

WARFARIN IN WHOLE BLOOD: MANUAL METHOD FOR GC-MS OR LC CONFIRMATIONS USING: 200 mg CLEAN-UP[®] C-30 EXTRACTION COLUMN Part #:

CEC30203 – CLEAN-UP[®] C30 200 mg, 3 mL Tube STMPAH-0-1 – SELECTRA-SIL[®] TMPAH

1. PREPARE SAMPLE:

To 9 mL of 100 mM phosphate buffer (pH 6.0.0) add internal standard. Add 1mL of whole blood) and Mix/vortex. Sample pH should be 6.0 + 0.5. Adjust pH accordingly with 0.1 M monobasic or dibasic sodium phosphate. Centrifuge as appropriate

2. CONDITION CLEAN-UP[®] COLUMN:

1 x 3 mL CH₃OH 1 x 3 mL D.I. H₂O 1 x 3 mL 100 mM phosphate buffer, (pH 6.0) aspirate. **NOTE:** Aspirate at < 3 inches. Hg to prevent sorbent drying.

3. APPLY SAMPLE:

Load at 1-2 mL/min.

4. WASH COLUMN:

Add 1 x 3 mL of phosphate buffer (0.1 M pH 6) Dry under full vacuum for 10 mins Add 1 x 3 mL of Hexane Dry under full vacuum for 10 mins

5. ELUTE WARFARIN:

Add 2 x 3 mL of Methanol: Ethyl Acetate (12:88) **Note:** Prepare elution solvent daily.

6. Collect eluates at approx 1-2 mL/minute

7. Dry samples:

Evaporate to dryness at <40 °C Add 50 μ L of Ethyl Acetate. Add 50 μ L of TMAH, and vortex. React at for 1 hour at 70 °C. Cool and inject 1-2 μ L onto GC-MS Monitor the following ions:

<u>Compound</u>	Primary	<u>Secondary</u>	Tertiary
Warfarin	279	322	280
p-chlorowarfarin (internal standard)	313	315	356

GC-MS (methylation)

