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**NOTE:** Prepared reagents may be prepared in any amount provided that the component ratios are kept constant.

#### 1. 1.0 M Acetic Acid

- a. Add 28.6 mL glacial acetic acid to 400 mL deionized water in a 500 mL volumetric flask.
- **b.** Mix and dilute to 500 mL with deionized water.
- c. Lot Number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - **i.** Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: Six months.
- e. Store at room temperature.
- **f.** QC Check: Tests acidic with litmus paper.

#### 2. 0.1 M Acetic Acid

- a. Dilute 50 mL 1.0 M Acetic Acid to 500 mL with deionized water.
- b. Mix
- c. Lot Number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: Six months.
- e. Store at room temperature.
- f. QC Check: Tests acidic with litmus paper.

## 3. 0.1 M Phosphate Buffer

- **a.** Dissolve 1.70 g anhydrous dibasic sodium phosphate (Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>) and 12.14 g monobasic sodium phosphate monohydrate (NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O) in 800 mL deionized water.
- **b.** Dilute to 1 L with deionized water and mix.
- **c.** Using a pH meter, adjust pH to 6.0 +/- 0.1 with monobasic sodium phosphate (lowers pH) or dibasic sodium phosphate (raises pH).
- **d.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- e. Expiration: One month
- f. Refrigerate.
- g. QC Check: Record final pH.

#### 4. 0.1 M Sodium Phosphate Dibasic

- a. Dissolve 2.84 g Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> in 160 mL of deionized water.
- **b.** Dilute to 200 mL with deionized water and mix.
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: One month
- e. Refrigerate.
- f. QC Check: N/A.

## 5. 0.1 M Sodium Phosphate Monobasic

- a. Dissolve 2.76 g NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O in 160 mL of deionized water.
- **b.** Dilute to 200 mL with deionized water and mix.
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - **i.** Example: 20101231
- d. Expiration: One month
- e. Refrigerate.f. QC Check: N/A.

## 6. 0.1 N Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)

- a. Dissolve 4.00 g of sodium hydroxide in 80 mL of deionized water in a 100 mL volumetric flask.
- **b.** Mix and dilute to volume with deionized water.
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - **i.** Example: 20101231
- d. Expiration: Six months.
- e. Store at room temperature.
- f. QC check: Tests basic with litmus paper.

#### 7. 0.5 M Phosphoric acid

- a. Add 3.4 mL concentrated phosphoric acid to 80 mL deionized water in a 100 mL volumetric flask.
- **b.** Mix and dilute to volume with deionized water.
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- d. Expiration: Six months.
- e. Store at room temperature.
- f. QC check: Tests acidic with litmus paper.

#### 8. Base SPE Elution Solvent (CH2Cl2 / IPA / NH4OH (78:20:2))

- a. To 20 mL of Isopropanol add 2 mL of concentrated Ammonium Hydroxide.
- **b.** Add 78 mL of Methylene chloride.
- c. Mix
- **d.** Expiration: This reagent is to be prepared daily prior to use.
- e. Store at room temperature in glass or fluoropolymer plastic.
- f. QC check: N/A

# 9. Acid SPE Elution Solvent (Hexane/Ethyl Acetate 50/50)

- **a.** Add 250 mL of Hexane to 250 mL of Ethyl Acetate.
- **b.** Mix
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: Six months
- e. Store at room temperature
- f. QC check: N/A

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## 10. 2% HCl in Methanol

- a. Mix 10 mL of methanol and 200 μL of concentrated hydrochloric acid.
- **b.** This reagent is to be prepared daily prior to use.
- c. QC Check: Tests acidic with litmus paper
- **d.** Dispose of any unused portion as approved in the State Crime Laboratory Safety Manual.

#### 11. Ammonium Chloride Buffer pH 9.0

- **a.** Dissolve 35.7 grams of ammonium chloride in 100 mL deionized water in a beaker. Wait until fully dissolved, which may take an hour or more.
- **b.** Add 7 mL of concentrated ammonium hydroxide.
- c. Slowly add additional concentrated ammonium hydroxide until the pH reaches 9.0.
- d. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- e. Expiration: Six Months
- **f.** Storage: Room Temperature
- g. QC Check: Record final pH.

#### 12. 0.5 N Sulfuric Acid

- **a.** Add 500 mL of deionized water to a glass bottle.
- **b.** Slowly add 7.0 mL of concentrated sulfuric acid.
- c. Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - **i.** Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: One year.
- e. Store at room temperature
- f. QC Check: Tests acidic with litmus paper.

#### 13. LCMSMS Mobile Phase A- 5mM Ammonium Formate with 0.1 % Formic Acid

- **a.** Combine 315 mg of ammonium formate and 1 mL of formic acid in HPLC grade water in a 1 L volumetric flask and qs to volume with HPLC grade water.
- **b.** Lot number: "MP-A1-" + Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: MP-A1-20140123
- **c.** Expiration: One month
- d. Storage: Room Temperature
- e. OC check: n/a

## 14. LCMSMS Mobile Phase B- Acetonitrile with 0.1 % Formic Acid (Also used as Strong Wash)

- a. Combine acetonitrile and 1 mL of formic acid in a 1 L volumetric flask and qs to volume with acetonitrile.
- **b.** Lot number: "MP-B1-" + Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: MP-B1-20140123
- **c.** Expiration: One month
- d. Storage: Room Temperature
- e. QC check: n/a

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#### 15. 10 % Acetic Acid

a. Add 50 mL of glacial acetic acid to 450 mL of deionized water.

**b.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: 20101231

c. Expiration: One yeard. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: Tests acidic with litmus paper

## 16. 9:1 Hexane: Ethyl Acetate

**a.** Combine 900 mL of hexane with 100 mL of ethyl acetate.

**b.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: 20101231

c. Expiration: One year

d. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

#### 17. Weak Wash

- **a.** Combine 100 mL of acetonitrile and 1 mL of formic acid in HPLC water in a 1 L bottle and add HPLC water in a quantity sufficient (qs) to bring to volume.
- **b.** Lot number: "WW-" + Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: WW-20140123

c. Expiration: One monthd. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

#### 18. Seal Wash

- a. Combine 50 mL of acetonitrile and HPLC water in a 500 mL bottle and qs to volume with HPLC water.
- **b.** Lot number: "SW-" + Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: SW-20140123

c. Expiration: One monthd. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

#### 19. Loop Wash

- a. Combine 350 mL of acetonitrile and HPLC water in a 500mL bottle and gs to volume with HPLC water.
- **b.** Lot number: "LW-" + Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: LW-20140123

**c.** Expiration: One year

d. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

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# 20. 1.0 N Hydrochloric Acid

- a. Add 83 mL concentrated hydrochloric acid to 800 mL deionized water in a 1 L volumetric flask.
- **b.** Mix and dilute to 1 L with deionized water.
- c. Lot Number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- **d.** Expiration: Six months.
- **e.** Store at room temperature.
- f. QC Check: Tests acidic with litmus paper.

#### 21. 50:50 Water: Acetonitrile

- a. Combine 500 mL of HPLC water with 500 mL of acetonitrile in a 1L bottle.
- **b.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- **c.** Expiration: Six months
- d. Storage: Room Temperature
- e. QC check: n/a

#### 22. 50:50 Methanol: Acetonitrile

- a. Combine 500 mL of methanol with 500 mL of acetonitrile in a 1L bottle.
- **b.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: 20101231
- c. Expiration: Six months
- **d.** Storage: Freezer
- e. QC check: n/a

#### 23. 80:20 Methanol: Water

- a. Combine 800 mL of methanol with 200 mL of water in a 1L bottle.
- **b.** Lot number: Eight digit format year/month/day
  - **i.** Example: 20101231
- c. Expiration: Six months
- **d.** Storage: Room Temperature
- e. OC check: n/a

# 24. QTOF Mobile Phase A- 10mM Ammonium Formate with Water

- **a.** Combine 630 mg of ammonium formate with LCMS grade water in a 1L bottle and qs to volume.
- **b.** Lot number: "MP-A1-" + Eight digit format year/month/day
  - i. Example: MP-A1-20140123
- **c.** Made daily prior to use
- d. Storage: Room Temperature
- e. OC check: n/a

## 25. QTOF Mobile Phase B- Methanol with 0.05 % Formic Acid

**a.** Combine methanol and 0.25 mL of formic acid in a 500mL bottle and qs to volume with methanol.

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**b.** Lot number: "MP-B1-" + Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: MP-B1-20140123

c. Expiration: Two weeksd. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

## 26. Needle Wash

a. Combine 200 mL of methanol, 200mL of acetonitrile, and 600mL of isopropanol in a 1L bottle.

**b.** Lot number: "NW-" + Eight digit format year/month/day

i. Example: NW-20140123

c. Expiration: One monthd. Storage: Room Temperature

e. QC check: n/a

# 27. 0.1% Ammonium Hydroxide

- a. Mix 10 mL of water and 10  $\mu$ L of ammonium hydroxide.
- **b.** Made daily prior to use.
- c. QC check: n/a
- **d.** Dispose of any unused portion as approved in the State Crime Laboratory Safety Manual.