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GENERAL METHODS



Strata[™]-XL-C General Method for the Extraction of Weak Bases

Strata XL-C is a novel polymeric, large particle, strong cation exchange sorbent that couples a hydrophobic backbone with a sulfonic acid functional group.

This sorbent retains analytes by several different mechanisms:

Strong Cation Exchange

T-π Bonding

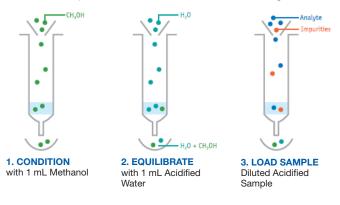
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The retention mechanism of Strata-XL-C allows for the fractional collection of acidic and neutral compounds from bases. If basic compounds are the only analytes of interest, the strong ionic interaction between Strata-XL-C and the target basic analytes allows for aggressive washings with relatively strong organic solvents for superior cleanup of the sample.

Strata-XL-C Method for Weakly Basic Compounds (1°, 2°, and 3° amines)

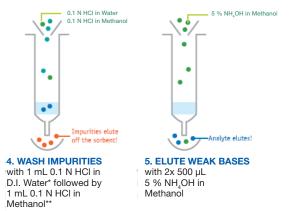
Note: Method uses solvent volumes appropriate for a 30 mg sorbent mass. For larger or smaller masses, refer to Technical Note TN-013.

Very Important: This method is NOT suitable for the extraction of strongly basic (cationic) compounds such as organic quaternary (4°) amines. Please follow the method entitled "Strata-XL-CW General Method for the Extraction of Any Base" (Technical Note TN-0027), which uses a weak cation exchange sorbent.



^{*}This fraction will contain polar neutrals.

^{**}The methanol wash serves to remove endogenous contaminants from biological sample matrices and reduces ion suppression in LC/MS under ESI mode. This fraction will contain neutrals and acids.



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30 mg	8B-S044-TAK	1 mL (100/box)
60 mg	8B-S044-UBJ	3 mL (50/box)
100 mg	8B-S044-EBJ	3 mL (50/box)
100 mg	8B-S044-ECH	6 mL (30/box)
200 mg	8B-S044-FBJ	3 mL (50/box)
200 mg	8B-S044-FCH	6 mL (30/box)
500 mg	8B-S044-HCH	6 mL (30/box)
Giga™ Tube		
2 g	8B-S044-KDG	12 mL (20/box)
2 g	8B-S044-KEG	20 mL (20/box)
5 g	8B-S044-LEG	20 mL (20/box)
5 g	8B-S044-LFF	60 mL (16/box)
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96-Well Plate		
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