

Test the Salinity

Instructions

1. Using the dropper provided, take a small sample of water.
2. Hold the refractometer level, open the lid that covers the meter, and place one or two drops of water on the meter. Then, gently close the lid.
3. Look through the eyepiece. The upper field of the meter is blue, and the lower is white. Look at the salinity scale; **the line where blue meets white measures the salinity**. For example, in the picture below, the salinity is 35.
4. Record the salinity on your data sheet.
5. Gently wipe the surface of the meter clean with, close the lid, and move on to the next sample.

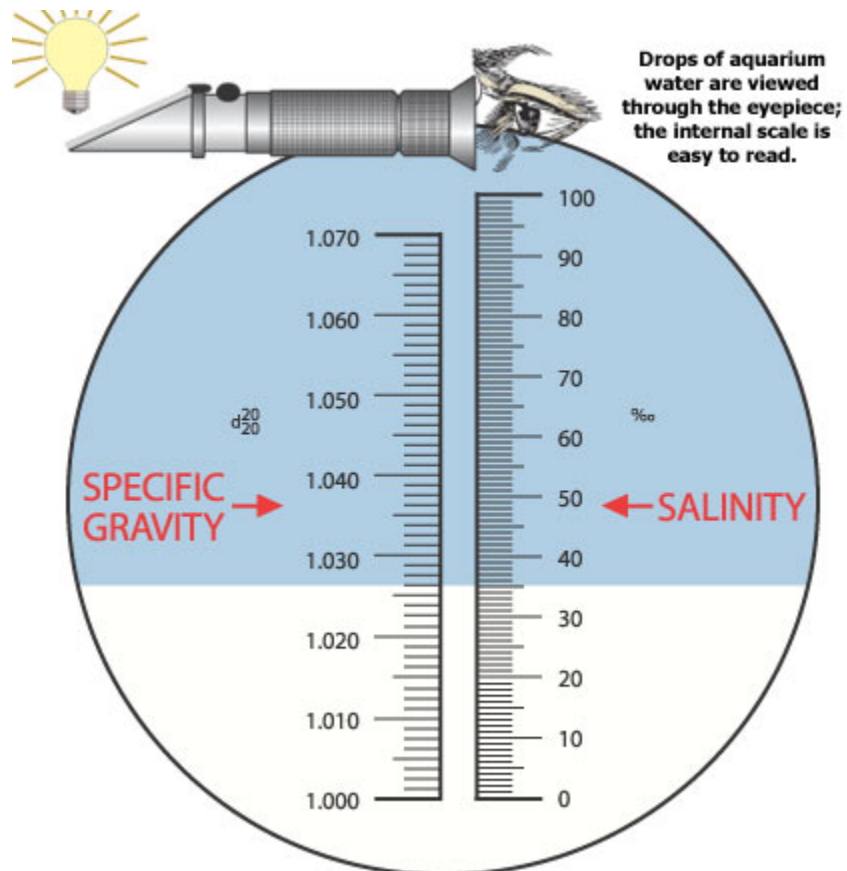


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