

# NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor

### **Applications**

- Wastewater
- Drinking Water







# Proven nitrate measurements made more accessible

Improve your experience in nitrate measurement with Hach's new NT3100sc sensor. Backed by a legacy of reagent-free UV absorbance technology expertise, Hach's NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor is equipped to meet your unique application needs. Whether measuring nitrate in municipal sewage treatment plants, surface water, untreated water or treated drinking water, you'll have the choice of 3 different path lengths to fit your measurement ranges and turbidity compensation needs.

### No time for downtime

Make your best process decisions to ensure water quality when you have reliable and real-time data. The Hach® NT3100sc uses internal smart sensors to proactively alert you of potential measurement issues so you have confidence in your process health. We'll help you reduce time spent on troubleshooting, validations, and avoid unplanned equipment downtime.

## **Optimize your process with smart decisions**

The NT3100sc UV nitrate sensor features improved accuracy and low-level detection to help you optimize your plant performance and ensure regulatory compliance now and into the future. Hach's proven wiper technology keeps your system clean and our enhanced one-step, tool-free, wiper replacement reduces user maintenance and improves your experience.

# Hach service and support—there when you need us

For nearly a century, Hach has been a leader in water quality analysis. Backed by a legacy of UV absorbance technology expertise, our Technical Support, Field Service, and Central Service Teams work together to help you maximize instrument uptime, ensure data integrity, maintain operational stability, and reduce compliance risk.

## **Technical Data\***

Model	NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor				
Path Length	1 mm	m 2 mm			
Measuring range <sup>1</sup>	0.1 - 90 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N	0.05 - 50 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N	0.02 - 25 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N		
Lower Limit of Detection (LOD)	0.1 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N	0.05 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N	0.02 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N		
Accuracy <sup>2</sup>	$\pm$ 5% of reading $\pm$ 0.1 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N	$\pm$ 4% of reading $\pm$ 0.1 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N from 0.05 - 22 mg/L,	$\pm$ 3% of reading $\pm$ 0.1 mg/L NO <sub>3</sub> -N from 0.02 - 13 mg/L,		
		$\pm$ 5% of reading $\pm$ 0.1 mg/L NO $_3$ -N from 22 - 50 mg/L	$\pm$ 5% of reading $\pm$ 0.1 mg/L NO $_3$ -N from 13 - 25 mg/L		

<sup>1)</sup> Not expressed for mixed NOx concentration. Measured with  $NO_3$ -N for NT3100sc standard solutions. 2) Measured in lab conditions.

Measuring Principle	UV absorption measurement, reagent-free			
Resolution	0.01 - 999.9			
Sludge Compensation	Yes			
Measuring Interval	15, 30 seconds, 1, 5, 10, 30 minutes			
Response Time	T100: 1 minute			
Cable Length	10 m (33 ft) Extension cables are available: 5, 10, 15, 20, 30 and 50 m. The maximum cable length is 60 m (190 ft).			
IP Rating	IP68			
Pressure Range	Sensor pressure limit: 0.5 bar			
Ambient Temperature	2 - 40 °C (36 - 100 °F), 95% relative humidity, non-condensing			
Sample Temperature	2 - 40 °C (36 - 100 °F)			
Dimensions	70 x 402 mm (3 x 15.8 inches) approximately			
Weight	4.8 kg (10.58 lb) with 10 m cable			
Material	Sensor enclosure: Stainless steel Enclosure seals: Silicone Wiper axle, arm (5 mm) and wiper blade carrier (1 mm and 2 mm): Stainless steel Wiper blade: Silicone Measuring window: Quartz glass Sensor cable: Polyurethane (PUR) Cable gland: Stainless steel Seal cable gland: Silicone HT			
Process Connection	Immersion directly in media Bypass with Flow Through Unit Sedimenter			
Certifications	CE, CMIM, UKCA, FCC, and ISED approved			
Signal Average Time	1 to 12 measurements			
Power Consumption	9 W			
Controller Compatibility	SC200, SC1000, SC4500			

\*Subject to change without notice.

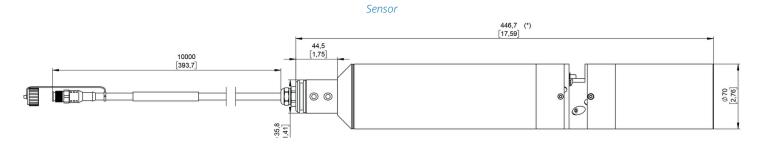


## **Principle of Operation**

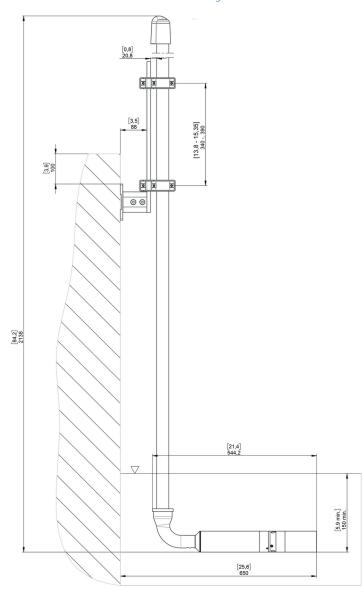
Nitrate dissolved in water absorbs UV light with wavelengths below 250 nm. The nitrate absorption of UV light makes it possible to photometrically determine the nitrate dissolved without reagents. The sensor is put directly in the medium. The color of the medium does not have an effect on the measurement because the measuring principle is based on the analysis of invisible UV light.

### **Dimensions**

[mm]



#### Sensor mounting





# **Applications**

 ${f NT3100sc:}$  General recommendation. Each application needs to be assessed for  ${f NO_X}$  concentrations and turbidity.

Model: NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor						
Path Length	1 mm	2 mm	5 mm			
Wastewater Application						
Influent monitoring	<b>✓</b>	<b>~</b>				
Process monitoring - Nitrification/Denitrification	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>				
Process monitoring - Nitrification/Denitrification with sludge concentration >5000 mg SS/L	~					
Effluent		V	V			
Drinking Water Application						
Raw drinking water		V	V			
Finished water/Distribution			V			

<sup>✓</sup> Suitable application



#### **Order Information**

#### **Sensors**

LXV448.99.11001 NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor, 1 mm path length

NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor, 2 mm path length

NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor, 5 mm path length

NT3100sc UV Nitrate Sensor, 5 mm path length

A Hach SC controller is required to operate the NT3100sc sensor, controller must be purchased separately.

#### **Accessories and Consumables**

**LZY714.99.53220** Mounting hardware system with brackets, 90° adapter, stainless steel

 LZX869
 Flow through unit, 2 mm

 LZX867
 Flow through unit, 5 mm

 LXZ448.99.00002
 Wiper blade, 1 mm, pk/5

 LXZ448.99.00003
 Wiper blade, 2 mm, pk/5

 LXZ448.99.00033
 Wiper blade, 5 mm, pk/5

LCW943Nitrate standard,  $40 \text{ mg/L NO}_3$  (9.04 mg/L NO $_3$ -N), 500 mLLCW825Nitrate standard,  $50 \text{ mg/L NO}_3$  (11.3 mg/L NO $_3$ -N), 500 mLLCW944Nitrate standard,  $75 \text{ mg/L NO}_3$  (16.9 mg/L NO $_3$ -N), 500 mLLCW945Nitrate standard,  $150 \text{ mg/L NO}_3$  (33.9 mg/L NO $_3$ -N), 500 mL

Additional Accessories and Consumables are available. Please contact Hach for more information.



This instrument connects to Claros, Hach's innovative Water Intelligence System. Claros allows you to seamlessly connect and manage instruments, data, and process – anywhere, anytime. The result is greater confidence in your data and improved efficiencies in your operations. To unlock the full potential of Claros, insist on Claros Enabled instruments.



With Hach Service, you have a global partner who understands your needs and cares about delivering timely, high-quality service you can trust. Our Service Team brings unique expertise to help you maximize instrument uptime, ensure data integrity, maintain operational stability, and reduce compliance risk.

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