SPE Solid Phase Extraction

Application Note

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ISOLATION OF BENZODAIZEPINES FROM SERUM

Spe-ed[™] Cartridge Cat. No. 2001- Octadecyl C18/14%, 100mg/1mL.

Process with **Spe-ed Mate.**

Sample Preparation Adjust pH to 10.5 with 0.1 M sodium carbonate buffer (pH

10.5).

Cartridge 2 x 1mL of methanol, followed immediately by 1mL of 0.1

Conditioning M sodium carbonate buffer (pH 10.5).

DO NOT ALLOW CARTRIDGE TO RUN DRY!

Sample Addition Add up to 20mL of prepared sample. Aspirate sample

completely from cartridge.

Cartridge Wash 2 sequential 0.25mL volumes of 95% 0.1 M

sodium carbonate buffer (pH 10.5)/5%

acetonitrile.

Analyte Elution 2 sequential 0.2mL volumes of methanol. It may be

necessary to evaporate sample and reconstitute in an

analytically suitable solvent/solution.

Note: Since sample matrix interferences and concentrations may vary from sample to sample, it may be necessary to adjust the wash and elution solvent/solvent solution and/or volume to optimize isolation.

