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# Instructions

## **Instruction Number: 5067B**

DROP TEST HARDNESS - TOTAL

#### **COMPONENTS:**

1 x 5067B	Instruction
1 x 9198B	Sample Tube, Graduated, 25 mL, plastic w/cap
	and blue dot
1 x R-0619B-C	Hardness Buffer (blue cap), 2 oz, DB
1 x R-0620B-I	Hardness Indicator Powder (blue cap), 10 g
$1 \times R - 0683 - C$	Hardness Reagent, 2 oz, DB

TO ORDER REPLACEMENT PARTS AND REAGENTS CALL TOLL-FREE 877-7WATER6 (877-792-8376) or email us with your requirements.

### PROCEDURE:

CAREFULLY READ AND FOLLOW PRECAUTIONS ON REAGENT LABELS. KEEP REAGENTS AWAY FROM CHILDREN.

Hardness-total (Drop Test)

- 1. Rinse and fill 25 mL sample tube (#9198B) to 25 mL mark with water to be tested.
- 2. Add 5 drops R-0619B Hardness Buffer. Swirl to mix.
- 3. Add 1 dipper R-0620B Hardness Indicator Powder. Swirl until dissolved. If hardness is present, sample will turn red.
- Add R-0683 Hardness Reagent dropwise, swirling and counting after each drop, until color changes from red to blue. Always hold bottle in vertical position.
- 5. Multiply drops of R-0683 Hardness Reagent by 10. Record as parts per million (ppm) total hardness as calcium carbonate.

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