

FB14 Portable Tube Luminometer

The FB14 represents a unique portable high performance luminometer.

Concept

The FB14 is a very small, portable single tube luminometer that combines excellent performance with ease of use and versatility. Its built-in software is ideal for field measurements. When used in the lab, a powerful PC software can be added for numerous data analysis functions.

Detection System

The sample compartment is situated inside a sliding door, which initiates the measurement sequence upon closing. The proximity of the sample to the light detector and the use of a light reflector surrounding the major part of the vial produce optimal photon collection. The resulting efficiency, combined with the high-speed photon counter, provide a measurement performance which is unique in its class.

User Interface Options

The FB14 can be run from its embedded software, but can also be interfaced with a powerful PC-software package:

The Single Tube Luminometer PC Software is designed for stationary use in the laboratory. In addition to the Quick Measurement function, it offers five additional protocol types: Single Assay, Dual Assay, Single Kinetics, Multiple Kinetics and Cut-off Assay. The operator can define new protocols of all five types. Highly flexible graphical presentation of kinetic data is supported.



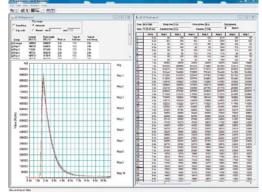
The FB14 can be used for any luminescent glow-type application performed in single tube format, for example:

- Water Testing
- ATP Assays
- · Immunoassays
- DNA/RNA Probe Assays
- · Toxicity Assays
- Biothreat Assays



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Highest sensitivity through efficient light collection.

Single Tube Luminometer Software: Example Kinetic Evaluation

Luminometer

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Sample Format	Tubes up to 12 mm in diameter, length 75 mm		
Detector	State-of-the-art photon counter with a spectral range of 300-600 nm		
Measurement Chamber	Swinging drawer with high efficiency reflector		
Sensitivity	50 attomoles ATP		
Dynamic Range	5.5 decades		
Operating Software	Operation via three soft keys: sets delay and measurement time in 0.1s		
(Microprocessor Controlled)	increments. Measurement modes: SINGLE READ and DUAL ASSAY		
Interface	USB interface for PC connection		
Power Requirements	Rechargeable NiMH batteries;		
	Power supply 100-240 V AC, 7.5 V/min. 1.33 A DC		
Dimensions	H: 14 cm, W: 17 cm, D: 11 cm		
Weight	1.35 kg (approximately 3 lbs)		
Environment	Storage 0-40°C up to 80% humidity (@30°C), non consensing		
	Operation 10–35°C up to 70% humidity		

PC Software

Single Tube Luminometer	Protocol Manager with Quick Measurement, Single and Dual Assay,
Software	Single and Multiple Kinetics and Cut-off Assay
Required Hardware	Microsoft Windows® compatible PC, USB port
Operating System	Windows® XP, Vista, Window® 7
Additional Software	Microsoft Excel™ 2000 or higher (optional)

Accessories

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Luminescence TestTube	LED based, provides constant light output	