

Procedure

Weigh 0.5 g of the sample into the digestion vessel. Add 9 mL HNO₃ and 1 mL HCl. Gently swirl the mixture and wait approximately 15 minutes before capping the vessel.

Notes

The addition of Conc. HCI (0-4 mL) is appropriate for the stabilization of Ag, Ba and Sb, and high concentrations of Fe and Al in solution. The amount of HCI will vary depending on the matrix and the concentration of the analytes. The addition of HCI may, however, limit the techniques or increase the difficulties of analysis.

Recommended EquipmentRecommended VesselsReagentsDiscover SP-D 8080 mL QuartzHNO3
HCI

Max Sample W	Veight	Sample T	Sample Type / Vent Program		Control Type		
0.5 g		Organic	Organic		Ramp to Temperature		
Heating Program							
Stage	Temp (°C)	*Ramp (mm:ss)	Hold (mm:ss)	Pressure (psi)	* Power (W)	Stirring	
1	200	5:00	5:00	400	300	Med	

* Ramp times and power may vary depending on the type and number of vessels.

Results

sample was clear, colorless, and particle free upon dilution to 50 mL.

General Precaution

a) This procedure is a reference point for sample digestion using a CEM system and may need to be modified or changed to obtain the required results on your sample.

b) If using a vessel other than the recommended choice, adjust sample size and pressure limit to values appropriate for the vessel chosen.