

# SOLID PHASE EXTRACTION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SAMPLES

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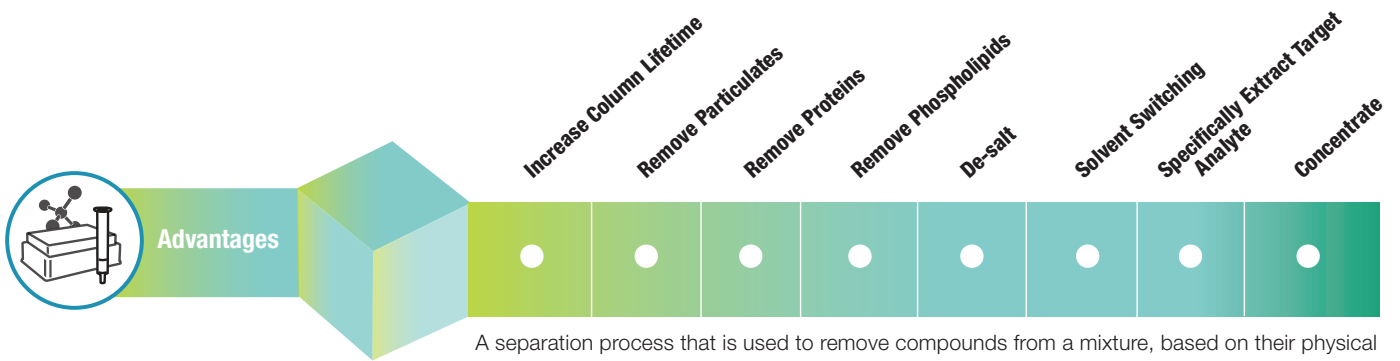


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# Solid Phase Extraction Overview



A separation process that is used to remove compounds from a mixture, based on their physical and chemical properties. Analytical laboratories use solid phase extraction to concentrate and purify samples for analysis from a wide variety of matrices.

## 3 Unique Sorbent Platforms

**STRATA<sup>®</sup> X PRO**  
A Rapid Solid Phase Extraction Solution

New reversed phase polymer with matrix removal technology offers a faster, cleaner way to perform SPE.

**RAPID**  
3 STEPS

**SUPER EXPRESS**  
2 STEPS

**strata<sup>®</sup> X**  
Polymeric SPE

Polymeric sorbent available in reversed phase and ion-exchange capabilities for wide range of applications.

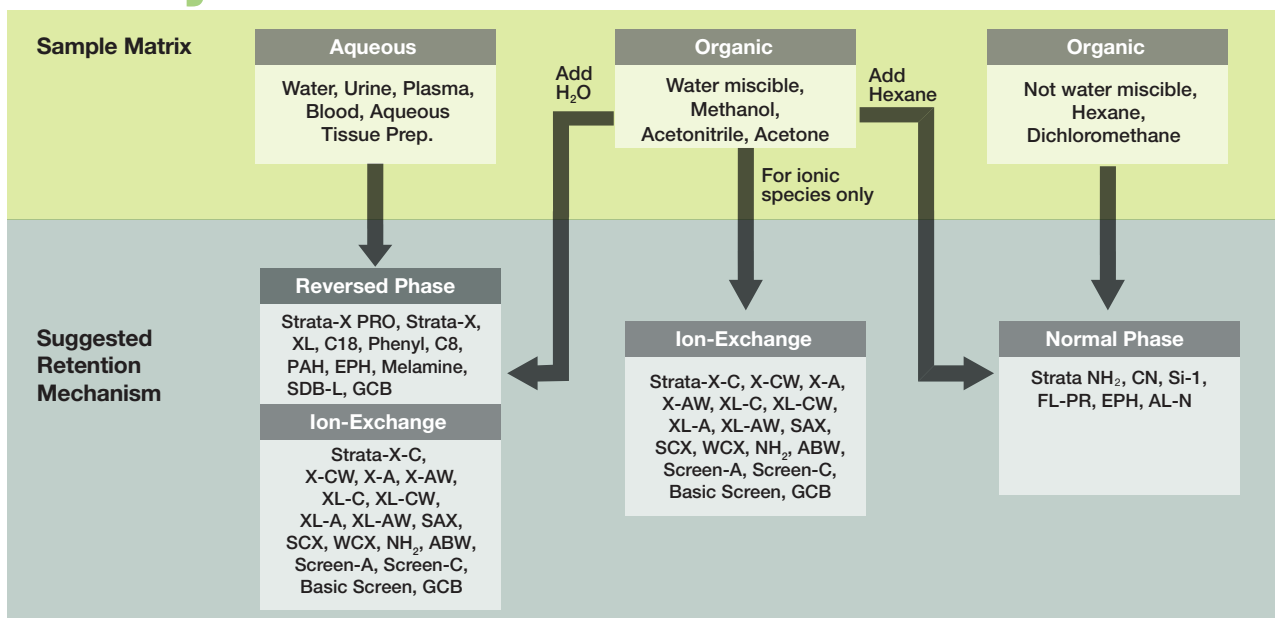
**RELIABLE**  
5 STEPS

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Solid Phase Extraction

Silica-based SPE sorbent provides a reliable and clean extracts with high recoveries for target analytes across all sample matrices.

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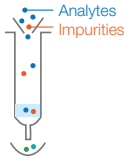
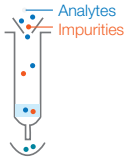
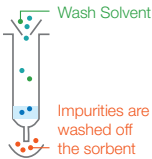

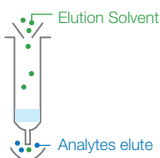
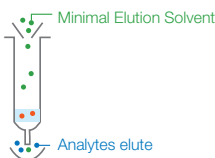
## Identify Your SPE Retention Mechanism



# Faster and Cleaner Extractions

Strata-X PRO offers a simplified way to perform solid phase extraction by cleaning up difficult and dirty matrices in a 3-step or 2-step SPE method. Ideal with analytes such as pesticides, Strata-X PRO offers an easier way to extract target analytes from drinking water, waste water, or soil. An effortlessly easy recommended starting method means no method development and simple extractions.



	
	
<b>NO CONDITION OR EQUILIBRATION STEPS!</b>	
	
<p><b>1 LOAD SAMPLE</b></p> 	<p><b>1 LOAD SAMPLE</b></p> 
<p><b>2 WASH IMPURITIES</b></p> 	
<p><b>3 ELUTE ANALYTES</b></p> 	<p><b>2 RINSE</b></p> 

## Recommended Starting Methods



- Load**  
500 µL Pre-treated sample/buffer\* (1:1)  
Apply 2-5" Hg vacuum until liquid is no longer visible above top frit
- Wash**  
600 µL 5 % Methanol in Water
- Elute**  
600 µL 0.1 % Formic acid in Acetonitrile/Methanol (90:10)  
Apply 2-5" Hg vacuum for 1 minute



- Load**  
1 mL Pre-treated sample/0.1 % Formic acid in Acetonitrile (1:4)  
Apply 5" Hg vacuum until all tubes or wells have cleared
- Elute**  
75 µL Water/0.1 % Formic acid in Acetonitrile (1:4)  
Apply 5" Hg vacuum until all tubes or wells have cleared

\*Select a buffer that maximizes the hydrophobicity of the analytes. For example, if an analyte is basic, dilute with a base.

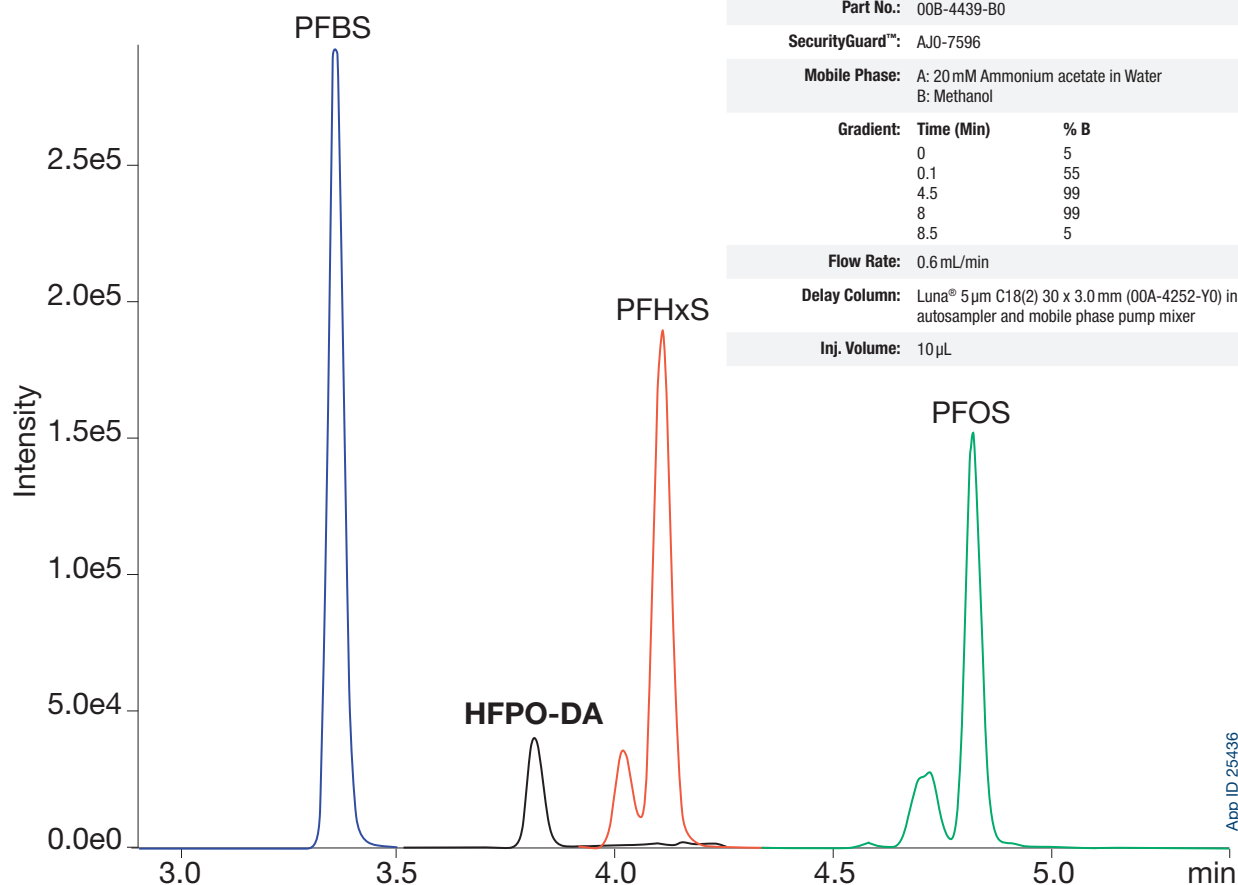
# PFAS and GenX from Water

Per- and poly-fluorinated alkyl substances (PFAS) are widespread environmental contaminants found in soil, air, biota, and water. PFAS, including perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS), are a broad number of compounds representing multiple classes. The goal of this method was to analyze HFPO-DA in a multi-residue method along with 24 other common PFAS. 200 mL water samples were extracted using Strata-XL-AW weak anion-exchange SPE cartridges following the conditions in the ISO 25101:2009 to capture interferences and clean up the sample prior to analysis. Samples were also passed through Strata GCB following the requirements of DOD QSM 5.1.

Solid Phase Extraction Protocol	
<b>Cartridge:</b>	Strata XL-AW 500 mg/6 mL
<b>Part No.:</b>	8B-S051-HCH
<b>Condition:</b>	6 mL 0.3% Ammonium hydroxide in Methanol, followed by 6 mL Methanol
<b>Equilibrate:</b>	6 mL Water
<b>Load:</b>	Add sample at about 10 mL/min Note: use an adapter cap (Part No.: AHO-7191) and large volume sample reservoir (Part No.: AHO-7005)
<b>Wash:</b>	2x 6 mL Water
<b>Elute:</b>	10 mL 0.3% Ammonium hydroxide in Methanol (this 10 mL will elute PFAS/GenX analytes)
<b>Load:</b>	Pass SPE eluent through Strata GCB 500 mg/6 mL (8B-S528-HCH)
<b>Evaporate:</b>	to dryness and reconstitute to 1.0 mL with Methanol/ Water (96:4) (containing internal standards)

Mass Spec Parameters					
<b>Mass Spec Detector:</b>	SCIEX <sup>®</sup> Triple Quad <sup>™</sup> 4500				
<b>Ion Source Parameters:</b>	Samples were ionized using electrospray in negative ion-mode.				
<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Value</b>				
CAD	9				
CUR	30				
GS1	40				
GS2	60				
IS Voltage	-4500				
TEM	450				
MRM Transitions for HFPO-DA:					
Compound	Q1	Q3	RT	DP	CE
HFPO-DA (Quant)	329	185	3.7	-30	-32
HFPO-DA (Qual)	329	169	3.7	-30	-18
13C3-HFPO-DA	332	185	3.7	-30	-32

## Chromatography of HFPO-DA in a mixture of PFAS



LC-MS/MS Conditions	
<b>Column:</b>	Gemini <sup>®</sup> 3 μm C18
<b>Dimensions:</b>	50 x 2.0 mm
<b>Part No.:</b>	00B-4439-B0
<b>SecurityGuard<sup>™</sup>:</b>	AJ0-7596
<b>Mobile Phase:</b>	A: 20 mM Ammonium acetate in Water B: Methanol
<b>Gradient:</b>	<b>Time (Min)</b> <b>% B</b>
	0                      5
	0.1                  55
	4.5                  99
	8                     99
	8.5                  5
<b>Flow Rate:</b>	0.6 mL/min
<b>Delay Column:</b>	Luna <sup>®</sup> 5 μm C18(2) 30 x 3.0 mm (00A-4252-Y0) installed between the autosampler and mobile phase pump mixer
<b>Inj. Volume:</b>	10 μL

# PFCs From Aqueous Matrices



Four Perfluorinated Compounds (PFCs) analyte classes were evaluated: Perfluoroalkyl acids (PFAAs), Perfluorosulfonates (PFSA), Perfluorosulfonamidoacetic acids (FOSAAs), and Fluorotelomersulfonates (FTSs). The Strata-X-AW Solid Phase Extraction provided significant improvements in sensitivity, accuracy, and precision. With the advent of analytical columns like the Kinetex® EVO C18 core-shell that can support a higher pH, it's possible to couple weak anion-exchange online SPE to a suitable analytical column.

## Sample Pre-treatment Procedure

1. Samples are collected in polypropylene bottles and preserved with 0.5 g/L Trizma®.
2. A 10mL aliquot is spiked with surrogates at a concentration of 50 ng/L.
3. If necessary, filter using a 10mL syringe fitted to a 1.2 µm glass fiber syringe filter.
4. The filtered sample is spiked with internal standard at 50 ng/L.
5. The filtered sample is loaded and analyzed using a 5.0 mL injection volume.
6. The online SPE is completely automated; it includes a sample wash step (2.1 to 4.1 min) to wash Trizma preservative from the media.

## SPE Specifications

**Online SPE:** Strata-X-AW 33 µm Polymeric Weak Anion-Exchange

**Dimensions:** 20 x 2.0 mm

**Part No.:** 00M-S038-B0-CB

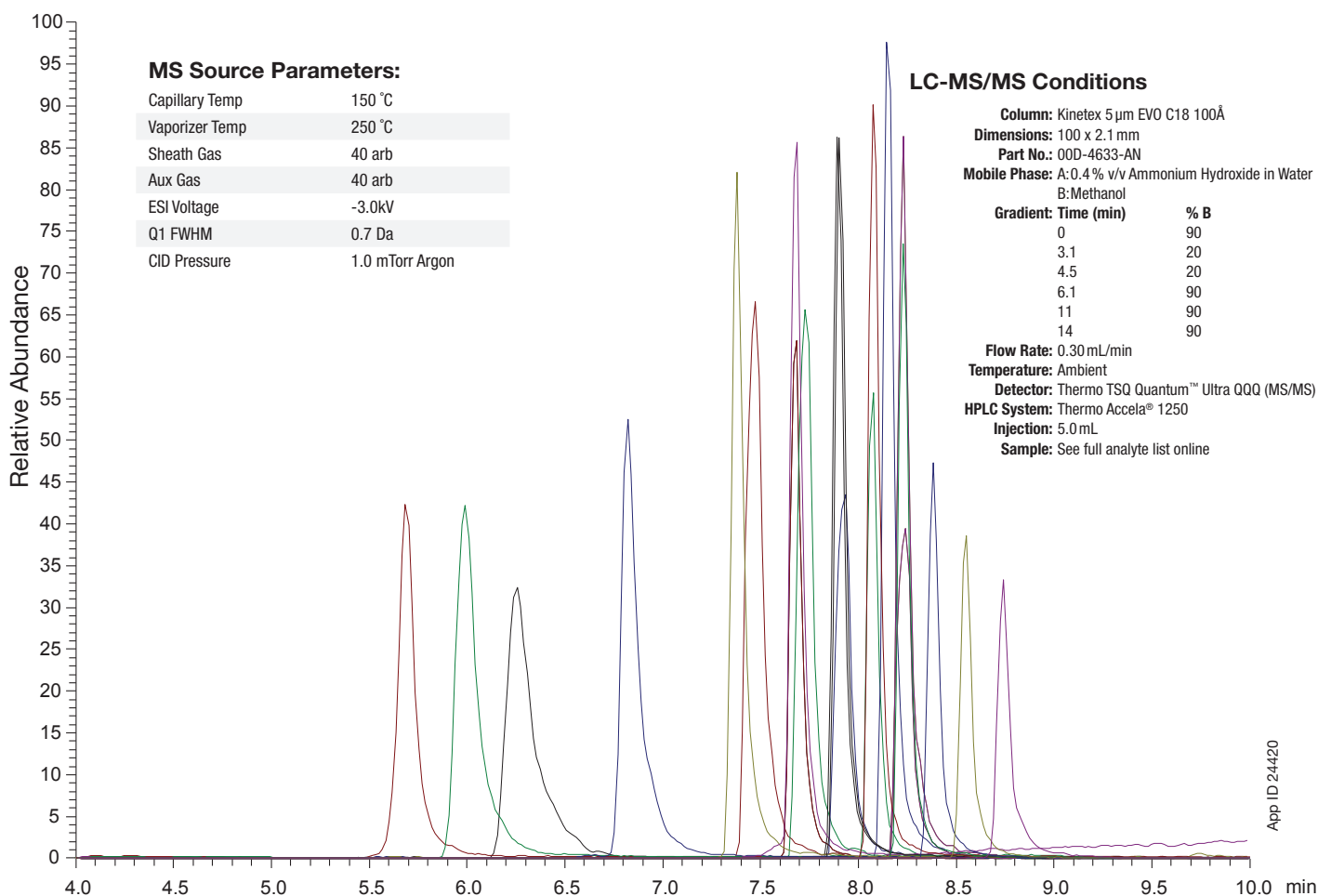
**Online SPE Cartridge Holder:** 20 mm Cartridge Holder

**Part No.:** CH0-5845

**Evaporate:** to dryness and reconstitute to 1.0 mL with Methanol/ Water (96:4) (containing internal standards)

## Online SPE Program (pump 2)

Time	Water	MeOH	ACN	Flow mL/min	Comments
0.00	100	0	0	2.5	Sample Loading
2.00	100	0	0	2.5	Sample Loading
2.10	100	0	0	2.5	SPE Wash
4.10	100	0	0	2.5	SPE Wash
4.11	30	70	0	0	Idle
9.00	30	70	0	0	Idle
9.01	0	0	100	2.0	ACN Wash
9.49	0	0	100	2.0	ACN Wash
9.50	2.0	98	0	3.0	MeOH Wash
11.50	2.0	98	0	3.0	MeOH Wash
11.51	100	0	0	3.0	Cond: Water
14.00	100	0	0	3.0	Cond: Water



App ID 24420

# Ordering Info



## Strata Silica-Based SPE Sorbents

Tubes	3 mL (50/box)		
	100 mg	200 mg	500 mg
C18-E	8B-S001-EBJ	8B-S001-FBJ	8B-S001-HBJ
C18-U	—	8B-S002-FBJ	8B-S002-HBJ
C18-T	—	8B-S004-FBJ	8B-S004-HBJ
C8	—	8B-S005-FBJ	8B-S005-HBJ
Phenyl	—	8B-S006-FBJ	8B-S006-HBJ
SCX	8B-S010-EBJ	8B-S010-FBJ	8B-S010-HBJ
WCX	—	8B-S027-FBJ	8B-S027-HBJ
SAX	8B-S008-EBJ	8B-S008-FBJ	8B-S008-HBJ
ABW	8B-S030-FBJ	8B-S009-FBJ	8B-S009-HBJ
CN	—	8B-S007-FBJ	8B-S007-HBJ
Si-1	—	8B-S012-FBJ	8B-S012-HBJ
Florisil®	—	—	8B-S013-HBJ
EPH	—	—	8B-S031-HBJ
AL-N	—	—	8B-S313-HBJ



Tubes	6 mL (30/box)		
	200 mg	500 mg	1 g
C18-E	8B-S001-FCH	8B-S001-HCH	8B-S001-JCH
C18-U	—	8B-S002-HCH	8B-S002-JCH
C18-T	—	8B-S004-HCH	8B-S004-JCH
C8	—	8B-S005-HCH	8B-S005-JCH
Phenyl	—	8B-S006-HCH	8B-S006-JCH
SCX	—	8B-S010-HCH	8B-S010-JCH
WCX	—	8B-S027-HCH	8B-S027-JCH
SAX	—	8B-S008-HCH	8B-S008-JCH
ABW	—	8B-S009-HCH	8B-S009-JCH
CN	—	8B-S007-HCH	8B-S007-JCH
Si-1	—	8B-S012-HCH	8B-S012-JCH
Florisil®	—	8B-S013-HCH	8B-S013-JCH
SDB-L	—	8B-S014-HCH	8B-S014-JCH
AL-N	—	—	8B-S313-JCH

Giga™ Tubes	12 mL		20 mL
	500 mg	1 g	5 mg
C18			8B-S001-LEG
C8			8B-S005-LEG
WCX			8B-S027-LEG
SAX			8B-S008-LEG
SCX	8B-S008-HDG		8B-S010-LEG
ABW			8B-S030-LEG
Si-1	8B-S012-HDG	8B-S012-JDG	8B-S012-LEG
NH <sub>2</sub>	8B-S009-HDG	8B-S009-KDG	8B-S009-LEG
AL-N			8B-S313-LEG


Giga Tubes	60 mL		150 mL	
	10 mg	20 mg	50 g	70 g
C18-E	8B-S001-MFF	8B-S001-VFF	8B-S001-YSN	8B-S001-ZSN
C8	8B-S005-MFF			
Si-1	8B-S005-MFF	8B-S012-VFF	8B-S012-YSN	8B-S012-ZSN
FL-PR	8B-S013-MFF			
SDB-L	8B-S014-MFF			
NH <sub>2</sub>	8B-S009-MFF	8B-S009-VFF	8B-S009-MFF	8B-S009-MFF
AL-N	8B-S313-MFF			

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## Strata-X PRO SPE

Tube	Format	Sorbent Mass	Part Number	Unit
		30 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-TBJ</a>	3 mL (50/box)
		60 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-UBJ</a>	3 mL (50/box)
		200 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-FBJ</a>	3 mL (50/box)
		100 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-ECH</a>	6 mL (30/box)
		200 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-FCH</a>	6 mL (30/box)
		500 mg	<a href="#">8B-S536-HCH</a>	6 mL (30/box)

## Strata-X Polymeric SPE Sorbents

Tubes	3 mL (50/box)		
	60 mg	200 mg	500 mg
Strata-X	8B-S100-UBJ	8B-S100-FBJ	8B-S100-HBJ
Strata-X-C	8B-S029-UBJ	8B-S029-FBJ	8B-S029-HBJ
Strata-X-CW	8B-S035-UBJ	8B-S035-FBJ	8B-S035-HBJ
Strata-X-A	8B-S123-UBJ	8B-S123-FBJ	8B-S123-HBJ
Strata-X-AW	8B-S038-UBJ	8B-S038-FBJ	8B-S038-HBJ
Strata-XL	8B-S043-UBJ	8B-S043-FBJ	8B-S043-HBJ
Strata-XL-C	8B-S044-UBJ	8B-S044-FBJ	8B-S044-HBJ
Strata-XL-CW	8B-S052-UBJ	8B-S052-FBJ	8B-S052-HBJ
Strata-XL-A	8B-S053-UBJ	8B-S053-FBJ	8B-S053-HBJ
Strata-XL-AW	8B-S051-UBJ	8B-S051-FBJ	8B-S051-HBJ



Tubes	6 mL (30/box)		
	100 mg	200 mg	500 mg
Strata-X	8B-S100-ECH	8B-S100-FCH	8B-S100-HCH
Strata-X-C	8B-S029-ECH	8B-S029-FCH	8B-S029-HCH
Strata-X-CW	8B-S035-ECH	8B-S035-FCH	8B-S035-HCH
Strata-X-A	8B-S123-ECH	8B-S123-FCH	8B-S123-HCH
Strata-X-AW	8B-S038-ECH	8B-S038-FCH	8B-S038-HCH
Strata-XL	8B-S043-ECH	8B-S043-FCH	8B-S043-HCH
Strata-XL-C	8B-S044-ECH	8B-S044-FCH	8B-S044-HCH
Strata-XL-CW	8B-S052-ECH	8B-S052-FCH	8B-S052-HCH
Strata-XL-A	8B-S053-ECH	8B-S053-FCH	8B-S053-HCH
Strata-XL-AW	8B-S051-ECH	8B-S051-FCH	8B-S051-HCH

Giga™ Tubes	12 mL	
	500 mg	1 g
Strata-X	8B-S100-HDG	8B-S100-JDG
Strata-X-C	8B-S029-HDG	8B-S029-JDG
Strata-X-CW	8B-S035-HDG	8B-S035-JDG
Strata-X-A	8B-S123-HDG	8B-S123-JDG
Strata-X-AW	8B-S028-HDG	8B-S038-JDG

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Giga™ Tubes	20 mL		60 mL
	1 mg	2 mg	5 mg
Strata-X	8B-S100-JEG	8B-S100-KEG	8B-S100-LFF
Strata-X-C	8B-S029-JEG	8B-S029-KEG	8B-S029-LFF
Strata-X-CW	8B-S035-JEG	8B-S035-KEG	8B-S035-LFF
Strata-X-A	8B-S123-JEG	8B-S123-KEG	8B-S123-LFF
Strata-X-AW	8B-S038-JEG	8B-S038-KEG	8B-S038-LFF
Strata-XL	-	8B-S043-KEG	8B-S043-LFF
Strata-XL-C	-	8B-S044-KEG	8B-S044-LFF
Strata-XL-CW	-	8B-S052-KEG	-
Strata-XL-A	-	8B-S053-KEG	8B-S053-LFF
Strata-XL-AW	-	8B-S051-KEG	-

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