

OralChroma™

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Breath-testing device to measure and classify oral gas concentrations into three major causal components of halitosis.



Overview

This testing device measures the chemicals in the breath; classifies the volatile sulfur compounds, a major component of halitosis, into three causal components (hydrogen sulfide, methyl mercaptan, and dimethyl sulfide); and provides a precise reading of each gas concentration. It is useful for identifying the cause of halitosis.

Purpose and effect

- As an indicator to identify the cause of halitosis
- As an auxiliary tool to control oral health

Basic function

- Classifies volatile sulfur compounds into three causal components (hydrogen sulfide, methyl mercaptan, and dimethyl sulfide) and measures each gas concentration.
- Displays concentration values in standard units (ng/10 ml and ppb).
- Ensures precise measurement accuracy using semiconductor gas sensor and simple column.
- Not affected by ambient temperature and humidity.
- Short standby time after power-on (basically within 30 minutes).
- Short measuring time (8 minutes).
- Designed for silent operation.

Operability

- Operation time to collect oral breath sample is shortened by using small-capacity syringe for suction. (This lessens load on test subject.)
- Up to 99 measurement data values can be stored.
- Data can be stored and managed with a PC using specially designed software (option).
- Light and compact.

Maintainability

- Long-life sensor and column (maintenance free for approx. 2 years).
- Automated alarm function notifying when it is time to change the rubber plug for the gas inlet.

Specifications

Product name:	OralChroma	Type:	CHM-1
Detection system:	Simplified gas chromatography	Sample gas quantity:	0.5 cc
Detectable gas:	Following components included in volatile sulfur compounds	Measuring time:	8 minutes
	1) Hydrogen sulfide	Detection unit:	ng/10 ml and ppb
	2) Methyl mercaptan	Gas collection method:	Manual use of syringe
	3) Dimethyl sulfide		

Operating humidity range: Relative humidity of 80% or less (no condensation)

Operating temperature range: 10~30°C

Storage humidity range: Relative humidity of 20 – 90% (no condensation)

Storage temperature range: -20~60°C

Power: AC 100~220V, 50/60 Hz

Power consumption: 40 VA

Outer dimensions (mm): 280 (W) x 130 (H) x 400 (D)

Weight: approx. 5.5 kg

Output terminal: RS232C

PC connection software:

※ Windows 2000/NT4.0(SP5)/XP/Vista/7

※ The OralChroma connects via the serial port (RS-232C) on the PC.

Although it can be connected to a USB port, it requires an additional conversion cable, which must be purchased separately.

※ The OralChroma requires a display resolution of 1024×768 pixels or higher.

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