference measurements are obtained for the following colorimetric systems, including: $L^*a^*b^*$, $\Delta L^*\Delta a^*\Delta b^*$, $L^*c^*h^*$, $\Delta L^*\Delta C^*\Delta H^*$, ΔE^*_{ab} , ΔE_{CMC} , ΔE CIE94, XYZ, Whiteness and Yellowness per ASTM E313-98
- **Opacity, Color Strength and Shade Sorting.** Device measures opacity, color strength in chromatic, apparent, and tri-stimulus calculations, and 555 shade sorting for precise color control of products involving plastic, painted, or textile materials
- **Texture and Gloss Influence.** To determine the influence of the specular component, the SP62 allows simultaneous measurement of both specular-included (color) and specular-excluded (appearance)
- **User-Friendly Ergonomics.** A wrist strap and tactile side grips facilitate holding and a flip back target shoe adds flexibility
- **Rechargeable Battery.** Allows for remote use

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Specifications

Measuring Geometrics

d/8°, DRS spectral engine, choice of optical aperture:

- 4mm measurement area/6.5mm target window
- 8mm measurement area/14mm target window
- 14mm measurement area/20mm target window

Light Source

Gas-filled tungsten lamp

Illuminant Types

C, D50, D65, D75, A, F2, F7, F11 & F12

Standard Observers

2° & 10°

Receiver

Blue-enhanced silicon photodiodes

Spectral Range

400 – 700nm

Spectral Interval

10nm – measured
10nm – output

Storage

1,024 standards with tolerances, 2,000 samples

Measurement Range

0 to 200% reflectance

Measuring Time

Approx. 2 seconds

Inter-Instrument Agreement

CIE $L^*a^*b^*$:

Avg. 0.20 ΔE^*_{ab} based on avg. of 12 BCRA Series II tiles (specular component included)
Max. 0.40 ΔE^*_{ab} on any tile (specular component included)
CMC equivalent:

Avg. 0.15 ΔE_{cmc} based on avg. of 12 BCRA Series II tile (specular component included)
Max. 0.30 ΔE_{cmc} on any tile (specular component included)

Short-Term Repeatability¹

.05 ΔE^*_{ab} on white ceramic (Standard deviation)

Lamp Life

Approx. 500,000 measurements

Power Supply

Removable (Ni-metal hydride) battery pack; 7.2 VDC rated @ 1650 mAh

AC Adapter Requirements

90 – 130VAC or 100 – 240VAC, 50 – 60Hz, 15W max

Charge Time

Approx. 4 hours – 100% capacity

Measurements Per Charge

1,000 measurements within 8-hour period

Data Interface

Patented bi-directional RS-232, 300-57,600 baud

Display

128 x 256 pixel graphical LCD

Operating Temperature Range

50° to 104°F (10° to 40°C)
85% relative humidity maximum (non-condensing)

Storage Temperature Range

-4° to 122°F (-20° to 50°C)

Weight

2.4 lbs. (1.1 kg)

Dimensions

4.3"H 3.3"W 7.7"L
(10.9 cm 8.4 cm 19.6 cm)

Accessories Provided

Calibration standards, operation manual, AC adapter, carrying case

Options

Optional remote battery charger and replacement rechargeable battery packs available

¹Based on 20 measurements on a white tile.

* Specifications and design subject to change without notice. X-Rite standards are traceable to National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland, USA.

