

CL17sc (Colorimetric Chlorine Analyzer) vs. CL10sc (Amperometric Chlorine Analyzer)

Cost of Ownership Over 5 Years – Comparison Guide



CL17sc Chlorine Analyzer – Total or Free Chlorine (without SC controller) COLORIMETRIC METHOD

Cost of instrument	\$3,538.00
Cost of reagents/month	\$76.35
Labor time in minutes – change reagents	10
Estimated labor rate/hour	\$40.00
Annual cost of monthly reagents change, including reagents and labor	\$996.20
Price pre-cut tubing kit, enough tubing for one year if tubing is changed every six months	\$151.00
Labor time in minutes – change tubing	5
Annual cost to change tubing semi-annually, including parts and labor	\$308.67
Cell cleaning kit	\$24.95
Minutes to clean cell, once every month	5
Annual cost to clean cell, incl labor and parts	\$25.95
Total annual cost of parts and maintenance	\$1,330.82
Total cost of ownership over 5 years	\$10,192.08
Amortized cost per day over 5 years including all labor, parts and instrument cost	\$5.58

CL 10sc Chlorine Analyzer – Total or Free Chlorine (not including SC controller or optional pH electrode) AMPEROMETRIC METHOD

Cost of instrument	\$5,690.00
Cost of electrolyte	\$125.00
Cost of membrane kit	\$135.00
Estimated labor rate per hour (cell c6)	\$40.00
Number of membrane changes per year	2
Labor time, minutes, per membrane change including electrolyte	20
Annual cost to change membrane and electrolyte	\$421.67
Cost to replace chlorine probe once every 3 years on average	\$2,398.00
Annual cost to change chlorine probe	\$809.33
Labor time to replace chlorine probe, min	15
Labor time per month in minutes – clean, check calibration	10
Labor time to calibrate, min	10
Calibrations per year	12
Annual calibration cost	\$160.00
Total annual cost of parts and maintenance	\$1,391.00
Total cost of ownership over 5 years	\$12,645.00
Amortized cost per day over 5 years including all labor, parts and instrument cost	\$6.93