Transmission Dip Probes

Dip Probe for Hostile Environments

The TP300-UV-VIS Transmission Dip Probe couples to our spectrometers and light sources to measure the absorbance and transmission of solutions in harsh environments.

Probe Assembly

The TP300-UV-VIS consists of two $300-\mu m$ optical fibers -- one illumination optical fiber and one read optical fiber -- in a 3.175-mm (1/8") outer diameter stainless steel assembly sealed into a PEEK polymer sleeve. You have the option of choosing solarization-resistant fibers or VIS-NIR fibers for your assembly.

PEEK Polymer Sleeve

The sleeve is designed for environments with temperatures up to 200 °C. The PEEK material is also radiation-resistant and has low flammability and excellent chemical resistance. The PEEK sleeve (TPSLEEVE) comes with the TP300-UV-VIS. An additional stainless steel sleeve (T300SLEEVE) is available.

Theory of Operation

The TP300 works the same way as the T300-RT and T200-RT probes. Light travels from the light source into the illumination leg of the probe and through a lens near the end of the probe. The light then transmits through the sample compartment to a second-surface mirror. The light reflects and travels back through the sample compartment a second time and is then focused by the lens onto the read fiber and through the read leg of the probe to the spectrometer.

Adjustable-pathlength Tips

There are two adjustable-pathlength tips (2-mm to 10-mm pathlengths or 10-mm to 20-mm pathlengths) available for the TP300-UV-VIS. Additionally, an RT-PH tip for mounting pH films in the optical path can be used for pH-sensing applications.



Specifications			
Fiber type:	TP300-UV-VIS 300 µm UV/SR fiber type (200-1100 nm)	Pathlength:	Adjustable from 2-10 mm or from 10-20 mm
	TP300-VIS-NIR VIS-NIRfiber type (400-2500 nm)		RT-PH - fixed 16-mm pathlength
Outer diameter:	3.175 mm	Outer materials:	PVDF for jacketing, PEEK polymer for sleeve
Length:	107.9 mm for probe, 2 meters for fiber	Temperature limit:	200 °C with PEEK sleeve
Optics:	Fused silica	Pressure limit:	100 psi