

"For Accurate Field Analysis."



<u>HIGH RANGE (%)</u>

SOIL KIT

INSTRUCTIONS & CALIBRATION PHOTOBOOK

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Included in your Soil Test Kit:

- **15 Ampoules Extraction Reagent** 15 Vials of Color Development Reagent 15 Screw Top Test Tubes w/ Scribed Measurement 6 Screw Top Test Tubes 1 Wooden Test Tube Rack 1 Soil Color Calibration Photobook (located behind top foam of Kit) 6 Beakers 1 Electronic Balance 1 Waste Bottle & Box (located behind top foam of Kit) 1 Graduated Cylinder 3 Pairs of Safety Gloves 1 Pair of Safety Glasses 1 MSDS Safety Instruction(located behind top foam of Kit) 1 Soil Kit Instruction 1 Instructional Video 1 Case with Foam Inserts One order of Refills includes:
- 15 Ampoules Extraction Reagent15 Vials of Color Development Reagent15 Screw Top Test Tubes w/ Scribed Measurement1 Waste Bottle
- 3 Pairs of Safety Gloves

A Note about Soil Sampling

Soils are heterogeneous. That is, they are composed of different substances that vary widely in composition, density, and absorptive properties. To simplify matters, we will describe only three soil types: sand, sandy loam, and clay. Typically, you will be using Hanby Soil Kit to rapidly check several samples to determine their contamination level. Here are a few guidelines from users of our kits for over 23 years that can assist you in using the kit to best accomplish your field tasks.

- 1. In general, a looser (less dense) soil, such as sand, or sandy loam, will absorb more liquid (petroleum or water) than compact clay.
- 2. Humic soils are usually very absorbent. These soils are typically dark and loose. Typically you should select these materials in a sample when you are trying to determine "worst case" (highest concentration of TPH) in your sample. Conversely, clays, which are typically light colored, compact and "gummy" show low TPH.
- 3. Visually inspect several samples before you take time to analyze them with the kit.
- 4. Remember that in most cases you want to "screen" a site for the highest level of contaminant present.

Following these guidelines will help insure that your field tested samples will not be "false negatives" in comparison to the follow up samples you send to a lab for confirmations.





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COLORIMETRIC

Field Test Kit for TPH

HIGH RANGE SOIL

KIT INSTRUCTIONS

Six easy steps to Screening TPH's in Soil

Rapid, sensitive, positive detection of petroleum in solid samples



1. Weigh sample into tared beaker



2. Snap ampoule, add solvent



3. Stir. Mix well



4. Pour solvent into test tube.



5. Add catalyst, cap, shake.



6. Compare with standard photo.

Hanby Method publications of the U.S. EPA: "Field Methods: Dependable Data When You Need It", Sept.,
'90 Subsurface Characterization and Monitoring Techniques", May, '93; S.I.T.E. Evaluation Program, Dec
'96; "Expedited Site Assessment Tools for Underground Storage Tank Sites", March '97

Colorado Oil and Gas Commission , Soil Analysis Report Form #24, Rev. 3/03

Hanby Soil Test Kit Instructions

CAUTION: Wear safety glasses and gloves, avoid fumes. Keep work area clean and well ventilated. Safety First!

Introduction

The accurate determination of petroleum substances in soils requires that analysis be performed as rapidly and efficiently as possible. Hanby Kits are designed to meet this important objective. Please familiarize yourself with this Field Test Kit and its procedures. Watch the video instructions, observe all cautions concerning the chemical reagents, and set up your kit on a stable surface, in a open ventilated area.

Soil Procedure

- 1. Place one of the beakers on the balance and turn it on. It automatically zeros.
- 2. Add 5 grams of soil sample to the beaker with your spatula spoon.
- Remove one of the soil extraction ampoules from the foam block, hold it firmly on a flat surface and snap off the top. Avoid the sharp glass edges! Empty the ampoule into the beaker. <u>Avoid solvent fumes!</u>
- 4. Chop the sample with the spatula and stir it in the solvent for one minute. If the soil is a clay it will be necessary to 'smear' the soil under the solvent to insure extraction.
- 5. Remove one of the test tubes from the foam. Carefully pour the solvent from the beaker into the test tube up to the marked line.
- Take one of the Color Development Vials out of the jar, remove the cap, and carefully empty all the white powder into the test tube. <u>Avoid contact with the powder on skin, eyes</u> <u>and water!</u>
- 7. Firmly screw the cap on the test tube and vigorously shake the tube for 15 seconds. Over the next 2 minutes, periodically shake the tube for 5 seconds.
- 8. Compare the color of the solid material in the bottom with the appropriate calibration photograph in your <u>High Range RULE 91 photobook</u>. As soon as you have finished the test, record your results.
- 9. Important! Empty the liquid from the test tube into the waste bottle, DO NOT POUR THE COLORED MATERIAL INTO THE BOTTLE. This remains in the bottom of the test tube. Put the used test tube back in the foam block foam for later disposal according to MSDS instructions. Do not leave solvent in used test tube. CAREFUL! The waste bottle builds up fumes...hold it away from eyes and breathing zone when opening it!

PLEASE DISPOSE OF WASTE PROPERY ACCORDING TO MSDS INSTRUCTIONS.

HANBY CAN NO LONGER ACCEPT WASTE BOTTLES.



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Calibration Photobook HIGH RANGE (%)

RRC ("Rule 91") Photo Standards

These calibration photographs for the Hanby test Kit "High Range" Standards are based on the Texas Rail Road Commission's cleanup regulations pertaining to oil field spills from wells, pipelines, tank cars, etc. Except for the condensate photo (19Z-34B) they are in "weight percent" (grams/hundred grams). The conversion factor for weight percent to parts-per-million is 10,000. For instance, 1.0% = 10,000 PPM.

These calibration standards are for a range of substances including: gasoline, diesel, (4) crude oils, and a condensate in the range of 500PPM (.05%) to 100,000 PPM (10%).



BLK .05 .25 1.0 2.5 5.0 WEST TEXAS CRUDE OIL IN SOIL (%) 5/1/95 "RULE 91" H.E.L.P.,INC.



BLK .05 .25 1.0 2.5 5.0 VALDEZ CRUDE OIL IN SOIL (%) 5/1/95 "RULE 91" H.E.L.P.,INC.







BLK .05 .25 1.0 2.5 5.0 WEIGHT % IN SOIL (G/100 G) MOBIL CRUDE OIL GROUP 4 6-14-95 H.E.L.P., INC.



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2/19/1		BLK	
1	19Z-3	500	
KRW	4B Cond	2000	
HI-R/	J. PPM(5000	
ANGE	mg/Kg	20K	
H.E.L) in Soil	50K	
.P., Inc.		100K	