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3. Insert pH range bar into the right side of the viewing chamber. Chose from the two available by the color you are seeing in the tube.
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5. Compare color of sample to color on the bar, and match to the appropriate color to determine the pH of the sample. Record the pH on datasheet.
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4. Turn the meter ON. Stir and wait for the reading to stop on one number. This is the pH for the water sample. The meter should only be ON when submerged in a liquid. Rinse electrode between calibration and each sample with distilled water.
5. Take a reading from both Sample A and Sample B. When finished, make sure the meter is turned off. Rinse the electrode on the bottom with distilled water and replace the cap. Meter is best stored with a wet electrode.

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