## Thermo Scientific Dionex Ion Chromatography Column Selection Guide

Anion Hydroxide Columns					
Column	Format (Capacity µeq/col)	Recommendations	Target Applications	Application Notes	
Thermo Scientific™ Dionex™ IonPac™ AS27	4 × 250 mm (220 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (55 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.2 μeq)	Analysis of trace bromate in drinking water preserved with ethylenediamine (EDA).	Trace bromate in drinking water preserved with ethylenediamine (EDA). Analysis of drinking water without pretreatment or concentration. Meets or exceeds EPA Methods 300.0, 300.1.		
Dionex IonPac AS26	4 × 250 mm (250 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (62.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.5 μeq)	Haloacetic acids in drinking water. Capillary column in second dimension of 2D-IC method for haloacetic acids in drinking water.	Haloacetic acids in drinking water at low µg/L levels using suppressed conductivity detection.		
Dionex IonPac AS25	4 × 250 mm (350 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (87.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (3.5 μeq)	Multivalent anions and polarizable anions in complex sample matrices.	lodide, perchlorate, sulfur species (sulfate, sul- fite, thiosulfate, and thiocyanate) in wastewater effluent, scrubber solutions, and food and beverage samples.		
Dionex IonPac AS24A	4 × 250 mm (560 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (140 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (5.6 μeq)	Highest capacity anion column for inor- ganic anions in complex sample matrices. Standard bore (4 mm) column for first dimension of 2D-IC method for haloacetic acids in drinking water.	Haloacetic acids in drinking water at low µg/L levels using 2D-IC with suppressed conductiv- ity detection.		
Dionex IonPac AS24	2 × 250 mm (140 μeq)	Haloacetic acids and bromate prior to MS or MS/MS detection.	Specific for HAAs in drinking water as speci- fied in EPA Method 557.	AN 1000: Small Organic Acids in Sea Water by IC-MS AN 276: Fluoroacetate in Water by IC-MS AN 217: Haloacetic Acids in Water by IC-ESI-MS/MS AN 201: Chloride and Sulfate in Methanol AN 187: Sub-ppm Bromate in Water	
Dionex IonPac AS21	2 × 250 mm (45 μeq)	Trace perchlorate prior to MS or MS/MS detection.	Specific for trace perchlorate in drinking water as specified in EPA Method 331.0.		
Dionex IonPac AS20	4 × 250 mm (310 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (77.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (3.1 μeq)	Trace perchlorate prior to suppressed con- ductivity detection. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs. Standard bore 4 mm column is used in the first dimension of 2D-IC method for trace perchlorate in drinking water.	Trace perchlorate in drinking water when high concentrations of chloride, carbonate and sulfate are present. Specified in EPA Method 314.1.	<ul> <li>AN 1047: Tartaric Acid and Tolterodine in Tolterodine Tartrate</li> <li>AN 1024: Improved Determination of Trace Perchlorate using 2D-IC</li> <li>AN 1002: Tartaric Acid in Tolterodine Tartrate Drug Products</li> <li>AN 276: Fluoroacetate in Water by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 258: Tetrafluoroborate, Perchlorate and Hexafluoro phosphate in Electrolyte Solution</li> <li>AN 243: Anions and Organic Acids by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 243: Iodide in Seawater</li> <li>AN 176: Sub-ppb Perchlorate in Drinking Water with Preconcentration (EPA 314.1)</li> </ul>	
Dionex IonPac AS19-4µm	4 × 250 mm (240 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (60 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.4 μeq)	High resolution separations for routine analysis of inorganic anions and oxyhalides. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs.	Trace bromate and inorganic anions in drinking water, wastewater, ground water and diverse sample matrices. High resolution analysis of drinking water without pretreatment or concentration. Meets or exceeds EPA Methods 300.0 and 300.1.		
Dionex IonPac AS19	4 × 250 mm (240 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (60 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.4 μeq)	Routine analysis of inorganic anions and oxyhalides. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs.	Trace bromate and inorganic anions in drinking water, wastewater, ground water, diverse sample matrices. Analysis of drinking water without pretreatment or concentration. Meets or exceeds EPA Methods 300.0, 300.1.	<ul> <li>AN 2967: Fast Separation of Pharmaceutical lons Using High-Pressure Capillary IC</li> <li>AN 1088: Thiosulfate and Pyrophosphate in Crayfish Wash Powder</li> <li>AN 187: Sub-ppm Bromate with Preconcentration</li> <li>AN 184: Trace Chlorite, Bromate and Chlorate in Bottled Water</li> <li>AN 171: Disinfection By-Product Anions in Water</li> <li>AN 168: Trace Anions and Bromide in Drinking Water</li> <li>AN 167: Trace Oxyhalides and Bromide in Water</li> <li>AN 167: Trace Anions in Conc. Bases</li> <li>AU 169: Silicate and Anions in HPW</li> <li>AU 159: Anions in Caustic Solutions</li> <li>AU 154: Bromate in Drinking Water and Mineral Water</li> <li>AB 136: Inorganic Counter-ions in Pharmaceutical Drugs</li> <li>AB 133: Anions and Cations in Drinking Water</li> <li>TN 113: Guidance for Capillary Anion IC</li> <li>TN 112: Trace Anions in Ultrapure Water</li> </ul>	





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Dionex IonPac AS18-4µm	4 × 150 mm (171 μeq) 2 × 150 mm (45 μeq) 0.4 × 150 mm (1.71 μeq)	Super fast, high resolution separation (<3 min) of inorganic anions. Requires high-pressure IC for fastest runs. Replace- ment for Dionex IonPac AS4A, AS12A, AS14A, and AS17-C, and AS18-Fast columns.	Super fast routine analysis of inorganic anions in drinking water and wastewaters.	TN 127: Fast Separations of Inorganic Anions in Water TN 130: Fast Analysis of Salton Sea Samples
Dionex IonPac AS18-Fast	4 × 150 mm (171 μeq) 2 × 150 mm (45 μeq) 0.4 × 150 mm (1.71 μeq)	Fast analysis (< 5 min).	Super fast analysis of inorganic anions in various matrices.	AN 1001: Bisphosphonate Pharmaceuticals and Excipients by IC-MS AB 132: Anions in Drinking Water AU 185: Determination of Nitrite and Nitrate in Wastewater Using Capillary IC with UV Detection
Dionex IonPac AS18	4 × 250 mm (285 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (75 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.85 μeq)	Common inorganic anions and low MW organic acids in diverse matrices. Meets or exceeds EPA Method 300.0. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs.	Source and drinking waters, industrial cooling waters, hazardous waste waters, dump leachates, acid rain, foods and beverages, pharmaceutical counterions, polyols and polysulfonates.	<ul> <li>AN 1105: Anions and Cations in Produced Water from Hydraulic Fracturing</li> <li>AN 1078: Benzenesulfonic Acid Counterion in Amlodipine Besylate by IC</li> <li>AN 1075: IC Assay for Chloride and Sulfate in Adenosine</li> <li>AN 260: Monitoring Anions and Cations during Desailnation</li> <li>AN 254: Total Phosphorus in Wastewater</li> <li>AN 209: Fluoride in Acidulated Topical Solution</li> <li>AN 190: Sulfate Counterion and Anionic Impurities in Aminoglycoside Drug Substances</li> <li>AN 175: Sulfate and Chloride in Ethanol</li> <li>AN 165: Benzoate in Liquid Foods</li> <li>AN 166: Residual Trifluoroacetate in Protein Purification Buffers</li> <li>AN 156: Anions in Toothpaste</li> <li>AN 156: Trace Anions in Organic Solvent</li> <li>AU 163: Trace Anions Using Dionex ICS-2100</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS17-C	4 × 250 mm (30 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (7.5 μeq)	Fast analysis of common inorganic anions in diverse matrices. Low sulfate blanks. Excellent retention of fluoride from water dip. Meets or exceeds EPA Methods 300.0, 300.1. Recommend Dionex IonPac AS18 column for diverse sample matrices.	Fluoride, chloride, acetate, nitrate, bromide, nitrate, carbonate, sulfonate, phosphate in < 10 min, source and drinking waters, industrial cooling waters, hazardous waste waters, dump leachates, acid rain, food and beverage, pharmaceutical counterions, polyols and polysulfonates.	AU 157: Trace Anions on Electronic Components AB 108: Phosphite in Electroless Nickel Plating Bath
Dionex IonPac AS16	4 × 250 mm (170 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (42.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (1.7 μeq)	High capacity for hydrophobic, highly polarizable anions including iodide, thiocyanate, thiosulfate, and perchlorate. Polyvalent anions including polyphosphates and polycarboxylates. Capillary column is used in the second dimension of the 2D-IC method for trace perchlorate in drinking water.	Perchlorate in drinking water, surface water, and ground water matrices by large loop injection.	<ul> <li>AN 1024: Improved Determination of Trace Perchlorate in 2D-IC</li> <li>AN 533: Perchlorate in Infant Formula</li> <li>AN 263: Endothall in Water by IC-MS/MS</li> <li>AN 176: Sub-ppb Perchlorate with Preconc./Matrix Elimination</li> <li>AN 151: Perchlorate by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 151: Perchlorate by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 144: Perchlorate in High Ionic Strength Fertilizer</li> <li>AN 138: Thiosulfate in Refinery Waste Waters</li> <li>AN 134: Trace Perchlorate in Waters</li> <li>AU 172: Polyphosphates using IC</li> <li>AU 148: Perchlorate by RFIC</li> <li>AU 145: Perchlorate in Water</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS15	4 × 250 mm (225 μeq) 3 × 150 mm (70 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (56.25 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.25 μeq)	Trace analysis of inorganic anions and low molecular weight organic acids in high purity water matrices. Available in 5 $\mu$ m particle size (3 $\times$ 150 mm) for fast, high-capacity analysis.	Trace analysis in semiconductor and power industries. Use with Dionex IonPac AC15 concentrator column for ppt analysis.	<ul> <li>AN 220: Anion Impurities in Water Insoluble Pharmaceuticals</li> <li>AN 200: Cyanide in Urea</li> <li>AN 185: Trace Anions in Power Waters</li> <li>AN 179: Carbohydrates and Amino Acids by 3D Amperometry</li> <li>AN 173: Cyanide in Drinking Water by PAD</li> <li>AN 172: Azide in Aqueous Samples</li> <li>AN 171: Disinfection By-Products Anions and Bromide RFIC</li> <li>AN 137: Trace Anions in High-Nitrate</li> <li>AU 143: Chloride in Acid Copper Plating Bath</li> <li>AU 142: Trace Anions in High Purity Water</li> <li>AB 151: Trace Anions in Nuclear Power Plant Secondary Feed Water Containing Polyacrylic Acid</li> <li>AB 125: Trace Anions in High Purity Water</li> <li>TN 113: Guidance for using Capillary Anion IC</li> <li>TN 112: Trace Anions in Ultrapure Water</li> </ul>

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Dionex IonPac AS11-HC-4µm	4 × 250 mm (290 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (72.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.9 μeq)	High capacity, high resolution for the separation of organic acids and inorganic anions in complex matrices. Requires high-pressure IC.	Anions and organic acids in foods and beverages, wastewater, brines, and fermentation broths.	AN 1068: Organic Acids in Fruit Juices and Wine by HPIC TN 122: Heat Stable Amine Salts in MDEA Solutions TN 126: Organic Acids in Beer using HPIC
Dionex IonPac AS11-HC	4 × 250 mm (290 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (72.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.9 μeq)	High capacity for the determination of organic acids and inorganic anions in uncharacterized samples.	Carboxylic acids (acetate, lactate, quinate, formate, butyrate) in foods and beverages, wastewater, brine, fermentation broths.	<ul> <li>AN1107: Anions and Carboxylic Acids in Urban Fine Particles</li> <li>AN 1076: Monochloroacetic Acid in Carbocisteine Carbocisteine</li> <li>AN 1068: Organic Acids in Fruit Juices and Wine by HPIC</li> <li>AN 244: Total Phosphorous using 2D-IC</li> <li>AN 143: Organic Acids in Fruit Juices</li> <li>AN 123: Inorganic Acids in Fruit Juices</li> <li>AN 123: Inorganic Anions and Organic Acids in Fermentation Broths</li> <li>AU 178: OSCS in Heparin Sodium</li> <li>AB 112: Organic Acids in Cranberry and Bilberry Extracts</li> <li>AB 104: Organic Acids in Biomass by IC-MS</li> <li>TN 44: Trace Anions in Conc. Phosphoric Acid</li> <li>Trace Anions in Hydrofluoric Acid</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS11	4 × 250 mm (45 µeq) 2 × 250 mm (11 µeq)	Fast gradient screening of inorganic anions and organic acids in simple matrices.	Inorganic anions and organic acids in wastewater, power plant waters, pharmaceutical formulations, food and beverage samples.	<ul> <li>AN 1044: Anions in Dried Distiller Grains with Solubles</li> <li>AN 1044: Anions in Dried Distiller Grains with Solubles</li> <li>AN 1000: Small Organic Acids in Sea Water by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 295: Phytic Acid in Soybeans and Sesame Seeds</li> <li>AN 262: 2-Ethylhexanoic Acid Impurity in Clavulanate</li> <li>AN 253: Infant Formula Static Acids by HPAE-PAD</li> <li>AN 238: Sulfate and Sulfamate in Topiramate by IC</li> <li>AN 235: Sulfates in Heparin Sodium by IC/UV</li> <li>AN 165: Berzoate in Liquid Food Products</li> <li>AN 161: Metal Cyanide Complexes by IC/UV</li> <li>AN 123: Anions and Organic Acids in Fermentation Broths</li> <li>AN 121: Perchlorate in Water</li> <li>AN 106: IC in the Pharmaceutical Industry</li> <li>AN 107: Ions in Physiological Fluids</li> <li>AN 106: IC in the Pharmaceutical Industry</li> <li>AN 106: An Alysis of Polyphosphates by IC</li> <li>AN 37: Iocide in Milk</li> <li>AN 25: Anions and Organic Acids in Beverages</li> <li>AU 140: Iocide in Unit</li> </ul>

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Anion Carbonate Columns				
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Dionex IonPac AS23	4 × 250 mm (320 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (80 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (3.2 μeq)	Recommended for inorganic anions and oxyhalides. Replacement for Dionex IonPac AS9-HC column. The capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and lower operating costs.	Trace bromate in drinking water. Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 and 300.1.	AN 208: Bromate in Bottled Mineral Water AN 184: Chlorite, Bromate, and Chlorate in Bottled Mineral Water
Dionex IonPac AS22-Fast-4µm	4 × 150 mm (126 μeq) 2 × 150 mm (31.5 μeq) 0.4 × 150 mm (1.3 μeq)	Fast, high resolution separation (<5 min) of inorganic anions. Requires high-pressure IC for fastest runs.	Fast analysis of inorganic anions in drinking water. Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 and 300.1.	
Dionex IonPac AS22-Fast	4 × 150 mm (126 μeq) 2 × 150 mm (31.5 μeq)	Recommended for fast analysis of common inorganic anions (< 5 min).	Fast analysis of inorganic anions in drinking water. Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 and 300.1.	AN 1002: Tartaric Acid in Tolterodine Tartrate Drug Products AB 120: Drinking Water by Fast-IC
Dionex IonPac AS22	4 × 250 mm (220 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (52.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (2.2 μeq)	Recommended for fast analysis of common inorganic anions. Alternative to Dionex IonPac AS4A-SC, AS12A, AS14 and AS14A columns. The capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and lower operating costs.	Analysis of common inorganic anions in drinking water, wastewater and process waters. Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 and 300.1.	<ul> <li>AN 1052: Chloride and Sulfate in Gasoline-Denatured Products</li> <li>AN 1002: Tartaric Acid in Tolterodine Tartrate Drug Products</li> <li>AN 297: Sulfate and Chloride in Fuel-Grade Butanol</li> <li>AN 254: Total Phosphorus in Wastewater</li> <li>AN 249: Methacholine Chloride and Potential Impurities</li> <li>AU 197: Anions in Wastewater</li> <li>AU 197: Anions in Wastewater</li> <li>AU 197: Anions and Organic Acids in NPP Waters</li> <li>AU 175: Anions and Organic Acids in NPP Waters</li> <li>AU 161: Sulfate and Chloride in Ethanol</li> <li>AU 113: Dissolved Silica and Anions</li> <li>AB 165: Toluenesulfonic Acid in Water-Insoluable Drugs</li> <li>AB 121: Anions in Drinking Water</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS14A	4 × 250 mm (120 µeq) 3 × 150 mm (40 µeq)	Analysis of common inorganic anions. The Dionex lonPac AS22, AS22-Fast-4µm and AS22-Fast columns are recommended for common inorganic anions.	Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 (A). Available in 5 $\mu$ m (3 $\times$ 150 mm) for fast analysis of common anions in < 8 min.	AN 140: Fast Anions in Water
Dionex IonPac AS14	4 × 250 mm (65 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (16 μeq)	Moderate capacity for fast analysis of common inorganic anions. Excellent fluoride retention. The Dionex IonPac AS22, AS22-Fast-4µm and AS22-Fast columns are recommended for common inorganic anions.	Meets or exceeds EPA 300.0 (A) and (B).	<ul> <li>AN 166: Trace Anion Analysis in Borated Water</li> <li>AN 135: Anions in Drinking Water</li> <li>AN 133: Anions in Dharmaceuticals</li> <li>AN 116: Anions in Pharmaceuticals</li> <li>AN 115: TFA in Peptides</li> <li>AN 114: Trace Anions in High Purity Water</li> <li>AN 2: Nitrate and Sulfate on Air Filters</li> <li>AU 191: Trace Anions in Lithium-Containing Borated Water</li> <li>TN 47: Low Baseline Noise by Suppression</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS12A	4 × 200 mm (52 μeq) 2 × 200 mm (13 μeq)	Moderate capacity for analysis of inorganic anions and oxyhalides. The Dionex IonPac AS23 column is recommended for inorganic anions and oxyhalides.	Trace chloride and sulfate in high carbonate matrices.	AN 284: Ethyl Sulfate Impurity in Indinavir Sulfate Drug
Dionex IonPac AS9-HC	4 × 250 mm (190 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (47.5 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (1.9 μeq)	Carbonate column for inorganic anions and oxyhalides. The Dionex IonPac AS23 column is recommended for inorganic anions and oxyhalides.	Trace bromate in drinking water. Specified column in EPA 300.1 and 317.0.	<ul> <li>AN 149: Chlorite, Bromate, Bromide, Chlorate in Water</li> <li>AN 136: Oxyhalide and Bromide in Drinking Water (postcolumn reaction)</li> <li>AN 135: Anions in Wastewater</li> <li>AN 85: Anions in Solvent</li> <li>AN 81: Oxyhalides and Bromide, Direct Injection</li> <li>TN 46: Trace Anions in Concentrated Glycolic Acid</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac AS4A-SC	4 × 250 mm (20 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (5 μeq)	Low capacity for fast analysis of common inorganic anions. The Dionex IonPac AS22, AS22-Fast-4µm and AS22-Fast columns are recommended for common inorganic anions.	Specified column in U.S. EPA Method 300.0 (A).	<ul> <li>AN 296: Sulfate and Chloride in Fuel-Grade Butanol</li> <li>AN 135: Anions in Wastewater</li> <li>AN 133: Anions in Drinking Water</li> <li>AN 56: Trace Anions and Key Organic Acids</li> <li>AN 36: Oxalate in Urine</li> <li>AN 31: Anions in Acid Rain</li> </ul>



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Cation Columns				
Column	Format (Capacity µeq/col)	Recommendations	Target Applications	Application Notes
Dionex IonPac CS19-4µm	4 × 250 mm (2410 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (600 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (24 μeq)	Dionex IonPac CS18 replacement column high resolution separation of cations, small polar amines, moderately hydrophobic amines and polyvalent amines. Requires high-pressure IC for faster runs using higher flow rates.	Common cations and amines in environmental waters, power plant waters, chemical process solutions, refinery scrubber solutions, personal care products, and food and beverage samples.	
Dionex IonPac CS19	4 × 250 mm (2410 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (600 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (24 μeq)	Dionex IonPac CS18 replacement column for common cations, small polar amines, moderately hydrophobic amines, and polyvalent amines. Operates under 3000 psi for use on standard IC systems.	Common cations and amines in environmental waters, power plant waters, chemical process solutions, refinery scrubber solutions, personal care products, and food and beverage samples.	<ul> <li>AN 1057: Methylamine in Drug Products</li> <li>AN 1054: Ammonia in Tobacco Smoke</li> <li>AN 1062: Morpholine in Linezolid by IC</li> <li>AN 298: Dimethylamine in Metformin HCl Drug</li> <li>AU 193: Choline in Infant Formula and Adult Nutritionals</li> <li>AU 189: Determination of Choline in Infant Formula and Other Food Samples</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac CS18	2 × 250 mm (290 µeq)	Polar amines (alkanolamines and methylamines) and moderately hydrophobic amines (biogenic amines, diamines and polyamines).	Amines, biogenic amines in food and beverage samples.	<ul> <li>AN 183: Biogenic Amines in Fermented and Non- Fermented Foods</li> <li>AN 182: Biogenic Amines in Alcoholic Beverages</li> <li>AU 162: Biogenic Amines in Fruit, Vegetables and Chocolate</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac CS17	4 × 250 mm (1450 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (363 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (14.5 μeq)	Dionex IonPac CS14 replacement column for gradient separation of polyvalent, more hydrophobic amines, biogenic amines, and diamines. Solvent compatability allows elution of more hydrophobic amines and easy column cleanup.	Gradient separations of Power Industry amines, such as cyclohexylamine, without solvent.	AN 231: Melamine in Milk AN 199: N-Methylpyrrolidine in Cefepime AN 194: Carbachol in Ophthalmic Solutions AU 160: N,N-Dimethyl-o-Toluidine and N,N-Diethyl-o- Toluidine in Ethylene Gas AU 155: Cations and Amines in H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>
Dionex IonPac CS16	5 × 250 mm (8400 µeq) 3 × 250 mm (3000 µeq) 0.5 × 250 mm (84 µeq)	Highest capacity cation column to separate high- to low-concentration ratios of sodium and ammonium in complex sample matrices. Best carboxylate column for low pH and high capacity. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and lower operating cost.	Short chain amines e.g., alkylamines and alkanolamines in various sample matrices. Low sodium in the presence of high amonium (and the reverse) in industrial samples.	<ul> <li>AN 2967: Fast Separation of Pharmaceutical lons Using High Pressure Capillary IC</li> <li>AN 1105: Anions and Cations in Produced Water from Hydraulic Fracturing</li> <li>AN 1090: Lithium, sodium and Calcium in Lithium Carbonate</li> <li>AN 1073: Ammonia in Sodium Bicarbonate</li> <li>AN 1057: Methylamine in Drug Products</li> <li>AN 1054: Ammonia in Tobacco Smoke</li> <li>AN 247: Morpholine, Ethylamine and Hydrazine in NPP Wastewaters</li> <li>AN 157: Cations by Suppressed and Non-Sup- pressed IC</li> <li>AN 152: Sodium (pt) in High Concentration Ethanol- amine in Power Plant Waters</li> <li>AN 141: Inorganic Cations/Ammonium in Environ- mental Waters</li> <li>TN 121: Inorganic Cations in Municipal Wastewater</li> <li>AN 94: Trace Cations in Concentrated Acids Using AutoNeutralization Pretreatment</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac CS12A	4 × 250 mm (2800 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (700 μeq) 0.4 × 250 mm (28 μeq)	Separation of mono- and divalent cations especially manganese. For high- to low- concentration ratios of adjacent eluting cations use Dionex IonPac CS16 column. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs.	Common cations and ammonium in drinking water, process waters and industrial samples. Trace cations in various matrices.	<ul> <li>AN 2967: Fast Separation of Pharmaceutical lons Using High Pressure Capillary IC</li> <li>AN 1079: Trivalent and Hexavalent Chromium using ASE and IC</li> <li>AN 1053: Dissolved Manganese in Lithium/Manganese Oxide Battery Electrolyte</li> <li>AN 1003: Trace Sodium in Cranberry Powder</li> <li>AN 269: Trace Cations and Amines by IC-MS</li> <li>AN 260: Monitoring Anions and Cations during Desalination</li> <li>AN 222: Trace Strontium by Pre-Concentration</li> <li>AN 223: Cations in Biodiesel</li> <li>AN 124: Choline in Dry Milk and Infant Formula</li> <li>AN 120: Calcium and Magnesium in Brine</li> <li>AN 107: Calcium and Magnesium in Brine</li> <li>AN 107: Calcium and Magnesium in Brine</li> <li>AN 106: IC in the Pharmaceutical Industry</li> <li>AU 137: Trace Lithium in Process Waters</li> <li>AB 133: Anions and Cations in Drinking Water</li> <li>TN 130: Fast Analysis of Salton Sea Samples</li> <li>TN 117: Inorganic Cotions in Wastewater</li> </ul>
Dionex IonPac CS12A-5µm	3 × 150 mm (940 µeq) 0.4 × 150 mm (9.4 µeq)	High efficiency and fast analysis (9 minutes) of mono- and divalent cations. Super fast analysis (< 5 min.) Reduced analysis time and eluent use, increased sensitivity. Capillary format offers reduced eluent consumption and operating costs.	Fast analysis of inorganic cations and ammonium in various matrices.	AN 1072: IC Assay for Ammonia in Adenosine AB 117: Cations in Fruit Juices

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Specialty Column				
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Dionex IonPac AS7	4 × 250 mm (100 μeq) 2 × 250 mm (25 μeq)	Separation of polyvalent anions in complex matrices.	Hexavalent chromium in environmental matrices.	AN 43175:       Chromium in Toys by IC-ICP-MS         AN 295:       Phytic Acid in Soybeans and Sesame Seeds         AN 289:       USP Risedronate Sodium Assay         AN 268:       Chelating Agents in Water         AN 80:       Hex Chrome in Water         AU 179:       Hex Chrome in Drinking Water         AU 179:       Check Chrome in Water         AU 179:       Cyanide in Alkaline Solutions         AB 107:       Cyanide in Mater         AU 107:       Cyanide in Mater         AU 107:       Cyanide in Mater         AU 107:       Crown in Water
Dionex IonPac CS5A	4 × 250 mm (40 μeq, anions) (20 μeq, cations) 2 × 250 mm (10 μeq, anions) (5 μeq, cations)	Recommended for the separation of transition and lanthanide metals. Also useful for aluminium separation.	Transition and lanthanide metals in power industry waters.	AN 43130:       Identify Mercury Contamination in Herbal Medicines         AN 277:       Transition Metals in Power Waters         AN 131:       Transition Metals in HPW         AN 108:       Transition Metals in Serum and Whole Blood         AU 168:       Transition Metals in Complex Matrices         AU 165:       Cr(III) and Cr(VI) by IC         TN 10:       Transition Metals by IC         TN 117:       Inorganic Cations in Wastewater

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