

Konica Minolta Chlorophyll Meter SPAD-502Plus

Is Now Available



SPAD-502Plus



For over 25 years, Konica Minolta's SPAD series has served agricultural researchers and industry as a tool for plant growth monitoring and fertilizer management all over the world. Konica Minolta have released the brand new SPAD-502Plus which maintains data compatibility with the SPAD-502 while adding advanced features like a trend graph in an even lighter body.

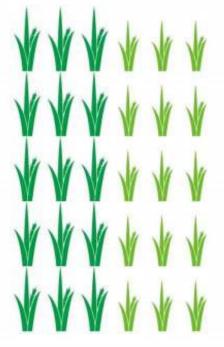
With SPAD-502Plus:

Nutrition status monitoring becomes possible at each stage of plant growth.



Appropriate fertilization is important at the proper stages of plant growth.

Nutrition status can be monitored by area in the field.



Appropriate fertilization is crucial not only to the volume of the harvest but also to the quality of it.

Nitrogen management - Helps plant growers as well as being kind to nature.



By pursuing efficiency through the use of SPAD-502Plus, plant growers can aim for reductions in fertilization costs.

Some experiments show that SPAD-502 series has contributed to reductions in use of nitrogen fertilizer at 10's of percents with no loss in yield.

Use of SPAD-502Plus also brings environmental benefits.

There are limits on how much nitrogen can be absorbed by plants in a given time. Anything over this amount is wasted in the soil. This wasted nitrogen may then contaminate flowing streams and underground water.

SPAD-502 series can be used to manage the amount of nitrogen fertilizer and avoid excesses.

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Measurement is very simple and quick.

- 1. Switch power on
- 2. Close head on a leaf.
- 3. SPAD-502Plus beeps when measurement is completed*.

* Measurement normally takes less than 2s after head is closed.











Data can be shown in trend graph

Changes in measurement values over the course of time can be seen and irregular data can be noticed at a glance.



Compact, lightweight body

Compact body can fit in a pocket, making it easy to take out to the field. Weighs only 200g (excluding batteries).

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Water-resistant body

The SPAD-502Plus is water-resistant (IPX-4 grade*), so it can be used outside even in the rain.

*It is not immersible.

Economic, energy-efficient design By using an LED as the light source, low battery consumption has been achieved. More than 20,000 measurements can be taken with one set of 2 AA-size alkaline batteries.

Various caution features

Various caution messages, battery indicator, and beep sound are provided to assist with proper operation.



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The SPAD-502 series have been used in various plant measurement applications all over the world.



Rice



Cotton



And various other kinds of plants



Wheat



Corn



For more information go to:

https://sensing.konicaminolta.asia/product/chlorophyll-meter-spad-502plus/