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AGILENT CARY 60
UV-VIS SPECTROPHOTOMETER

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Agilent Technologies is your premier resource and partner for molecular spectroscopy. With the addition of the world-renowned Cary product line, encompassing FTIR, UV-Vis-NIR and Fluorescence, Agilent offers you a comprehensive range of molecular spectroscopy solutions.

Answers you can trust

The Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis spectrophotometer is efficient, accurate and flexible, and is designed to meet your immediate and future challenges. With remote sampling options, proven performance and low cost of ownership, you can be sure that the Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis will give you answers you can trust.

- Lowest cost of ownership — with an exceptionally long lifetime of 3 billion flashes, the lamp typically lasts 10 years, minimizing lamp replacement and instrument revalidation costs.
- No need for cuvettes — the optional fiber optic probe delivers more accurate results in a fraction of the time, and with no cuvette or sipper, sample measurements are less prone to error.

- Measure precious samples with ease — the highly focused beam image of the Agilent Cary 60 is perfect for measuring small volumes accurately and reproducibly. Preserve your samples by using < 4 μ L instead of mLs.
- Exceptionally fast data collection — with a scan rate of up to 24,000 nm/min, you can scan the entire wavelength range (190–1100 nm) in under 3 seconds.






Molecular Spectroscopy Innovations

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| 1947 First commercial recording UV-Vis, the Cary 11 UV-Vis | 1954 Release of the Cary 14 UV-Vis-NIR | 1969 First rapid-scanning fourier transform infrared spectrometer, the FTS-14 | 1977 Release of the Cary 219 UV-Vis | 1979 First commercial diode-array spectrophotometer, the 8450A | 1989 Release of the acclaimed Cary 1 and 3 UV-Vis | 1995 Launch of the 8453A, the first small-footprint, full-featured diode-array |
| 1997 Cary 50 Series released to coincide with 50th anniversary of Cary 11 | 1999 Launch of the Cary Eclipse Fluorescence Series | 2000 First ATR chemical imaging system | 2002 Cary 4000/5000/6000i research grade UV-Vis-NIR series released | 2008 Launch of the 600 Series FTIR spectrometers, microscopes and imaging systems | 2011 Agilent offers out-of-lab FTIR solutions | 2011 Release of the Cary 60 UV-Vis |

FOR YOUR APPLICATION

Agilent is committed to providing solutions for your application. We have the technology, platforms, and expert guidance you need to be successful.

| |  ACADEMIA |  BIOTECH & PHARMA |  CHEMICALS |
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| Common applications for the Agilent Cary 60 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Characterization of unknown or newly synthesized compounds Monitoring kinetics of chemical or biological reactions that occur at sub-second rate Measurement of films and optical components Analyzing photochemical reactions in-situ during sample irradiation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DNA and protein quantification Measuring cold biological samples (4 °C) immediately after removal from the refrigerator Preparation of fluorescent liquid samples prior to emission measurements Analyzing small amounts of precious sample (< 4 µL) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Quality control of raw materials and finished goods Color measurements and color matching Analysis of nutrients in water, food and agriculture Analysis of turbid solutions or relatively highly absorbing samples Analysis of bulk optics (e.g., sunglasses) Study of pigments in art conservation through reflectance measurements |
| Common accessories for the Agilent Cary 60 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiber optic transmission and reflectance probes and coupler Thermostatted single and multicell holders with temperature probes Solid sample holder Rectangular, cylindrical, micro and flow cells | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiber optic microprobe (liquids) Thermostatted single and multicell holders with temperature probes Micro-volume cuvettes Rapid mix accessory | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiber optic transmission and reflectance probes and coupler Thermostatted single and multicell holders with temperature probes 18 position cell holder Rectangular, cylindrical, micro and flow cells |

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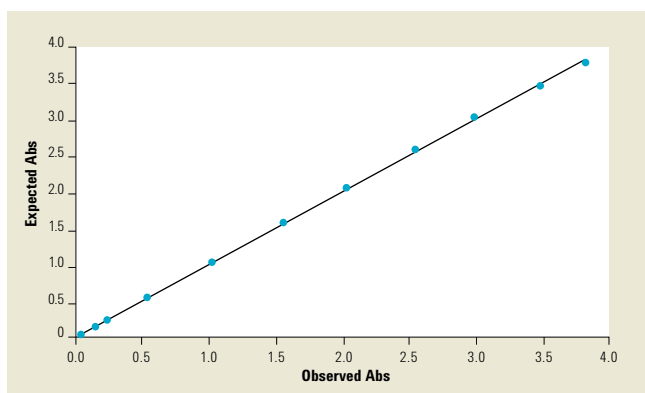
QUALITY AND PERFORMANCE BY DESIGN

Our proven record of optical design excellence and innovation ensures you get the right answer every time.

The power of Xenon

The Agilent Cary 60 leverages the leadership and proven performance of its predecessor the Cary 50, the pioneer in UV-Vis xenon flash lamp technology. The Agilent Cary 60 is:

- Room-light immune — the unique optical design enables measurements to be made with the sample compartment open, allowing large or odd-shaped samples to be measured. The highly-focused beam also provides superior coupling to fiber optics, making the Agilent Cary 60 the best choice for UV-Vis fiber optic measurements.
- Robust — the combination of the xenon lamp and superior mechanical design ensures the Agilent Cary 60 is inherently reliable. This significantly reduces the cost of ownership — most Cary 50 instruments purchased over a decade ago are still running with the same lamp today.
- Efficient — the lamp only flashes when a reading is taken, resulting in zero warm-up time and very low electrical energy use and maintenance requirements. Photodegradation is also eliminated, as precious or light-sensitive samples are not excessively exposed to UV light or heat.
- Flexible — with a maximum power requirement of just 38 W, the Agilent Cary 60 can be run from a 12 V mains voltage inverter, making it suitable for mobile laboratories.



Superior accuracy and photometric linear range

Using certified standards (Starna, S/N 14727, set type RM-9ND) and measuring the absorbance at 525 nm using a 1 second signal averaging time, the above demonstrates that the photometric range of the Agilent Cary 60 extends above 3.5 absorbance units with a correlation co-efficient of 0.999.

Excellent noise performance

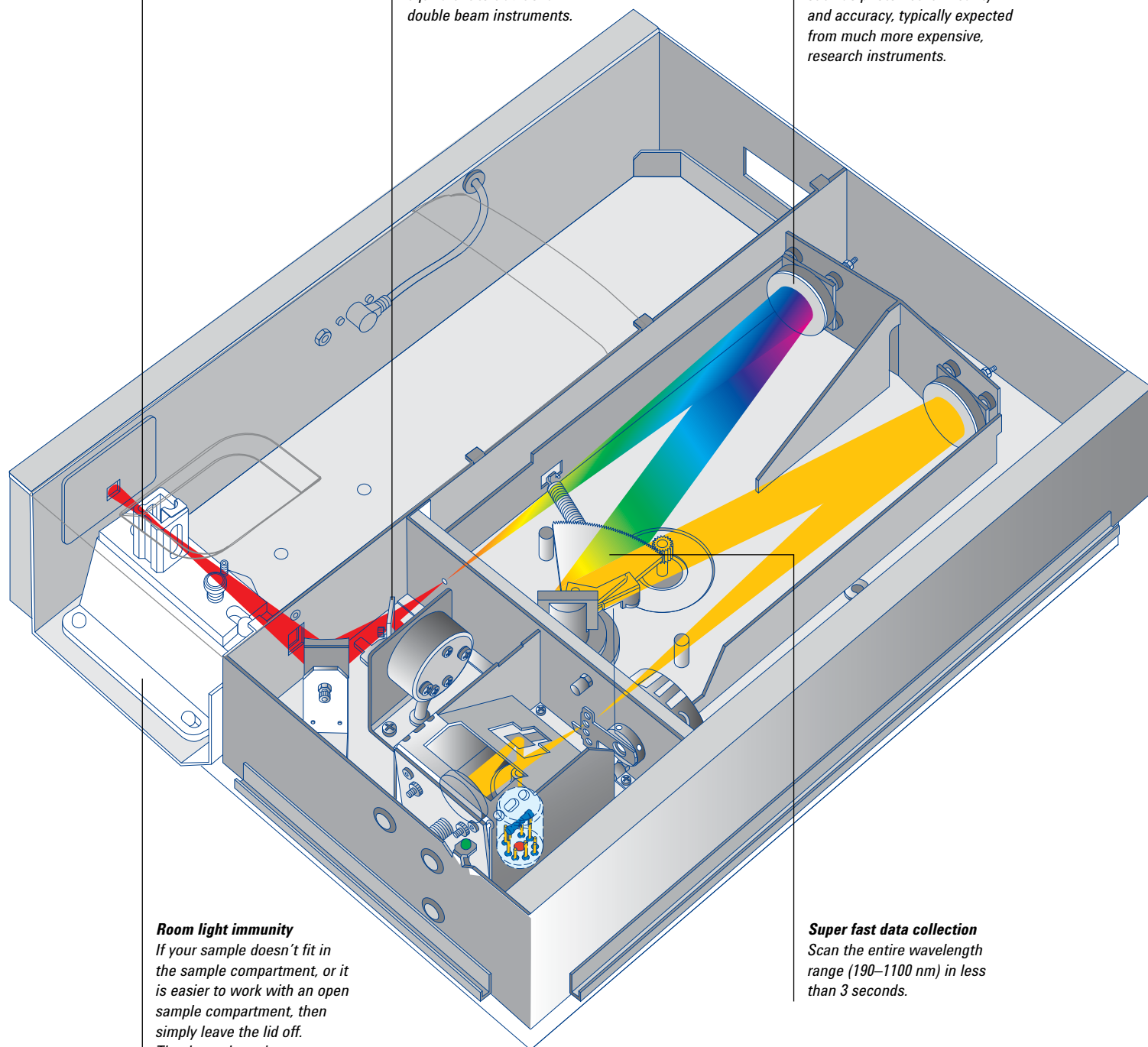
The light beam is very intense — less than 1.5 mm x 1.0 mm at its focus — ensuring excellent noise performance even when using small aperture microcells.

Simultaneous reference correction

Maintain peak integrity at every scan speed through simultaneous sample and reference beam measurements — equivalent to traditional double beam instruments.

Superior and proven optical design

Leveraging design capabilities from our research grade Agilent Cary spectrophotometers, the Agilent Cary 60 provides excellent optical performance, such as photometric linearity and accuracy, typically expected from much more expensive, research instruments.

**Room light immunity**

If your sample doesn't fit in the sample compartment, or it is easier to work with an open sample compartment, then simply leave the lid off. Thanks to the unique properties of the Xenon flash lamp, the Agilent Cary 60 is not affected by room light.

Super fast data collection

Scan the entire wavelength range (190–1100 nm) in less than 3 seconds.

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YOU CAN DO IT ALL WITH A CARY

The Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis spectrophotometer is complemented by a range of accessories and software designed specifically for your application needs.

Performance enhancing accessories

The vast range of accessories for the Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis ensures you can handle the widest variety of sample sizes and types¹.

Accessories for liquid samples include:

- Fiber optic probes and couplers for fast accurate measurements without cuvettes.
- Peltier and water thermostatted single and multicell holders for precise temperature control.
- Temperature probes to measure the temperature inside the cuvette.
- Micro volume sampling cells to measure volumes <4 μL .
- Rapid mix accessory for stopped-flow kinetics measurements.

Accessories for solid samples include:

- Solid sample holder.
- Fiber optic reflectance probe and coupler.
- Fixed angle specular reflectance accessories (SRA).

Consumables for UV-Vis

- Agilent's range of UV-Vis consumables includes cuvettes, flow cells and lamps



Measure multiple samples fast

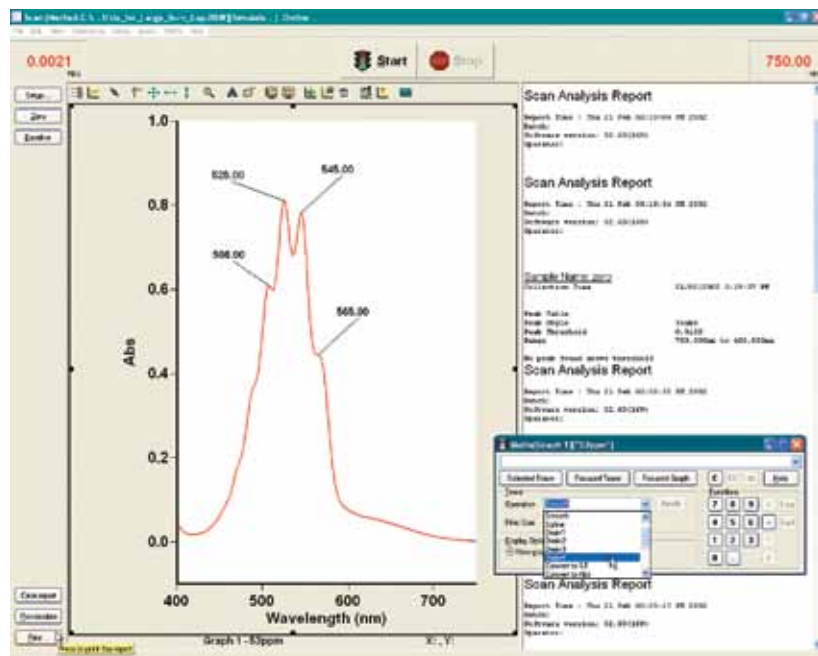
The multicell holder houses up to 18 cells and can be connected to a water bath for accurate temperature control.

DISTINCTLY BETTER SOFTWARE

User friendly, application focused software provides complete instrument control.

Software designed for real samples

The modular design of the Agilent Cary WinUV software means that it can be tailored to suit your analytical requirements — whether it's a QA/QC industrial application requiring wavelength scanning or concentration measurements, or life science applications that require advanced enzyme kinetics or thermal control.



Dedicated software applications

Streamline your measurements and save time with the easy-to-use WinUV software. Calculate DNA purity or concentrations using the RNA/DNA module or study biological process with the enzyme kinetics module.

Enhanced graphics features

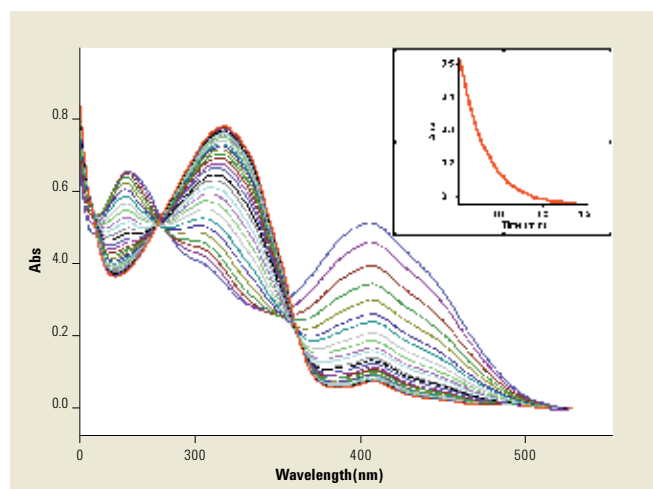
The graphics control module has automatic peak labelling, zoom, free and tracking cursor, multiple ordinate and abscissa formats, smart copy/paste and overlay modes, making spectral interpretation and presentation for publications a breeze.

Advanced data processing

Use the spectrum calculator to apply mathematical operations, including addition, subtraction, division, multiplication, log and square root functions, to spectra. The calculator also features mean, normalization, smoothing, up to fourth order derivatives, integration and the Kubelka-Munk correction algorithm.

Meet your application challenges

Use the powerful built-in Applications Development Language (ADL) to tailor the WinUV software to meet your most specific applications.



Obtain kinetics curves easily

With a mouse-click you can obtain a kinetics curve from a series of repetitive curves. The insert shows the kinetics curve at 410 nm.

reliable



CHEMICALS (QA/QC) APPLICATIONS

When you need to consistently and cost-effectively deliver the highest quality finished products, innovative, reliable analytical solutions are essential to your success. The Agilent Cary 60 provides flexible sampling options and proven robustness, ensuring you can measure your samples with the highest accuracy.

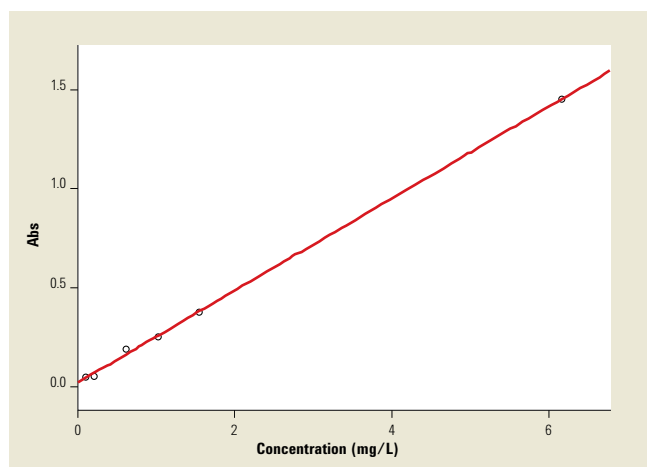
QA made easy

- WinUV software supports up to 30 standards and 5 replicates, to give you maximum flexibility to set precision levels.
- Flexibility to run basic methods and if needed advanced control, for method development.
- Pre-configured applications include single point reads, scanning, concentration and kinetics measurements.

Flexible sampling

With a large sample compartment and room light immunity, the Agilent Cary 60 with fiber optic probes is ideal for QC laboratories:

- Speed up production. Use fiber optic probes to take measurements on the production line, rather than transfer liquid samples to cuvettes.
- Probes accommodate a wide range of sample volumes — from very large to microliter samples.
- Eliminates flowcell uptake times and system problems such as tubing leaks, degradation and bubbles.



Nitrate analysis of water

The concentration of Nitrates in waste water was measured on the Agilent Cary 60 using the fiber optic dip probe. This reduced the time of analysis by over 50%, compared to traditional cuvette-based measurements, without compromise in data quality, as shown by the excellent linearity of the calibration curve of Abs vs. $[\text{NO}_3^-]$ mg/L. The fiber optic dip probe comes in a range of pathlengths (up to 40 mm) to cater for very low absorbing species.

ACADEMIC APPLICATIONS

When you need to cater to a variety of applications and user levels, flexibility and proven reliability are essential to your requirements. The Agilent Cary 60 provides accuracy and low ongoing cost of ownership, ensuring you can meet your immediate and future challenges.

Powerful and intuitive software

- Intuitive interface makes it ideal for university teaching and research laboratories.
- Flexibility to run simple, pre-configured methods for undergraduate students, through to advanced methods for academic research.
- Applications include scanning, concentration, kinetics, and RNA/DNA measurements.

Advanced kinetics analysis

- Data collection rates can be varied to collect more data when you need it. The Kinetics software also accommodates long, slow reactions and is capable of collecting data for up to 5 days without limiting the number of data points collected.

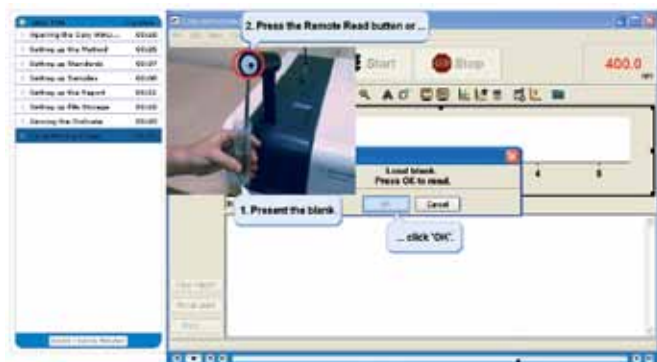
Flexible data collection

- Wide range of accessories to cater for a diversity of uses.
- Fiber optic probes eliminate the need to transfer liquid samples to cuvettes, reducing sample loss and user error.



Eliminate cuvette and sipper hassles

By using fiber optics probes, you'll never have to purchase or clean a cuvette again.



Self-paced learning

The Agilent Cary 60 WinUV software includes step-by-step wizards and video clips to help bring users up to speed quickly.



Solid sample measurements

The solid sample holders are compatible with a range of sample types.

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BIOTECH AND PHARMA APPLICATIONS

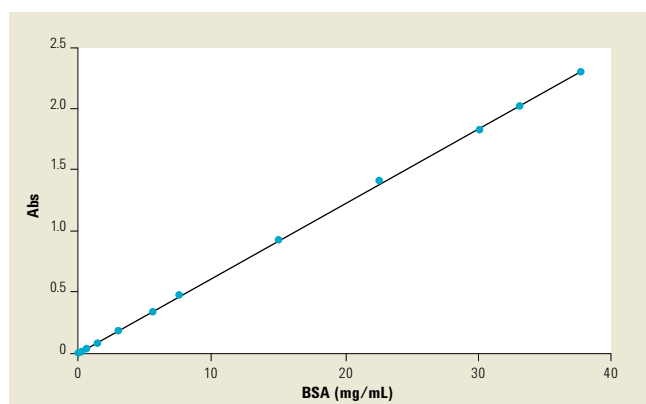
In a field that demands accuracy, productivity and regulatory compliance, your challenges have never been greater. The Agilent Cary 60 provides superior temperature control and protection for precious samples, ensuring you can measure your samples with the highest accuracy.

Protect precious samples

- The fiber optic microprobe and micro volume sampling cell enable measurements of $< 4 \mu\text{L}$ for precious biological and chemical samples.
- Photosensitive samples are not exposed to continuous light as the lamp flashes only to acquire a data point, preventing photodegradation.
- Sample compartment temperature is stable, as the lamp does not produce heat, ensuring accurate and reproducible data.

Compliance and validation

- Optional 21CFR Part 11 control for all software applications.
- Validate software module, provided as standard, includes built-in USP, EP and BP instrument performance tests.
- Validation test automation using the multicell holder accessory — just press start and walk away.
- Complete qualification services (IQ/OQ) for the Agilent Cary 60 hardware, software and accessories.
- Robust design and efficient xenon flash lamp reduce instrument down-time, minimizing lamp replacement and instrument re-validation costs.



Measure micro volume samples

Determine the amount of BSA protein over a wide range of concentrations using $< 4 \mu\text{L}$ of sample in a micro volume sampling cell. The exceptional photometric linearity of the Agilent Cary 60 ensures data is accurate and reproducible, and eliminates sample dilution prior to measurement.



Stopped flow kinetics

The rapid mix accessory is ideal for stopped flow kinetics measurements.

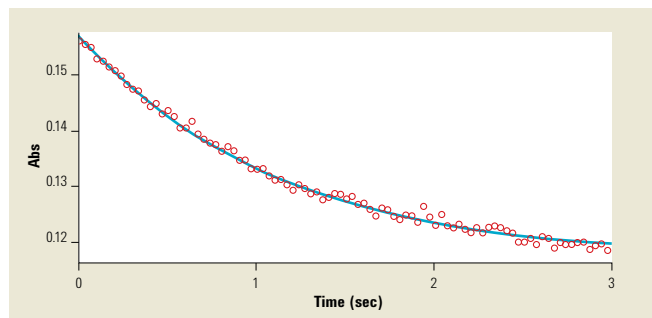


Monitor temperature

The temperature probe enables the temperature inside the cuvette to be measured, providing the most accurate data for temperature dependent experiments. The WinUV software monitors the temperature directly from probe, ensuring data is collected at the correct temperature.

Rapid and precise kinetics measurements

- Collect data at 80 points per second, and pause data collection at any time to add reagents without affecting performance.
- Extend collection times during a run.
- Collect your kinetics data and perform enzyme kinetics calculations all in the same application. Lineweaver-Burk, Eadie-Hofstee, Hanes-Woolf, Eadie-Scatchard, V_0 vs $[S]$ and Dixon $1/V_0$ vs $[I]$ plots are available.



Measure short-lived reactions

The rapid mix accessory enables you to automatically start an analysis in less than 1/10th of a second after the two components are mixed.



Measure cold samples straight from the refrigerator!

Use the fiber optics probe to perform measurements on cold samples. As the microprobe is completely submerged in the sample there are no condensation problems, which are difficult to eliminate when using cuvettes.

Trust Agilent to keep your lab running at peak productivity

Agilent's Advantage Service protects your investment in Agilent instruments and connects you with our global network of experienced professionals who can help you get the highest performance from every system in your lab. Count on us for the services you need at every stage of your instrument's lifecycle – from installation and upgrade to operation, maintenance and repair.

For customers who require full system validation, Agilent offers complete qualification services (Installation and Operational Qualification) for the Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis hardware, software and accessories.



And if ever your Agilent instrument requires service while covered by an Agilent service agreement, we guarantee repair or we will replace your instrument for free. No other manufacturer or service provider offers this level of commitment.

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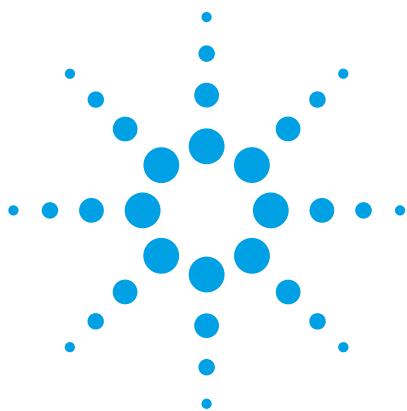
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Guaranteed specifications



Introduction

The Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis spectrophotometer is efficient, accurate and flexible, and is designed to meet both current and future measurement needs. The proven, robust design of the Cary 60 comprises a double beam, Czerny-Turner monochromator, 190–1100 nm wavelength range, 1.5 nm fixed spectral bandwidth, full spectrum Xenon pulse lamp single source with exceptionally long life, dual silicon diode detectors, quartz overcoated optics, scan rates up to 24,000 nm/min, 80 data points/sec maximum measurement rate, non-measurement phase stepping wavelength drive, room light immunity, central control by PC with Microsoft® Windows® operating system. Supported by GLP software, optional 21 CFR Part 11 capable software, and dedicated instrument validation software which includes pharmacopeia test suites.

Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis spectrophotometers are manufactured according to a quality management system certified to ISO 9001. The guaranteed specifications are listed in this document and are based on the 4 sigma statistical confidence level of the final acceptance tests performed at the factory.



Features, advantages and benefits

| Feature | Advantage/Benefit |
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| Xenon pulse lamp source | Eliminates photobleaching while allowing the highest quality data to be collected over the complete UV-Vis range — all at the lowest cost of ownership due to an exceptionally long lamp life. |
| Room light immunity | Unique optical design allows accurate sample measurement even with the sample lid open — especially useful for enzyme assays, fiber-optic based measurements or high throughput QA/QC labs. |
| 1.5 nm fixed spectral bandwidth | Gives excellent spectral resolution for solids and liquids and meets international Pharmacopoeia compliance regulations. |
| 190–1100 nm wavelength range | Complete coverage of UV-Vis range and extending up into the NIR. |
| 24,000 nm/min maximum scan rate | Allows complete spectral range scanning in under 3 seconds, ideal for fast kinetics or high sample throughput. |
| 80 data points/second maximum measurement rate | Allows accurate measurement of sub-second kinetic reactions with excellent data fitting. |
| Photometric range up to 4 Abs | Permits the analysis of highly turbid solutions and a wide range of sample concentrations (optical densities), as well as reducing sample preparation (dilution) requirements. |
| Non-measurement phase stepping wavelength drive | Means that sample and reference measurements are made at the same wavelength ensuring that no peak shifts are observed — even when measuring at the fastest scan speeds. |
| Focused beam measuring 1.5 x 1.0 mm | Ensures efficient energy coupling to accessories including fiber optic probes and ultra-microvolume cuvettes for measurement of low volume samples. |

Instrument hardware

| Source |
|--|
| Unique full-spectrum Xenon flash lamp (80 Hz) with typical lifetime of 10 years (guaranteed 3 years) |
| Monochromator |
| Czerny-Turner |
| Grating |
| Holographic, 27.5 x 35 mm, 1200 lines/mm, blaze angle 8.6° at 240 nm |
| Beam splitting system |
| Beam splitter |
| Detectors |
| 2 silicon diode detectors for simultaneous sample beam and reference beam measurements |
| Optical design |
| Double beam Czerny-Turner monochromator |
| UV-Vis limiting resolution (nm) |
| ≤ 1.5 nm |
| Toluene/hexane limiting resolution (EP/BP and TGA test) |
| ≥ 1.5 |

Agilent Cary 60 UV-Vis guaranteed specifications

Instrument hardware

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| Stray light (%T) | | | |
| | | At 198 nm (12 g/L KCl, TGA & BP/EP method) At 220 nm (10 g/L NaI ASTM method) At 370 nm (50 mg/L NaNO ₂) | ≤ 1% ≤ 0.05% ≤ 0.05% |
| Wavelength range (nm) | | | |
| | | 190–1100 nm | |
| Wavelength accuracy (nm) | | | |
| | | ± 0.5 at 541.94 nm | |
| Wavelength reproducibility (nm) | | | |
| | | ± 0.1 nm | |
| Photometric accuracy (Abs) | | | |
| | | Using NIST 930E filters at 1 Abs At 0.2, 0.5 & 0.75 Abs (14.2% w/v KNO ₃ , TGA method) 0.292 to 0.865 Abs (60.06 mg/L K ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ , BP method) | ± 0.005 Abs ± 0.01 Abs ± 0.01 Abs |
| Photometric range (Abs) | | | |
| | | ± 4.0 Abs | |
| Photometric display | | | |
| | | ± 9.9999 Abs, ± 200.00 %T | |
| Photometric reproducibility (Abs) | | | |
| | | Using NIST 930E filters, at 465 nm, 2 s SAT Maximum deviation at 1 Abs Standard deviation for 10 measurements Using NIST 930E filters, at 546.1 nm, 2 s SAT Maximum deviation at 0.5 Abs Standard deviation for 10 measurements | < 0.004 Abs < 0.00050 Abs < 0.003 Abs < 0.0030 Abs |
| Photometric stability (Abs/hour) | | | |
| | | 500 nm, 10 s SAT | < 0.0004 Abs |
| Photometric noise (Abs, RMS) | | | |
| | | 500 nm, 1 s SAT | At 0 Abs At 1 Abs At 2 Abs < 0.0001 Abs < 0.0005 Abs < 0.005 Abs |
| | | 260 nm, 1 s SAT | At 0 Abs < 0.00015 Abs |
| Baseline flatness (Abs) | | | |
| | | 200 to 850 nm, smooth 21 filter applied, baseline corrected ± 0.001 Abs | |
| Compartment size (width x depth x height) | | | |
| | | 130 mm x 523 mm x 123 mm Note that sample compartment can be left open during measurement due to room light immunity of Cary 60 | |
| Sample compartment access | | | |
| | | Top and front | |

Recommended environmental conditions

Instrument dimensions (width x depth x height)

Packed 595 x 710 x 350 mm (24 x 28 x 14 in)
Unpacked 477 x 567 x 196 mm (19 x 23 x 8 in)
The Cary 60 has been designed to withstand the weight of a PC monitor up to 10 kg (33 lb)

Instrument weight

Packed 23 kg (51 lb), Unpacked 18 kg (40 lb)

Instrument conditions

| Condition | Altitude (m, ft) | Temp. (°C, °F) | Humidity (%RH) non-condensing |
|---|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Non-operating (transport) | 0–4600, 0–15000 | -40–75 °C, -40–167 °F | 15–90% |
| Operating within performance specifications | 0–3100, 0–10000 | 5–40 °C, 41–104 °F | 50–80% |

For optimum analytical performance, it is recommended that the ambient temperature of the laboratory be between 20–25 °C and be held constant to within ± 2 °C throughout the entire working day

Instrument electrical requirements

A standard 3.2 A/12 V plug pack is provided. Power cords are provided based on the user's country requirements. Only the supplied power supply is to be used with this equipment.

Required supply voltage 100–240 V AC, Frequency 47-63 Hz
Nominal rating Scanning: 18 W, Idle: 9 W

Operational

Spectral bandwidth (nm)

Fixed at 1.5 nm (approximately)

Signal averaging (seconds)

0.0125–999 s

Maximum scan rate (nm/min)

24,000 nm/min

Slew rate (nm/min)

24,000 nm/min

Data interval (nm)

0.15–5.0 nm

Repetitive scanning

4800 data points per minute, maximum number of cycles: 999, maximum cycle time (min): 9999

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Operational

Data collection rate

80 data points/second

Temperature monitor

Temperature probe inside cuvette (using the Temperature Probe Accessory)

Minimum sample volume

0.5 µL

Customer support policies

Support and training

Agilent is renowned for providing expert applications and service support. Agilent has a global network of factory-trained specialists ready to provide support for hardware, software, or applications wherever you are located. Services include:

- Full 12-month warranty support
- Seven (7) year hardware support period from date of last unit manufacture. After this time, parts and supplies will be provided if available.
- Preventive maintenance to deliver consistent operation and minimize downtime
- Troubleshooting, maintenance and repair
- Software support services
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