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Introduction to Glass Expansion Nebulizers

The nebulizer is a critical component of your ICP sample introduction system, so why not opt for the highest quality? Glass Expansion has been manufacturing ICP nebulizers since the early 1980s and continually updates nebulizer designs to improve performance and ease of use. Our proprietary designs include a thick walled VitriCone capillary, UniFit sample line connector and the Direct Connect (DC) product line.

Whether your ICP laboratory is analyzing clean aqueous samples, samples containing HF and/or high dissolved salts, or volatile organic solvents; Glass Expansion has a nebulizer to suit your needs. Learn about the performance advantages and overall difference in construction quality that a Glass Expansion nebulizer can provide your ICP laboratory.

Nebulizer Types

Nebulizer	Dead Volume V_0 (µL)	TDS (%)	Particulates (µm)	HF	Precision	Purity	Material
SeaSpray™	4	20	*200	No	High	Good	Glass
MicroMist™	1	15	*100	No	High	Good	Glass
Conikal™	5	5	210	No	High	Good	Glass
Slurry™	11	1	280	No	High	Good	Glass
Quartz SeaSpray™	5	20	210	No	High	Excellent	Quartz
OpalMist™	4	15	*200	Yes	High	Excellent	PFA
DuraMist™	4	30	*200	Yes	High	Good	PEEK
VeeSpray™	100	30	550	Yes	Moderate	Good	Ceramic

***Particle Size Tolerance (µm):** **200** = USS1, USS2, DM2, PFA2; **140** = PFA1, DM1; **100** = USS04, PFA04, DM04; **90** = UM02, UM01, UM005; **70** = PFA005, PFA01, PFA02

Understanding Nebulizer Part Numbers

Example: MicroMist DC Nebulizer 0.4mL/min

A13 — Prefix denoting the type of gas connector to suit ICP model
e.g. A13 = Agilent®

1 — Argon flow in L/min
e.g. 1 = 1L/min
07 = 0.7L/min

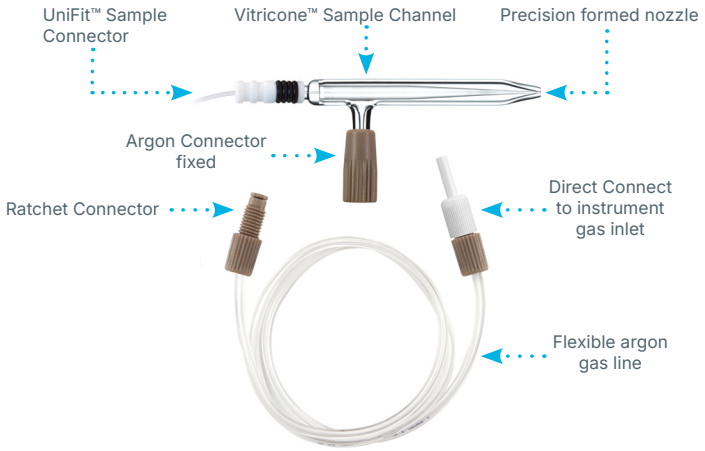
UM — Nebulizer model type
e.g. UM = MicroMist U-Series

- **UC** = Conikal U-Series
- **US** = Slurry U-Series
- **UM** = MicroMist U-Series
- **CV** = Ceramic Veespray V-Groove
- **DM** = DuraMist HF Resistant
- **USS** = SeaSpray U-Series
- **PFA** = OpalMist PFA HF Resistant

04 — Self-aspirated uptake rate at nominal argon flow in mL/min for all concentric nebulizers
e.g. 04 = 0.4mL/min
1 = 1mL/min
04S = 0.4mL/min with 1,500mm tubing

DC Nebulizers

The DC (Direct Connection) nebulizer has a UniFit sample connector which slides easily over the sample arm and an argon connector configured to connect directly to your ICP.



Benefits:

- Made from constant bore thick walled tubing (VitriCone)
- Machined exterior provides proper aerodynamics
- Zero dead volume sample connection
- Inert metal-free argon connector
- ICP model specific Direct Connect (DC) argon line
- Ratchet fitting ensures leak-free gas connection
- Direct plug-in gas line connection to instrument
- Lowest internal dead volume for rapid washout

DC versions of the SeaSpray, MicroMist, Conikal, Slurry, DuraMist, OpalMist and VeeSpray nebulizers are available to suit the most common models of ICP-OES and ICP-MS.

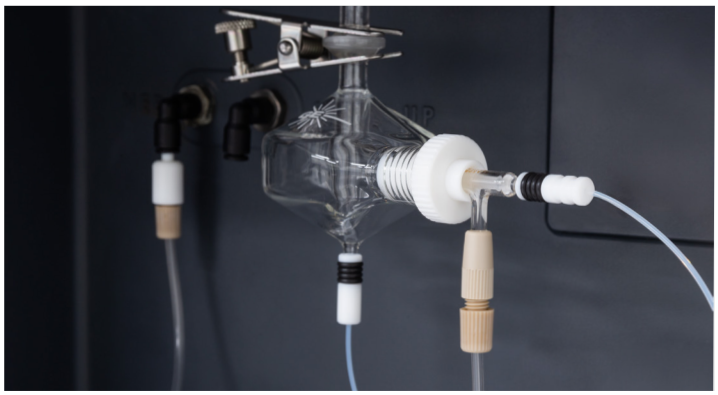
The DC nebulizer part number has a prefix specific to each type of gas connector. For example, the prefix "A13-" denotes a connector for the Agilent® 5000 ICP-OES Series, so part number A13-07-USS2 is a SeaSpray nebulizer configured for direct connection to the Agilent® 5000 Series.

In addition to these unique benefits, the DC nebulizer shares the following benefits with the U-Series nebulizer:

- **Resists blockage:** The sample channel is uniform from the entry point to the tip, so there is nowhere for particulates to be trapped.
- **Fast washout:** Precision bore sample channel maintains lowest dead volume, providing the fastest possible washout.
- **Simple to use:** Our innovative UniFit connector slides easily over the sample arm and creates an excellent seal.
- **Full length VitriCone construction:** In the VitriCone design, the sample channel is formed from heavy-wall, precision-bore capillary machined to extremely tight tolerances, resulting in a uniform channel that resists clogging and provides high analytical precision.

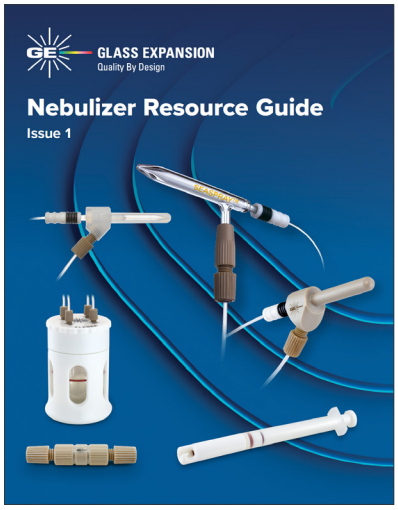
Quartz SeaSpray DC Nebulizer

The Quartz SeaSpray DC nebulizer is made from ultra pure quartz and offers outstanding nebulization efficiency for trace level analyses. It offers freedom from clogging while nebulizing solutions to the limit of solubility of most mineral salts, and conferring significant sensitivity gains. It is specifically designed for ultra trace level analysis.



Nebulizer Resource Guide

Whether your ICP laboratory is analyzing clean aqueous samples, samples containing HF and/or high dissolved salts, or volatile organic solvents, Glass Expansion has a nebulizer to suit your needs. Discover everything you need to know about nebulizers with our all-in-one comprehensive Nebulizer Resource Guide.



Click here to view the Nebulizer Resource Guide

DC Nebulizer Gas Fitting Connectors

Manufacturer	Model	P/N Prefix	Gas Line Included	
Agilent Technologies®	4100/4200	MP11-	70-803-0969	
Agilent Technologies®	Vista/700-ES	A11-	70-803-0969	
Agilent Technologies®	7700/7800/7850/7900/8800/8900	A13-	70-803-1105	
Agilent Technologies®	5000 Series	A13-	70-803-1105	
Analytik Jena®	ICP-MS	A61-	70-803-2002	
Analytik Jena®	ICP-OES	A13-	70-803-1105	
Horiba® Jobin Yvon	All Models	A13-	70-803-1105	
Nu Instruments	ICP-MS	A51-	70-803-1858	
Nu Instruments	TOF-ICP-MS	A52-	70-803-2044	
PerkinElmer®	ICP-OES	A21-	70-803-1070	
PerkinElmer®	Elan/NexION 300/350	A22-	70-803-1049	
PerkinElmer®	NexION 1000, 1100, 2000, 2200, 5000	A23-	70-803-1449	
Shimadzu®	All Models	A41-	70-803-1311	
Spectro™	All Models	A21-	70-803-1070	
Standard BioTools™ (Fluidigm)	Helios	A21-	70-803-1070	
Thermo Scientific™	PRO, 6000/7000, Q/RQ/TQ/RQ Plus, X-Series & Neoma	A31-	70-803-1105	
Thermo Scientific™	MX Series	A13-	70-803-1105	
Thermo Scientific™	Neptune	A11-	70-803-0969	

Learn About Glass Expansion Nebulizers

All Glass Expansion concentric nebulizers use the unique VitriCone™ construction delivering the best possible precision.

Benefits:

- Inert metal-free argon connector.
- Instrument-specific Direct Connect flexible argon line.
- Reliable ratchet fitting ensures leak-free gas connection.

DC versions of the SeaSpray, MicroMist, Conikal, Slurry, DuraMist, OpalMist and VeeSpray nebulizers are available to suit the most common models of ICP-OES and ICP-MS.

Nexus™ Universal Nebulizer Connection Kit

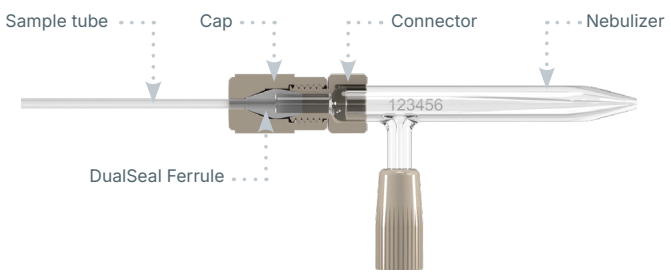
The Nexus™ Universal Connection Kit is a one-size-fits-all nebulizer connection kit which enables you to use any of Glass Expansion's industry-leading concentric nebulizers* with the sample introduction configuration of your choice, including switching valves, chromatographs (LC, HPLC, IC, etc.), and other high-performance accessories:

- **Switching Valves:** Simple and reliable custom-length connections to all high-throughput valve or syringe-drive systems.
- **Speciation Analysis:** Zero-dead-volume and secure, direct connection for hyphenated techniques, such as LC-ICP-MS, HPLC-ICP-MS, IC-ICP-MS, and FFF-ICP-MS.
- **High-Efficiency Sample Introduction System (HE-SIS):** Connect to Glass Expansion's HE-SIS, which provides up to 95% transport efficiency for a variety of applications.
- **High-Precision Analysis:** Create a high-pressure seal when performing self-aspiration for the most stable sample uptake and delivery.

These easy-to-install kits are completely inert and configured for 1.6 mm (1/16") OD tubing, with PTFE ferrules that reliably seal with all commonly used capillary tubing materials, such as PFA, PTFE, FEP and PEEK. They provide a secure, zero-dead-volume direct connection to the liquid interface of a Glass Expansion nebulizer.

Nexus™ Universal Nebulizer Connection Kits	
Nexus™ Universal Connection Kit for all Glass Concentric U-Series or DC nebulizers	FT-16-8
Nexus™ Universal Connection Kit for Inert nebulizers	FT-16-8-X

P/N FT-16-8



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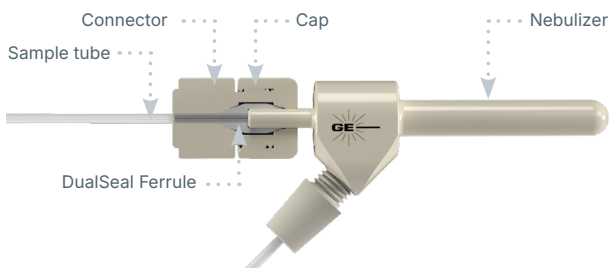

*The Nexus™ Universal Connection Kit is designed for U-Series (ARG) and DC (A##) nebulizers. It is not compatible with the older EzyFit (AR##) nebulizers.

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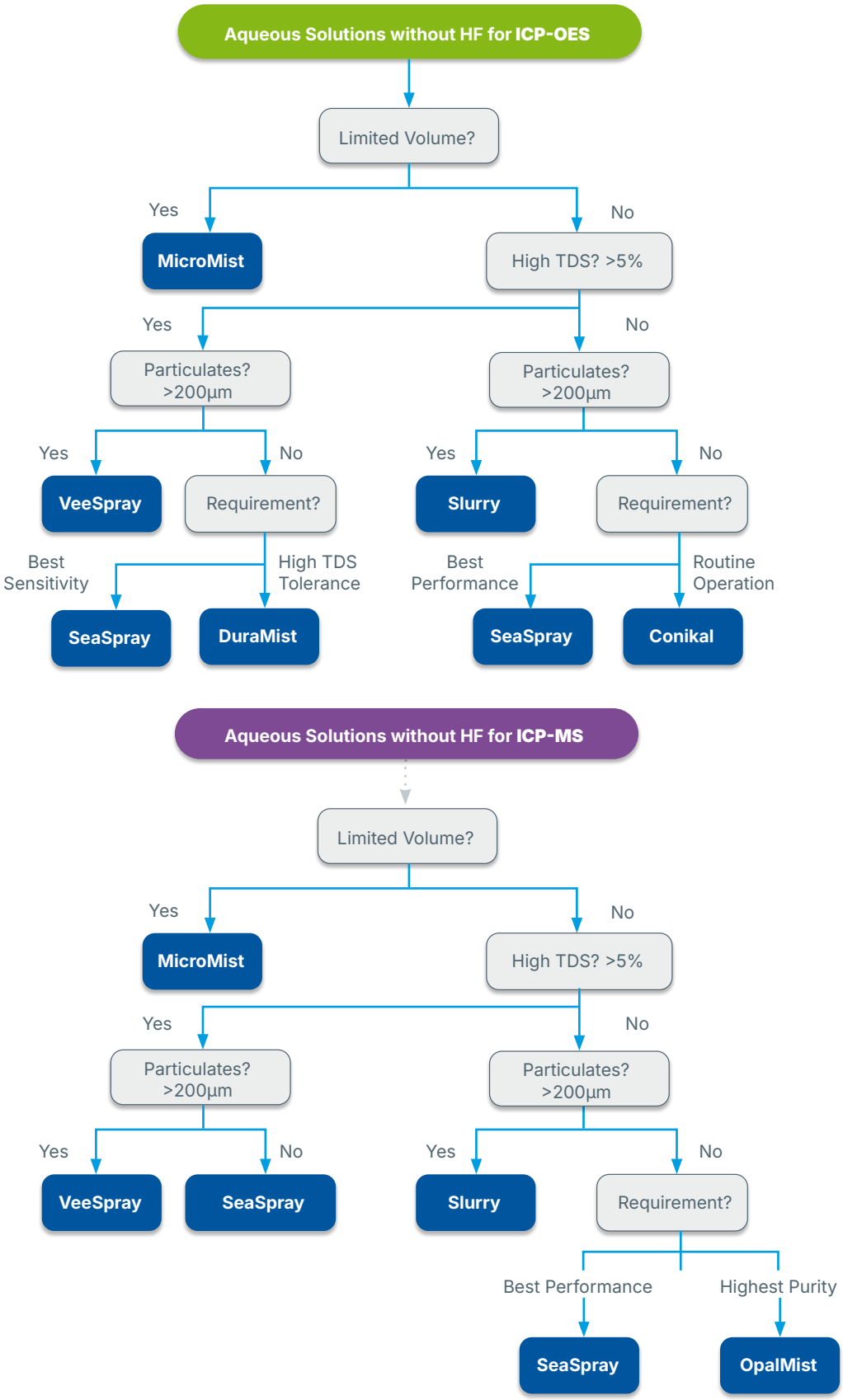

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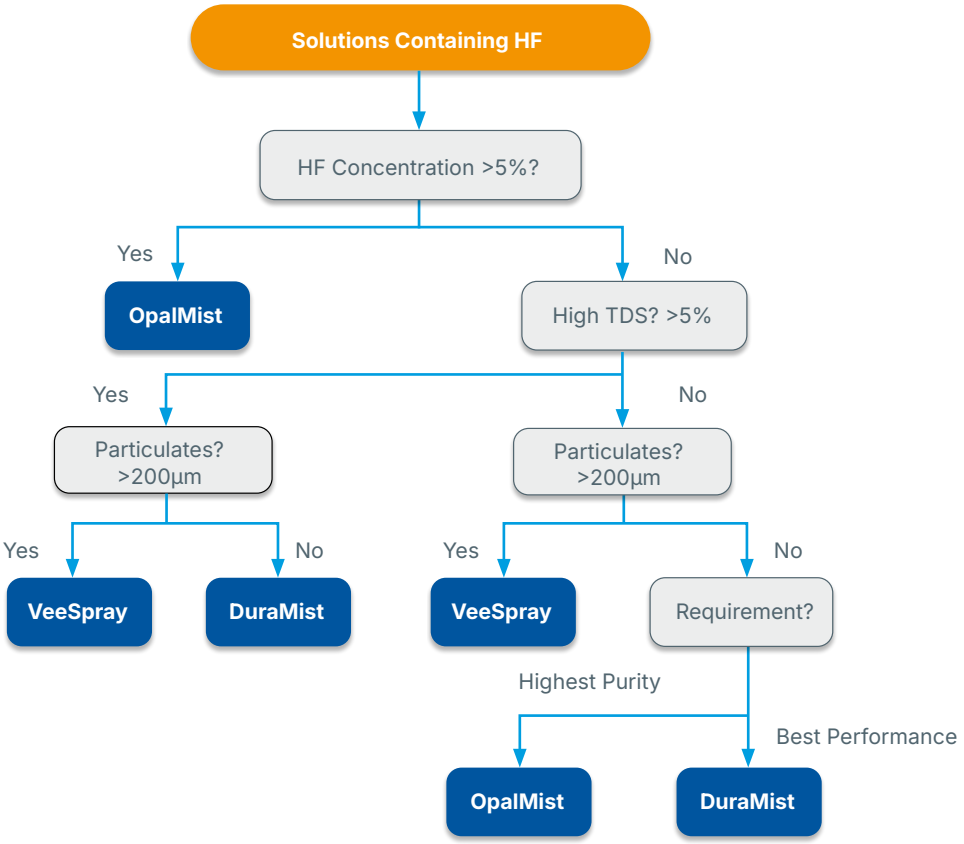
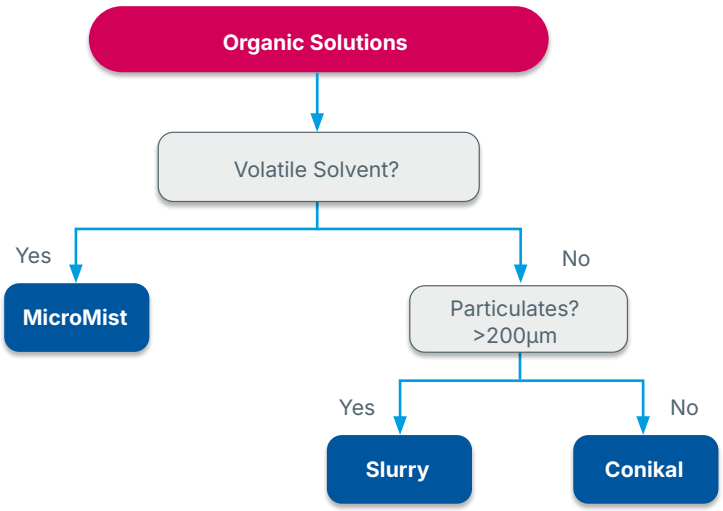


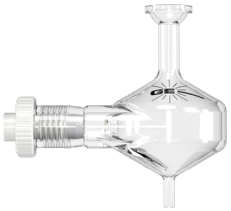


Introduction to Glass Expansion Spray Chambers

The spray chamber is a crucial component of the ICP sample introduction system since it has a profound effect on transport efficiency, precision, and washout. Glass Expansion revolutionized the spray chamber design for the ICP industry with the Tracey and Twister cyclonic spray chamber, providing improved efficiency and reduced washout. Glass Expansion's unique Helix CT nebulizer interface, provides a zero dead volume seal that results in higher throughput compared to non-Glass Expansion designs.

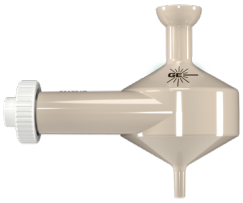
Spray Chamber Types

NEW Tracey™ BC



Internal Volume, mL:	30
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	No
Precision:	Excellent
Purity:	Good
Material:	Glass

NEW Tracey™ BC PEEK



Internal Volume, mL:	30
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	Yes
Precision:	Excellent
Purity:	Good
Material:	PEEK

Tracey™

Internal Volume, mL:	50
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	No
Precision:	Very Good
Purity:	Good
Material:	Glass

Tracey™ TFE

Internal Volume, mL:	50
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	Yes
Precision:	Good
Purity:	Good
Material:	PTFE

Twister™

Internal Volume, mL:	50
Internal Baffle:	Yes
HF-resistant:	No
Precision:	Excellent
Purity:	Good
Material:	Glass

Twister™ TFE

Internal Volume, mL:	50
Internal Baffle:	Yes
HF-resistant:	Yes
Precision:	Very Good
Purity:	Good
Material:	PTFE

Cinnabar™

Internal Volume, mL:	20
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	No
Precision:	Very Good
Purity:	Good
Material:	Glass

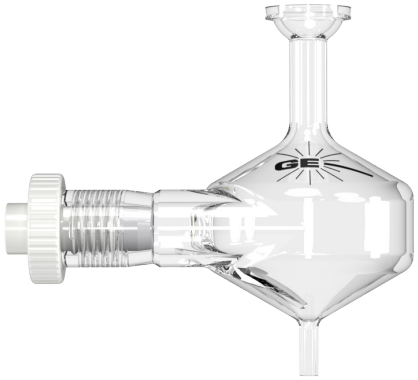
Tracey™ PFA44

Internal Volume, mL:	44
Internal Baffle:	No
HF-resistant:	Yes
Precision:	Good
Purity:	Excellent
Material:	PFA

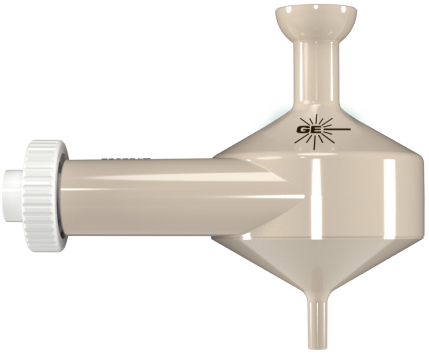
Twinnabar™

Internal Volume, mL:	20
Internal Baffle:	Yes
HF-resistant:	No
Precision:	Very Good
Purity:	Good
Material:	Glass

NEW High Efficiency Tracey™ BC Spray Chambers



Tracey™ BC Spray Chamber



Tracey™ BC PEEK Spray Chamber

The **High Efficiency Tracey™ BC Spray Chamber** is engineered to deliver exceptional analytical performance with simplified operation and long-term reliability. Its advanced cyclonic design and precision manufacturing ensure superior washout, excellent precision, and wide compatibility across a range of ICP-OES models.

Features of the Tracey™ BC Spray Chamber:

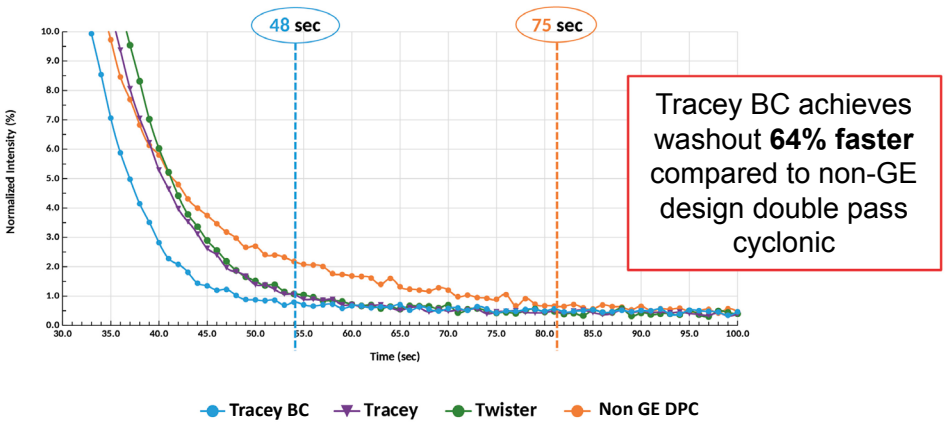
- **No O-Rings:** Reduces washout times and eliminates frequent replacements due to wear.
- **Excellent Precision:** Short-term noise on average 0.5% or better providing excellent repeatability and stability.
- **Cost-Effective Solution:** More affordable than traditional glass spray chambers, offering long-term savings without compromising quality.
- **Efficient Washout:** 30mL low-volume cyclonic chamber with Helix CT™ technology for improved performance.
- **Wide compatibility:** Fits most common ICP-OES models with E-Torch, D-Torch, and SDT/FDT. The Tracey BC spray chamber design is available in Glass, PEEK, PFA and Quartz.

The **Tracey BC™ PEEK Spray Chamber** combines the proven performance of the Tracey design with the durability and chemical resistance of PEEK construction. Engineered for demanding analytical environments, this spray chamber delivers outstanding HF resistance, superior wetting, and consistent precision without the need for internal surface treatments.

Features of the Tracey™ BC PEEK Spray Chamber:

- **HF Resistance:** With resistance up to 5%
- **Superior Wetting:** PEEK material maintains excellent wetting properties with routine laboratory cleaning.
- **Elegant Design:** Lightweight and compact, eliminating the need for additional spray chamber brackets.
- **No Internal Surface Treatment:** Unlike PTFE or PFA, this spray chamber requires no internal surface treatment while maintaining excellent precision.

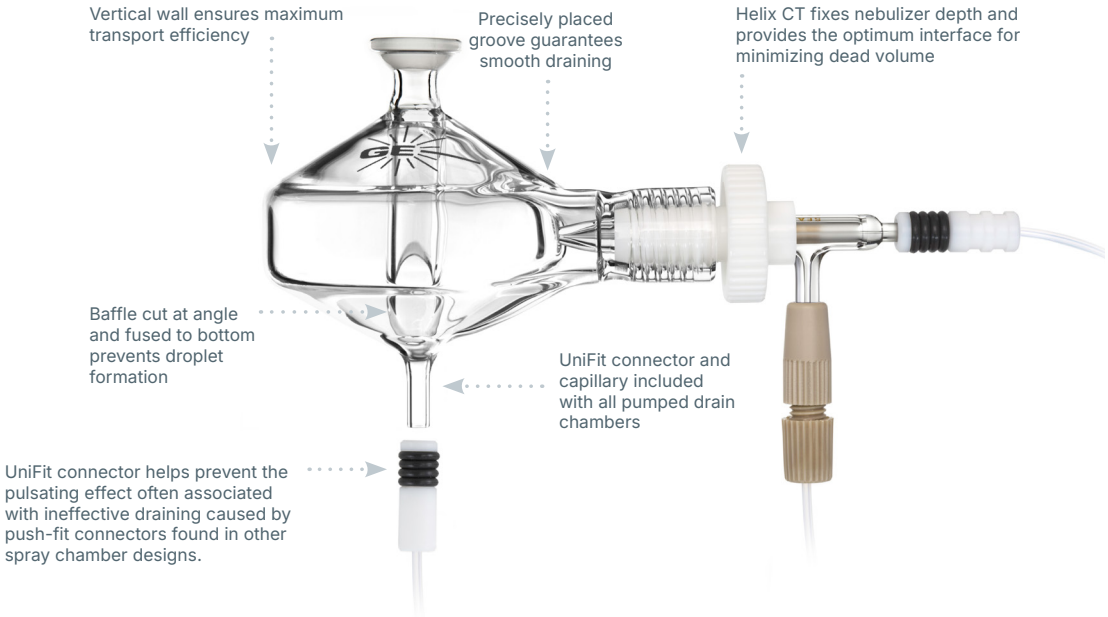
Washout Profiles for 1 ppm Hg:



Tracey BC achieves washout **64% faster** compared to non-GE design double pass cyclonic

Enhance your analytical workflow with a spray chamber designed for reliability, efficiency, and cost savings. Experience the benefits of **High Efficiency Tracey™ BC Spray Chamber!**

Helix CT™ - The Modern Interface Between Nebulizer and Spray Chamber



Traditionally, ICP-OES and ICP-MS sample introduction systems have relied on o-rings to form a gas-tight seal between the nebulizer and spray chamber. There are several drawbacks with an o-ring seal, such as:

- Potential for contamination due to dead volume around the o-ring seal.
- Chemical resistivity of strong acids and organic solvents.
- Even the most chemically resistant O-rings are prone to wear and tear and require regular replacement, which is time-consuming and often requires the use of tools.
- Bonding to the nebulizer can result in breakage.

Glass Expansion Helix CT spray chamber with ConstantTorque™ technology, provides a constant, reproducible, inert, gas-tight seal between the nebulizer and spray chamber.

The main feature of the Helix CT spray chamber is the **Helix locking screw with built-in torque control mechanism** that allows for a consistent seal of the PTFE ferrule against the nebulizer –making it impossible to overtighten or undertighten while ensuring a gas-tight seal each and every time.

A PressFit PTFE ferrule provides a chemically inert seal around the nebulizer, which is immune to strong acids and organic solvents routinely used in ICP sample preparation.

The Helix CT cyclonic spray chamber by Glass Expansion, therefore, eliminates all the drawbacks of the o-ring nebulizer seal, while improving user safety by preventing broken nebulizers.

Helix CT nebulizer interface is also simple to use:

- Fully insert the nebulizer into the Helix CT interface, until the nebulizer side-arm comes into contact with the molded-in positive stop.
- Hand-tighten the Helix CT locking screw until the ConstantTorque mechanism clicks, indicating a secure, gas-tight seal.

Glass Expansion equips all of its cyclonic spray chambers with the Helix CT interface as standard.

Part Number	Description
70-803-1439	Helix CT Locking Screw with Seal
70-803-1456	Helix CT Seal (PKT. 4)

HydraMist™ Simultaneous Cold Vapor/Pneumatic Nebulization Spray Chamber

The Glass Expansion HydraMist is a sensitive, simple-to-use spray chamber for Inductively Coupled Plasma (ICP) that allows simultaneous operation of both conventional pneumatic nebulization and cold-vapor/hydride generation. Cold vapor generation can provide more than 10-fold improvement in sensitivity on ICP for cold vapor forming elements such As, Sb, Se, and Hg. The generation of volatile species of these elements results in increased analyte loading of the analytical plasma giving lower detection limits.

The design of the HydraMist spray chamber is based upon Glass Expansion's industry-standard cyclonic spray chamber, giving excellent sensitivity and short-term analytical precision with fast washout. The HydraMist spray chamber features a secondary inlet port that mixes the aerosolized sample and liquid reductant inside the spray chamber for rapid conversion of the As, Sb, Se, and Hg analytes into volatile hydride species. The unique drain design ensures fast, complete removal of waste from the spray chamber, eliminating excess hydrogen build-up that causes sample reflux degrading analytical precision.

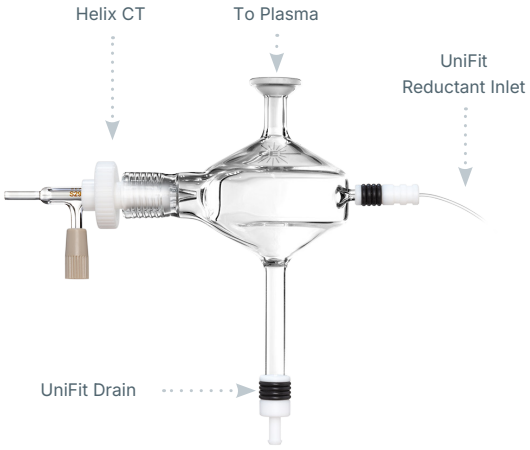
The HydraMist Spray Chamber Features:

- The same outstanding short-term analytical precision and washout as other Glass Expansion cyclonic spray chambers
- Fast and complete vapor phase formation of volatile As, Se, Sb, and Hg species for the best detection limits in hydride generation mode
- A unique drain design to eliminate hydrogen build-up and sample reflux that degrades short-term precision
- Economic, just replace your current spray chamber and keep your existing nebulizer
- Improve productivity by analysing non-hydride forming elements and cold vapor elements simultaneously, avoiding system shutdowns to change over between the hydride generator accessory and conventional pneumatic nebulization

HydraMist Kit	
Agilent® 5000 ICP-OES Series	KT-1157
Analytik Jena® PQ 9000	KT-1157
PerkinElmer® Avio 200/500	KT-1157
PerkinElmer® Avio with HTS system	KT-2742
PerkinElmer® Optima 8000/8300 DV	KT-1162
PerkinElmer® Optima 4000/5000/7000 DV	KT-1162
Shimadzu® ICPE 9000/9800	KT-1157
Spectro™ Arcos II SOP/EOP and Blue EOP/SOP	KT-1160
Thermo Scientific™ PRO	KT-1160
Thermo Scientific™ Duo 7600	KT-1156
Thermo Scientific™ Duo 6000/7200/7400	KT-1179

* Note: Nebulizer is not included in HydraMist Kit.

Simple Mode



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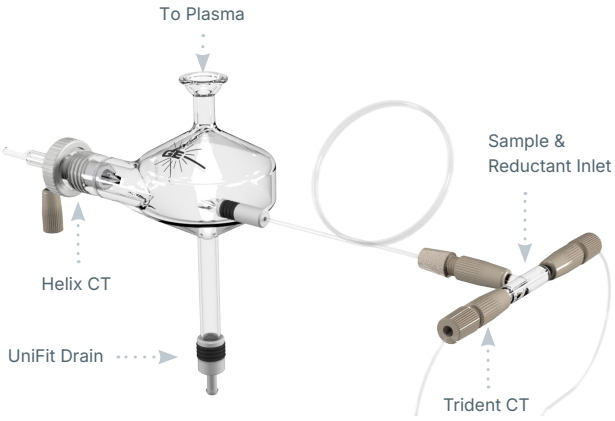

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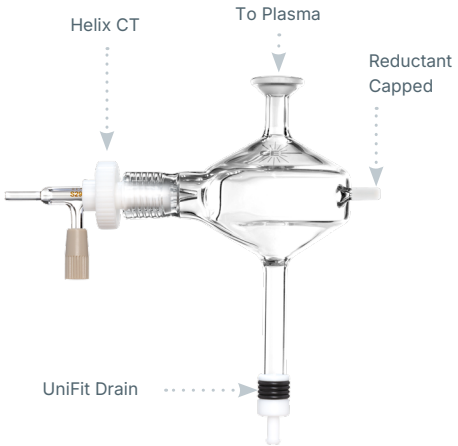

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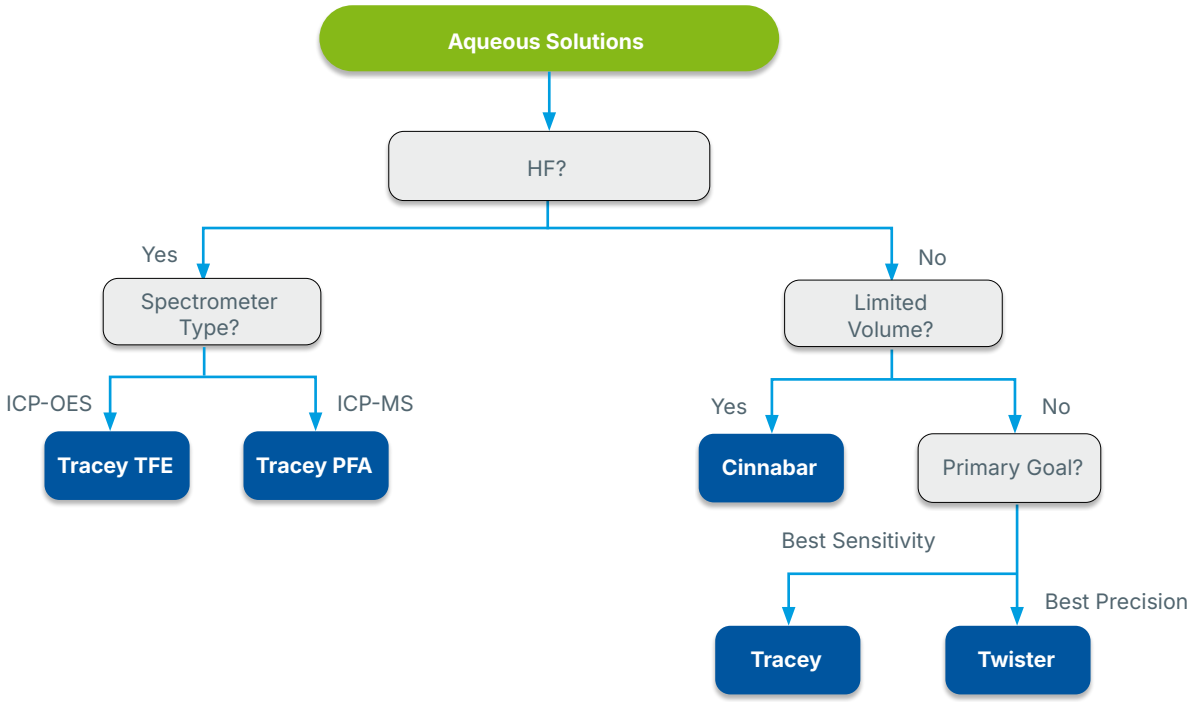
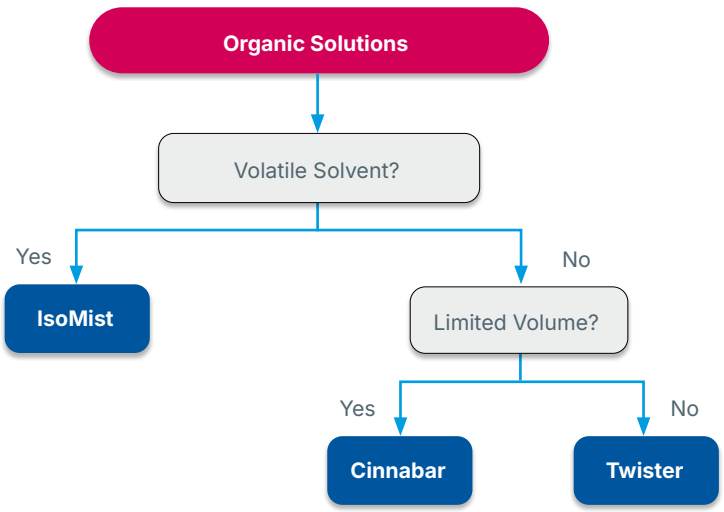




NEW E-Torch™

Engineered from advanced materials, the E-Torch™ delivers high performance and reliability, with precisely engineered inter-component geometry enhancing versatility across a wide range of sample types. Its interchangeable injectors (Quartz, Ceramic, Sapphire) and universal ball joint compatibility enable high adaptability. The optional all ceramic plasma tube supports HF, Organic and high TDS applications, while the demountable tube assembly simplifies maintenance and allows oven cleaning of carbon deposits, ensuring consistent analytical performance with reduced operating costs.

- **Made from Advanced Materials:** For exceptional chemical resistance and long-term durability.
- **Interchangeable Injectors:** Choose between Quartz, Ceramic, or Sapphire injectors for optimal performance across all sample types.
- **Universal Compatibility:** Connects seamlessly with standard ball joint spray chambers.
- **Performance You Can Trust:** Designed to maintain consistent analytical quality and reliability.
- **Precision Annular Spacing:** Superior control of the annular spacing which is critical to plasma stability.
- **All Ceramic Plasma Tube (Optional):** For HF, Organic and high TDS sample applications.
- **Simplified Maintenance:** The inner and outer tube assembly allows for simplified cleaning and oven removal of carbon deposits, reducing downtime and running costs.

Semi Demountable Torch

- Highly accurate construction
- Lower running cost than one-piece torches

Usually comprises a quartz torch body, a torch adaptor, an injector and GazFit connectors. All these parts are replaceable, making the semi demountable torch more cost effective than the fixed quartz torch. The design of the torch for standard analyses and HF analyses is the same, with only the injector material changing. For aqueous and organics analyses use a quartz injector, while for HF analyses use an alumina injector. Hence simply interchange between quartz and alumina injectors for appropriate analyses. Several internal diameters for both quartz and alumina injectors are also available.

Fixed Quartz Torches (One Piece)

- Precise quartz construction
- Wide range held in stock
- Simple to use
- Lowest initial cost

RF Coils – more efficient energy transfer

Glass Expansion Coils are produced from the highest quality raw materials and plated using prescribed methods to obtain maximum RF (Radio Frequency) transmission efficiency. There are numerous papers published on RF transmission with regard to conductor and coating resistance.

The torch box environment is highly corrosive, causing bare copper to corrode quickly and accumulate buildup, reducing coil conductivity and increasing resistance. Copper is used as the base material of all commercially available coils but different manufactures use different plating materials. Silver has the best conductance and gold the best corrosion resistance. Many platers use brighteners for a shiny finish, but high-purity silver and gold result in a dull appearance. Glass Expansion uses high-purity metals and polishes coils after plating for smoothness and reduced resistance, also enhancing visual appeal.

Why Change your RF Coil?

- Regular replacement of corroded coils reduces the load on the RF generating system.
- Changing corroded coils increases energy transfer, resulting in a more robust plasma and generally higher analytical line intensities.

Advantages of Glass Expansion RF Coils

- High quality and consistent plating of our coils promotes extended coil life.
- Each coil is supplied on a plastic former ensuring correct dimensions and easier installation.
- Each coil is supplied in a special protective container to ensure correct dimensions are maintained, and the coil arrives corrosion free.
- Optimal alignment of the RF coil mitigates outer tube devitrification.

Glass Expansion Installation Kits for RF Coils

- Incorrect alignment of the torch in the coil will dramatically reduce torch life. The Glass Expansion Installation Kits help ensure correct alignment and maximum torch life.
- Correct alignment of the RF Coil with respect to the torch body reduces devitrification of the outer tube.
- Re-usable alignment tools are available separately to ensure correct installation of the coil every time.
- Our easy to follow Do-It-Yourself installation instructions save you time, and the cost of a service call.

All kits contain:

- An Installation Kit – Aligns coil to torch mounting bracket.
- Required Spanner/s – Designed specifically for each instrument.
- Do-It-Yourself instructions.

ICP-MS Cones

Our ICP-MS interface cones are made from ultra-pure metals sourced from specialty smelters. Our highly experienced machinists use state-of-the-art CNC machines and electron beam welding, which offer precise control, deep penetration, and minimal heat-affected zones compared to other welding techniques, to provide cones with the finest tolerances for the highest quality.

We supply cones for all of the popular ICP-MS models and, to make sure you get all the support you need, we have a staff of technical experts and a fully equipped ICP-MS laboratory for testing and evaluation.

Satisfaction guarantee:

We guarantee our products to meet or exceed performance expectations.

Refurbishment:

Extend the life of your platinum cones with our refurbishment program. In many cases, a platinum cone can be refurbished multiple times and its lifetime greatly extended.

Platinum reclaim:

If your platinum cone cannot be refurbished, we will provide a rebate for the value of platinum in the cone.

ConeGuard

The ConeGuard Thread Protector protects the cone thread from corrosive cleaning solutions and greatly extends cone life.

ICP-MS Cone Resource Guide

Our ICP-MS Cone Resource Guide answers all the questions you ever had about cones. It includes the “why” and “how” of selecting the right cones, details on the advantages of different cone materials, and tips on care and maintenance.

Includes:

- About Glass Expansion ICP-MS Cones
- Platinum Cone Refurbishing
- Cone Material Guidelines
- Cones by ICP Model
- Cone Conditioning, Gasket & O-ring replacement guidelines
- Cone Maintenance

Click here to view the ICP-MS Cone Resource Guide.

IsoMist™ Programmable Temperature Spray Chamber

The IsoMist programmable temperature controlled cyclonic spray chamber now features an improved thermodynamic design providing an extended temperature range and faster cool-down, so your ICP is ready to go sooner.

The IsoMist is a compact, convenient and maintenance-free temperature controlled sample introduction system for all ICP's.

Improved Analytical Stability with Precise Temperature Control

On the IsoMist, the spray chamber temperature is accurately controlled through an improved thermodynamic design using a multi-stage peltier device. The spray chamber temperature is settable in 1°C increments from -25°C to 80°C guaranteeing optimum conditions can be used for any application.

Reduce Oxide Interferences in ICP-MS

Using the IsoMist spray chamber at sub-ambient temperatures on an ICP-MS, the sample is cooled, less water vapor is transferred to the plasma resulting in lower oxide formation and reduced polyatomic (ArO, ArOH) interferences. Less oxides in the plasma mean fewer interferences, improving accuracy and detection limits.

Perfect for Naphtha and Gasoline Analysis

For volatile solvents, a lower sample introduction temperature reduces nebulization efficiency avoiding quenching of the plasma from solvent over-loading. With a minimum operating temperature of -25°C, analyzing volatile organic solvents such as naphtha and gasoline by ICP is even easier.

Improve Analytical Stability with Constant Spray Chamber Temperature

Fluctuations in the lab temperature affect sample viscosity and nebulization efficiency. Maintaining the sample introduction system at a constant and stable temperature improves analytical reproducibility, enhances throughput and lowers operating costs by reducing the need to re-run samples when a check standard drifts outside the acceptable upper or lower limits.

Elevated Sample Introduction Temperatures Enhances Sensitivity

The sensitivity for many analyses can be enhanced by operating the spray chamber at elevated temperatures - especially important for limited sample volumes. Heating the spray chamber also helps with the analysis of viscous samples such as lubricants and edible oils.

A Spray Chamber Optimized for Analytical Performance

The IsoMist incorporates a proven cyclonic spray chamber design in glass, quartz and HF resistant PFA with Helix CT interface. Compared to a Scott type spray chamber, cyclonic spray chambers are more sensitive and have better washout. The IsoMist includes the Helix CT nebulizer interface, which eliminates sample contamination and ensures easy nebulizer removal for routine nebulizer cleaning. The Helix CT nebulizer interface also has zero dead volume, reducing carry-over and improving washout between samples. With a positive stop built-in, Helix CT ensures correct and reproducible nebulizer insertion depth for constant nebulizer performance.

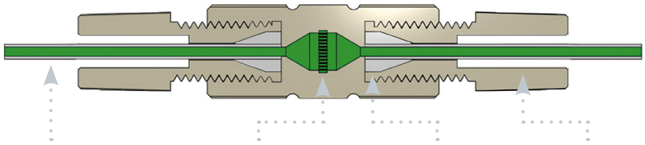
Easy to Use Software

For maximum convenience, the IsoMist can be controlled from a PC via USB or Bluetooth wireless interface. The spray chamber temperature can be monitored during an analytical run with time vs temperature plot on your PC screen.

Elegant, Ergonomic and Compact

The IsoMist is an elegant, compact, stand-alone system manufactured from materials resistant to attack from acids and solvents commonly used in ICP analysis. By using a peltier to maintain the spray chamber temperature, the messy, noisy and high-maintenance refrigerated circulating baths used with jacketed spray chambers has been eliminated. The compact design means all IsoMist Programmable Temperature Controlled Spray Chambers are compatible with virtually any ICP-OES or ICP-MS.

Guardian™ In-Line Sample Filter



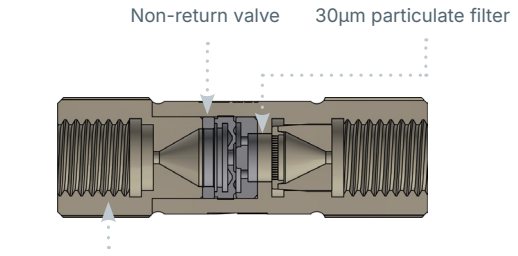
If there are particulates in your samples, there is a risk that they may get trapped in the narrow bore sample tubing or within the nebulizer. The Guardian In-Line Sample Filter provides a simple and effective way to eliminate this risk. This filter is easily inserted in the sample tubing between the autosampler probe and the nebulizer. It incorporates a 120 micron PolyComb filter and is suitable for use with 1/16 inch (1.6mm) OD or 1.3mm OD sample tubing.

The purpose-built clog-resistant design is ideal for ICP samples. Unlike sintered or frit style filters, the linear honeycomb structure makes the PolyComb filter resistant to clogging from particulates. Any particle build-up is easily removed by back-flushing using the Eluo Adaptor 70-803-1160. And the PEEK material is suitable for use with all of the most common ICP solutions.

Eluo Adaptor For In-Line Filter

Guardian In-Line Sample Filter	
In-Line Filter	70-803-1108
Eluo Adaptor for In-Line Filter	70-803-1160
Replacement Viton O-rings for Eluo Adaptor (PKT 10)	70-V-009
Fitting Seal 1/16 (PKT 10)	70-803-0749
Fitting Seal 1.3mm (PKT 10)	70-803-0748
Ratchet Connector	70-803-1350

Guardian™ In-Line Non-Return Gas Filter



The new Guardian In-line Non-Return Gas Filter provides protection for your ICP system in two ways:

1. A non-return valve prevents acidified sample or rinse solution syphoning into the instrument gas box.
2. 30µm PolyComb filter protects the nebulizer from particulates in the instrument gas supply.

The Guardian In-line Non-Return Gas Filter is positioned between the Argon inlet on the Direct Connection nebulizer and the gas supply fitting on the instrument. The In-line Non-Return Filter has a one-way valve that allows argon to flow from the instrument into the nebulizer, but prevents liquid syphoning into the instrument. A unique PolyComb 30µm filter design protects the nebulizer from particulates from the gas supply or from worn or damaged fittings in the gas lines. Unlike Sintered or Frit style filters, the linear honeycomb structure makes PolyComb most resistant to particulate and dissolved solid clogging.

Syphoning of the sample or rinse solution into the nebulizer argon control module on your ICP can occur at the end of an analytical run when the nebulizer gas pressure is turned off and there is liquid in the sample flow path. It is made worse if the autosampler probe stays in the rinse position at the end of a run.

An overlooked issue when using an autosampler for unattended overnight runs is its potential to silently and invisibly damage your ICP instrument. Acidified solution in the instrument's argon control module can corrode electronic sensors in mass flow controllers and damage regulators, leading to costly repairs and unplanned downtime.

*The Guardian non-return valve is intended for use with gas lines only.

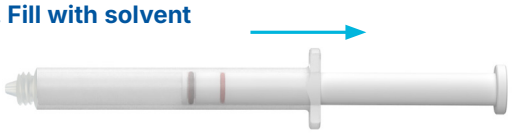
Guardian In-Line Non-Return Gas Filter	
Guardian DC In-Line Non-Return Gas Filter	70-803-1942
Guardian In-Line Non-Return Gas Filter	70-803-1362

*Choose P/N 70-803-1942 if using a DC nebulizer model.

Eluo™ Nebulizer Cleaning Tool

As easy as 1, 2, 3

1. Fill with solvent



2. Attach barrel and insert nebulizer

3. Clean nebulizer

Particle build-up in a nebulizer capillary and tip causes sample flow to be constricted, reducing nebulizer efficiency and performance. Now, blocked nebulizers can be safely and easily restored to optimum performance with a revolutionary cleaning instrument – the Eluo.

The Eluo is designed to efficiently deliver a cleanser through the nebulizer capillary to dislodge particle build-up and thoroughly clean the nebulizer. One simple action does it all. No more messy procedures or shattered nebulizers in ultrasonic baths. Use the Eluo regularly to maintain nebulizer performance and prolong nebulizer life. Every lab should have an Eluo.

The Eluo can also be conveniently used to clean the In-Line Particle Filter P/N 70-803-1108 with the addition of Adaptor P/N 70-803-1160.

We have found that using a dilute concentration of Fluka RBS-25 (manufactured by Sigma-Aldrich, and is available from most suppliers of laboratory chemicals) is the best cleaning solution. Stubborn clogs may require an overnight soak or additional cleaning with nitric acid.

Eluo Nebulizer Cleaning Tool	
Eluo for Glass concentric Nebulizers	70-ELUO
Eluo HF for OpalMist or DuraMist	70-ELUO-OPD
Eluo Barrel	703-0058
Eluo Plunger	70-703-0070
Eluo HF Nebulizer Holder	70-803-0932
Eluo Nebulizer Holder for Glass concentric Nebulizers	70-703-0069
Eluo Adaptor for In-Line Filter	70-803-1160
O-ring Kit for Eluo (2 sets)	70-0806

Elegra™ Argon Humidifier

Click here to view the Elegra™ Landing page and ordering information.

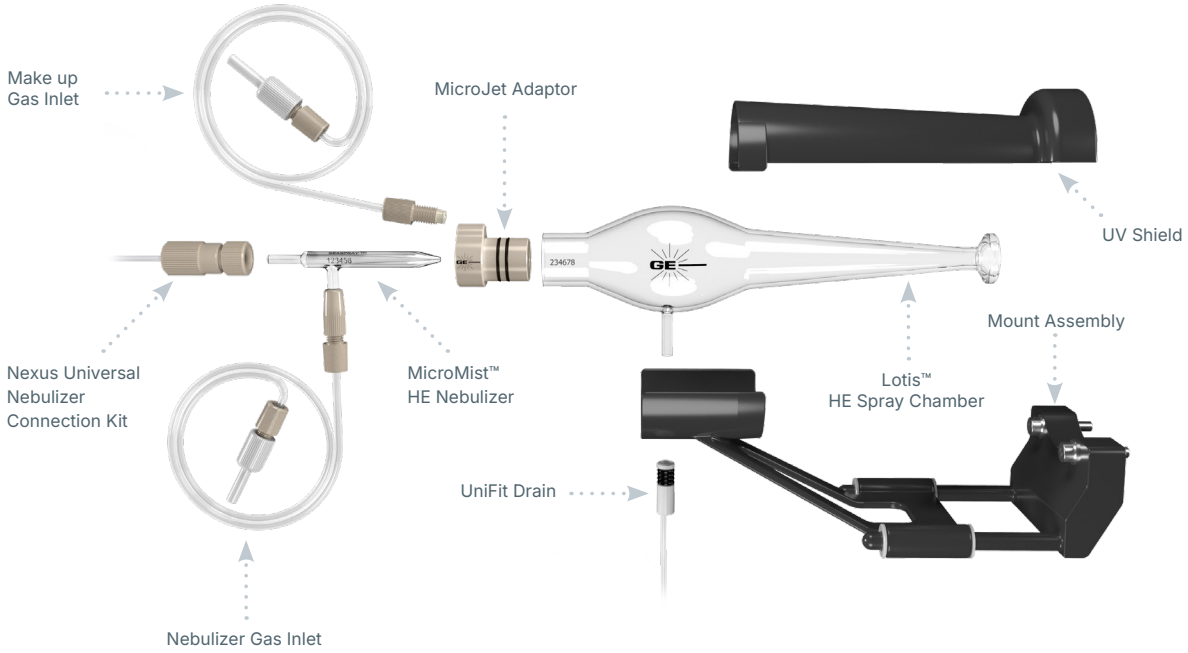
An Argon Humidifier is commonly used in ICP analyses involving samples with high concentrations of dissolved solids. It helps to alleviate salt deposits in the nebulizer and torch injector, allowing uninterrupted and maintenance-free operation.

- Compact, cost-effective design.
- No heating or electric power required.
- Non-pressurized water reservoir.
- An easy-to-use bypass switch allows you to take the Elegra off-line without disconnecting argon lines. (Not available with Elegra Dual)
- Highly efficient membrane humidification technology.
- Improved signal stability for samples with high TDS.
- Simple to install, use and maintain.
- Improves productivity by reducing down-time for cleaning.
- Inert metal-free construction eliminates contamination.
- Maximum and minimum fill marks ensure that you are always operating under optimum conditions.
- Compatible with all ICP-OES and ICP-MS models. Direct connection to argon outlet provided for most models.
- Elegra Dual configuration available for ICP-MS instruments using auxiliary argon.

Elegra Argon Humidifier	
O-ring for Capricorn or Elegra Cap (PKT 3)	70-V-225
Elegra Stand	70-803-1581
Elegra Membrane	70-803-1286
Elegra Reservoir	70-803-1257

High Efficiency Sample Introduction System (HE-SIS)

Originally designed as a highly efficient single-cell sample introduction system, Glass Expansion's HE-SIS has been redesigned to provide superior performance across a wide variety of applications, including single-cell, single particle, nanoparticle, and low-volume sample studies, with up to 95% transport efficiency.



Key HE-SIS Components

MicroMist™ High Efficiency (HE) Nebulizer

This specially designed concentric glass nebulizer is based on our popular MicroMist design, capable of efficiently nebulizing limited sample volumes at low sample and argon gas flow rates.

Patent-pending MicroJet™ Gas Adaptor

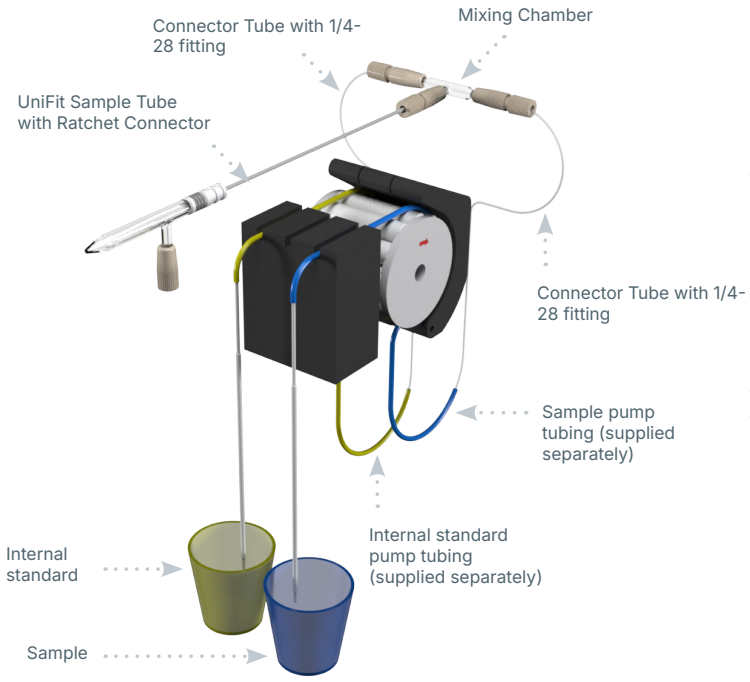
Our patent-pending MicroJet gas adaptor shapes the nebulizer aerosol plume to reduce sample deposition on the spray chamber walls and enhance transport efficiency.

Lotis™ High Efficiency (HE) Spray Chamber

The Lotis HE spray chamber directly couples to the ICP-MS torch, providing the highest transport efficiency and excellent washout between samples.

High Efficiency Sample Introduction System	
Agilent® ICP-MS	KT-1155
Analytik Jena® PlasmaQuant MS	KT-2747
PerkinElmer® NexION 1000/2000/2200/5000	KT-1184
PerkinElmer® NexION 300/350	KT-1204
Thermo Scientific™ Q/RQ/TQ ICP-MS	KT-1172
Thermo Scientific™ Neoma MC-ICP-MS	KT-1172
Thermo Scientific™ X Series	KT-1213
Thermo Scientific™ Neptune/Element	KT-1215
TOFWERK icpTOF	KT-1172
Nu ATTOM	KT-1205
Nu Instruments® Vitesse TOF-ICP-MS	KT-1219

Trident CT™ In-Line Reagent Additions Kits



Internal standards are often used in ICP Spectrometry to improve stability. The internal standardization process involves the addition of a known concentration of a particular element to every sample and can be a very time-consuming procedure. The Glass Expansion Trident Kits allow the internal standard to be automatically mixed with each sample during sample introduction, saving considerable sample preparation time.

The Trident CT mixing chamber is based on the industry-proven design of the Trident, but with the addition of Glass Expansion's ConstantTorque (CT) to provide a simple-to-use, leak-free connection for both the internal standard and sample, every time.

The heart of the kit is the mixing chamber, designed with zero dead volume CT fittings. With other mixing chambers, worn or improperly fitted connections leak, inject a stream of air bubbles into the nebulizer flow, degrading short-term analytical precision (%RSD). By using CT ratchet-style fittings, the Trident CT eliminates air leaks, optimizing analytical performance.

The Trident CT features:

- Compact, efficient mixing chamber ensures complete mixing of the sample and reagent.
- CT fittings for a durable, leak-free seal on all connections.
- Zero dead volume connections.
- Completely modular so that damaged or lost components can easily be replaced.

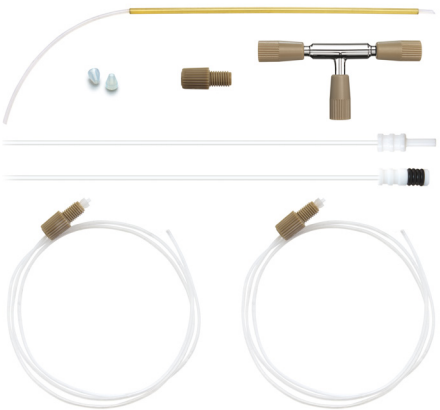
Check the Trident Dilution Factor Calculator on our website to find out the sample and internal standard dilution factors for selected combinations of pump tubing.

The peristaltic pump tubing is not supplied as part of the Internal Standard Kit but can be ordered separately.

In-Line Reagent Additions Kits	
Trident CT In-Line Reagent Additions Kit	60-703-1179
Trident Internal Standard Kit for HF (original design)	60-808-1150

Click here to view the consumables for the Trident CT™ In-Line Reagent Additions Kits.

Trident CT In-Line Reagent Additions Kit for non-HF solutions:



Trident Internal Standard Kit for HF solutions:

Laser Ablation

P/N: 21-809-4309

P/N: 70-803-1600

P/N: 31-808-4034

P/N: 20-809-4550

P/N: 21-809-2801

P/N: 31-808-4289

P/N: 31-808-4107

P/N: 31-808-3863
OD: 4mm
ID: 2mm

S13 (13 mm) cup Adaptors

P/N: 31-800-1007
ID: 4mm

P/N: 21-809-4140

P/N: 21-809-0965C
OD: 6mm
ID: 4mm

P/N: 31-808-3045
OD: 4mm
ID: 2mm

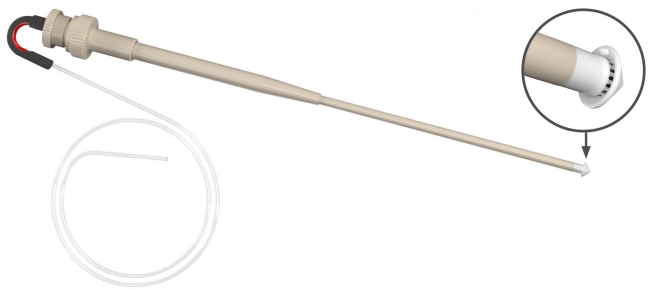
GazFit Connectors

GazFit Union Connectors (for rigid walled tubing)	
GazFit Union 4mm (PKT.2)	GAZ-04U
GazFit Union 6mm (PKT.2)	GAZ-06U
GazFit Union 8mm (PKT.2)	GAZ-08U

Standard GazFit Connectors (for soft walled tubing)	
GazFit Connectors for 4mm OD side arm (PKT.4)	GAZ-04
GazFit Connectors for 5mm OD side arm (PKT.4)	GAZ-05
GazFit Connectors for 6mm OD side arm (PKT.4)	GAZ-06
GazFit Connectors for 8mm OD arm (PKT.2)	GAZ-08
GazFit Connectors, 2 for 6mm OD side arms, 2 for 4mm OD side arms (PKT.4)	GAZ-0604
GazFit Connectors for 6mm OD side arm with connection for 1/8inch ID tubing (PKT.4)	GAZ-06-3.2B

Guardian™ Autosampler Probes

The unique design of the robust tip—which combines drip-resistance and built-in particle filtering—helps to prevent cross-contamination during probe movement and blockages in your nebulizer and capillary tubing. Constructed entirely from Ceramic, PEEK and PTFE, the Guardian autosampler probe also provides exceptional resistance to strong acids and solvents. The Guardian probe has an ID of 1.0mm, with interchangeable UniFit sample capillaries that are available in IDs of 0.3, 0.5, 0.75 and 1.0mm.



Benefits:

- Proprietary mechanical finish provides superior wetting characteristics.
- Robust tip design prevents crushed and damaged tips due to misalignment.
- Drip-resistance prevents cross contamination of samples, especially with oils.
- Built-in particle filtering holds back particulates from blocking the line.
- Completely inert design, Ceramic, PEEK and PTFE construction.
- Interchangeable UniFit™ sample lines available in various IDs (e.g. 0.3, 0.5, 0.75 & 1.0mm)
- Designed to suit Teledyne Cetac®, Agilent®, PerkinElmer®, Shimadzu®, Aim Lab, ESI and Thermo Fisher Scientific™ Autosamplers.

Guardian Probe with Connecting Line (Red)	
Guardian Probe for SPS3/SPS4/AIMS, 0.75mm	70-803-1957
Guardian Probe Cetac ASX-200/500/800, 0.75mm	70-803-1803
Guardian Probe Cetac ASX-7400, 7600 Series, 0.75mm	70-803-2940
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer S20 Series, 0.75mm	70-803-2097
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer S10, 0.75mm	70-803-2851
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer AS93, 0.75mm	70-803-2836
Guardian Probe for Shimadzu AS-10 & AS-20 with Arm Assembly, 0.75mm	70-803-2872
Guardian Probe for Thermo iSC-65, 0.75mm	70-803-2106
Guardian Probe for ESI SC-DX Series, 0.75mm	70-803-2953

Guardian Probe only	
Guardian Probe for SPS3/SPS4/AIMS	70-803-2008
Guardian Probe for Cetac ASX-200/500/800 Series	70-803-1787
Guardian Probe for Cetac ASX-7400, 7600 Series	70-803-2937
Guardian Probe for Cetac ASX-112FR	70-803-2029
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer S20 Series	70-803-2754
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer S10	70-803-2849
Guardian Probe for PerkinElmer AS93	70-803-2819
Guardian Probe for Shimadzu AS-10 & AS-20	70-803-2860
Guardian Probe for Thermo iSC-65	70-803-2837
Guardian Probe Assembly for ESI SC-DX Series	70-803-2961

Probe Connecting Lines for all Autosamplers (excluding ASX-112FR)	
Probe Connecting line 1.0mm ID (Green)	70-803-1721
Probe Connecting Line 0.75mm ID (Red)	70-803-1714
Probe Connecting Line 0.5mm ID (Blue)	70-803-1852
Probe Connecting Line 0.3mm ID (Black)	70-803-1853

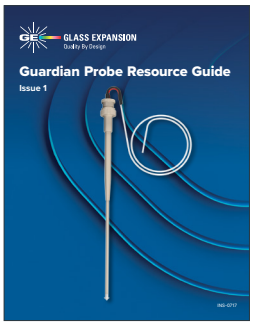
Probe Connecting Lines for ASX-112FR	
Probe Connecting Line 0.18mm ID (Black)	70-803-2030
Probe Connecting Line 0.18mm ID with EzyFit (Green/Black)	70-803-2085

Click here to view the Guardian™ Autosampler Probe landing page, ordering information, and comparison videos.

Guardian Probe Resource Guide

Your all-in-one Guardian Probe reference. Everything you need, in one place.

- **Ordering right the first time:** Organized by autosampler brand, so you know exactly which model fits your system.
- **Fix problems fast:** Installation, performance, and common issues, with clear corrective actions.
- **Make your probe last longer:** Proper care and maintenance, step by step.
- **Never get caught without one:** Know exactly when (and why) you'll need spare parts.



Click here to view the Guardian Probe Resource Guide

Autosampler Probes

Suitable for Cetac ASX-200/500/800 Series and PerkinElmer S20 Series	
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.25mm ID with EzyFit	70-803-1088
Polyimide sheathed Autosampler Probe 0.5mm ID	60-808-1186L
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.25mm ID	70-803-1523
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.5mm ID	70-803-0784
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.5mm ID with UniFit	70-803-1380
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.75mm ID with ratchet fitting	70-803-1443
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.75mm ID	70-803-1880
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID with ratchet fitting	70-803-0793
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID	70-803-1879

For Cetac ASX 110	
PFA sheathed Autosampler Probe 0.25mm ID with EzyFit	70-803-1072
PFA sheathed Autosampler Probe 0.25mm ID with UniFit	70-803-1073
PTFE Sheathed Carbon Fibre Probe 0.18mm ID with UniFit	70-803-1684
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.3mm ID with UniFit	70-803-1191
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID	70-803-1182

For Agilent® SPS 3/SPS 4	
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.25mm ID	70-803-0910
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.50mm ID	70-803-0909
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.75mm ID	70-803-0908
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID	70-803-0853

For Agilent® I-AS	
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.25mm ID with UniFit, 1100mm total length	60-703-1010
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.3mm ID with UniFit, 686 mm total length	60-703-1009
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID	60-703-0533

For PerkinElmer® S10 or AS93+	
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.25mm ID	70-803-1071
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 0.5mm ID	70-803-1440
PTFE Encapsulated Carbon Fibre Probe 1.0mm ID	70-803-0816

For Shimadzu®	
PTFE Sheathed Carbon Fibre Probe 0.75mm ID with UniFit, for Shimadzu® AS-10	70-803-1477