

Sensitivity & Material Selection

Liquid or Material	Sensitivity-Conductivity		Probe Material	
	Ohms/cm	Micro-Mhos/cm	Good ¹	Better ²
Acids ³	Consult Factory		Consult Factory	
Aluminum Hydroxide	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Aluminum Sulfate	2.2K	250	316 Stainless Steel	Hastelloy C
Ammonia	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	N.A.
Ammonium Chloride	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Ammonium Hydroxide	10K	100	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Ammonium Nitrate	18K	50	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Ammonium Sulfate	10K	100	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Baby Foods	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Barium Chloride	1K	1K	Carpenter 20	N.A.
Barium Nitrate	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	N.A.
Beer	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Black Liquor	1K	1K	Consult Factory	
Borax – Aqueous	10K	100	Brass	316 Stainless Steel
Bourbon	200K	5	N.A.	316 Stainless Steel
Brine	1K	1K	N.A.	Hastelloy C
Buttermilk	1K	1K	N.A.	316 Stainless Steel
Cadmium Chloride	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	N.A.
Cadmium Nitrate	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	N.A.
Cake Batter	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Calcium Chloride	1K	1K	Carpenter 20	Hastelloy C
Calcium Hydroxide	10K	100	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Catsup	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Caustic Soda	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Hastelloy B
Cement Slurry	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Coffee	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Corn Syrup	45K	21	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Corn – Cream Style	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Ferric Chloride	10K	100	N.A.	Titanium
Ferrous Sulfate	10K	100	Carpenter 20	Titanium
Ink (Water Base)	2.2K	450	N.A.	316 Stainless Steel
Jams/Jellies	45K	21	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Juices – Fruit/Vegetable	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Lithium Chloride	1K	1K	N.A.	Carpenter 20
Magnesium Chloride	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Carpenter 20
Magnesium Hydroxide	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	N.A.
Mayonnaise	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Mercuric Chloride	90K	11	N.A.	Titanium
Milk	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Molasses	10K	100	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Mustard	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Oil – Soluble	10K	100	N.A.	316 Stainless Steel
Paper Stock	5K	200	Titanium	N.A.
Photographic Solutions	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Hastelloy C
Plating Solutions	2.2K	450	N.A.	316 Stainless Steel
Potassium Chloride	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium
Salts – Chemical	2.2K	450	Monel	N.A.
Sewage	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Silver Nitrate	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Carpenter 20
Soap Foam	18K	50	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Sodium Carbonate	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	Monel
Sodium Hydroxide	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	Hastelloy B
Soups	1K	1K	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Starch Solutions	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Vinegar – Aqueous	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	Carpenter 20
Water – Carbonated	3K	330	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Water – Condensate	18K	50	Brass	316 Stainless Steel
Water – Chlorinated	5K	200	316 Stainless Steel	Monel
Water – Distilled	450K	2	Brass	316 Stainless Steel
Water – Deionized	2.0M	0.5	Brass	316 Stainless Steel
Water – Hard/Natural	5K	200	Brass	316 Stainless Steel
Water – Salt	2.2K	450	Monel	N.A.
Water – R.O.	18M	0.056	N.A.	N.A.
Wine	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	316 Stainless Steel
Zinc Chloride	1K	1K	Carpenter 20	Titanium
Zinc Sulfate	2.2K	450	316 Stainless Steel	Titanium

Notes:

1. Less than .020" erosion per year.
 2. Less than .002" erosion per year.
 3. Liquid concentration and temperature will affect conductivity and material erosion rate. Contact factory for detailed information.
- N.A. – No material available with this erosion rate.