

# The **GS-800**<sup>™</sup> Calibrated Densitometer



**Calibrated Quantitation in a Big Way.** Quantitate It All, From Genomics to Proteomics.



# Calibrated Analysis of Gels, Film, and Blots

### **Transmissive and Reflective Capabilities**

The GS-800 has a built-in calibrated optical density transmissive step tablet for unsurpassed accuracy. Each tablet contains a serial number for complete documentation to an external standard. The ability of the GS-800 to calibrate to an external standard ensures accurate, reproducible results.

# 29 x 40 cm Format, 12-Bit Precision

If you need to image and quantitate larger gels for enhanced separation of proteins in two dimensions, the GS-800 is the perfect densitometer. It provides 12-bit precision and 36.3 µm resolution to scan and analyze even the closest bands. Unlike conventional desktop scanners, the GS-800 has a large dynamic range, from 0-3.0 OD. This allows accurate quantitation of samples such as Coomassie stained and silver stained gels.

#### **Multiple Wavelengths for Unparalleled Sensitivity**

With red, green, and blue color CCD technology, you will easily quantitate most electrophoretic samples or stains. Scan 1-D and 2-D gels, dot and slot blots, films, slides, photographs, and other samples at the proper wavelengths. Moreover, the GS-800 is one of the few densitometers that accommodates wet and thick samples.

# Installation Qualification and Operational Qualification (IQ/OQ)

The calibration of the GS-800 can be validated by following the GS-800 Calibrated Densitometer Installation Qualification and Operational Qualification protocols. These protocols are available as an accessory to the GS-800. These straightforward and simple-tofollow IQ/OQ protocols include instructions for installation of the hardware and software, and instructions for verification of the reflectance and transmittance calibration functions.

# Windows and Macintosh Software

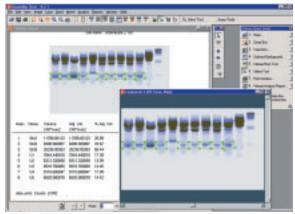
The GS-800 includes fully integrated Quantity One software for scanning and analysis. For proteomics, Bio-Rad also offers PDQuest 2-D analysis software for 2-D gel matching and database creation (catalog #170-8604 for PC, 170-8612 for Mac). Similarly to Quantity One, PDQuest was designed for full integration with the GS-800.

For more information, contact your local Bio-Rad representative, or visit us on the Web at discover.bio-rad.com.

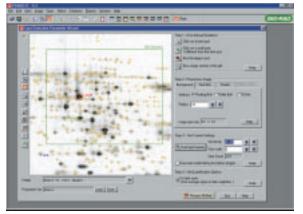


The ProteomeWorks system is the global alliance between Bio-Bad Laboratories Inc. and Waters Corporation (Micromass MS Technologies), dedicated to furthering proteomics research.

# Quantity One<sup>®</sup> Software



# **PDQuest<sup>™</sup> Software**



### **Specifications**

Light source	Fluorescent white
Wavelength	400–750 nm
Operating modes	Transmissive and reflective
Sampling rate	700 dpi
Pixel density	12-bit
Resolution	36.3 µm
Absorbance range	0-3.0 OD
Scanning area	Transmissive: 29 x 40 cm; reflective: 29 x 40 cm
Dimensions	62.6 x 47.3 x 19.3 cm (W x D x H)
Weight	20.8 kg

#### **Ordering Information**

Catalog #	Description
170-7980	GS-800 Calibrated Densitometer, PC
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170-7956	GS-800 Calibrated Densitometer Installation
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