

AQL-CHEM

PH & ORP Probe Installation Instructions

IMPORTANT

Do not allow probe tips to dry out. In one hour of dry air, probes will be permanently damaged.

Do not over-tighten probes in probe cell.

Too much stress on the plastic can eventually cause cracking and leaks.

1. Checklist:

- a. Ensure probe cell is plumbed into the suction and return lines properly – the return line enters the left valve, the suction line enters the right valve.
- b. Ensure pump and filter are operational and system is ready to circulate.
- c. Have Teflon tape available
- d. Pliers or adjustable wrench may be required to remove probe storage caps.
- 2. To hydrate the probe cell, pour a glass of water into the probe ports. This fills the cell and makes it safe to install the probes.
- 3. **Unpack probe and remove probe storage cap by hand.** If a tool is required, only grip the cap, not the probe body.
- 4. Save probe storage caps for future off-season storage of probes.
- 5. Clean off any existing Teflon tape and Wrap 2 turns of new Teflon tape on the probe threads.
- 6. **Gently hand-tighten probes in probe cell.** Do not grip the probes with a tool. Do not over-tighten or the probe cell may crack over time!
- 7. **Open inlet and outlet valves, operate filter pump and verify water movement in cell.** If probe leaks, do not tighten more—instead remove and re-apply new Teflon tape.

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