

CTC PAL® System Combi PAL / PAL Combi-xt Headspace

Gas Chromatography Autosampler Syringes Product Datasheet



Hamilton offers a headspace syringe featuring a unique plunger designed specifically for the CTC PAL System Combi PAL®-**x**t gas chromatography (GC) autosampler. The High Dynamic (HD) plunger is optimized for high-throughput, excellent reproducibility, and sets a new standard for headspace syringes.

Modern GC headspace analysis, such as ITEX, requires injecting over large temperature ranges. Conventional headspace syringes on the market use a rubber O-ring sealed plunger which has a limited sealing performance at high temperatures due to varying thermal expansion between the different materials. The high dynamic HD-Type syringe employs a unique spring in the plunger tip which compensates for the materials' different expansion coefficients, creating a better seal over a larger temperature range, and it also improves lifetime.

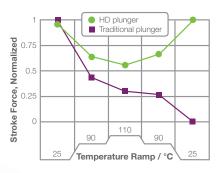
Market Comparison

A head-to-head comparison with other conventional syringes used for GC headspace demonstrates Hamilton HD-Type syringes perform better in a wider range of temperatures. In the study, sealing performance was estimated by measuring the force needed to move the plunger in the glass barrel. The force was monitored for a temperature ramp from 25 °C to 110 °C and back to 25 °C. The HD-plunger demonstrated improved sealing performance at higher temperatures (110 °C and above) and did not lose its sealing properties during cool down as is often a problem with traditional plungers. Instead, the HD plunger dynamically reacted to temperature changes and compensated for the thermal expansion of the PTFE tip, maintaining a perfect seal.

Benefits of Hamilton CTC PAL System Combi PAL Autosampler Headspace Syringes:

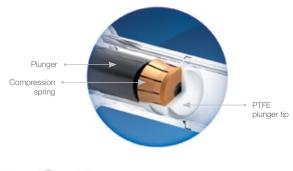
- Unique spring-in-plunger design creates a dynamic seal between the plunger tip and the inside of the glass barrel for leak-free operation
- Excellent performance over a large temperature range
- Increased lifetime compared to traditional headspace syringes
- Improved accuracy and reproducibility of GC headspace analyses

Sealing Performance of HD and Traditional Plungers





The HD-Type Syringe Design





Hamilton HD-Type Syringes are Specially Designed for the CTC PAL System Combi PAL-xt and Combi PAL-xt Extended **Autosamplers Sold Under the Following Brands:**

- AB SCIEX[™]
- Bruker
- GL Sciences

LEAP Technologies

- Agilent
- Dionex®
- Lauda

- Alpha M.O.S.
- GE®
- MicroCal™

- Antek
- GERSTEL®



- **PERICHROM**
- PerkinElmer®
- Shimadzu
- SOTAX
- Thermo Scientific®
- Waters®
- Zoex

Hamilton CTC PAL System Combi PAL syringes are Gastight® syringes with a PTFE plunger tip that creates a tight seal between the syringe barrel and plunger allowing for liquid or gas sampling.

Ordering Information

| Volume | Hamilton P/N | PAL System P/N | Description | Gauge | Point Style |
|--------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-------|-------------|
| 1.0 mL | 203082 | SYRC HS1.0-23-5 | Model 1001 HD CTC SYR | 23 | 5 |
| 2.5 mL | 203084 | SYRC HS2.5-23-5 | Model 1002 HD CTC SYR | 23 | 5 |
| 5.0 mL | 203086 | SYRC HS5.0-23-5 | Model 1005 HD CTC SYR | 23 | 5 |
| 1.0 mL | 203141 | SYRC HS1.0-26-5 | Model 1001 HD CTC SYR | 26 | 5 |
| 2.5 mL | 203181 | SYRC HS2.5-26-5 | Model 1002 HD CTC SYR | 26 | 5 |
| 5.0 mL | 203182 | SYRC HS5.0-26-5 | Model 1005 HD CTC SYR | 26 | 5 |
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All syringes listed feature a Luer Tip Cemented (LTN) needle termination.

For more information on these and other Hamilton syringes, including information on terminations, point styles, gauges, and other specifications, please visit www.hamiltoncompany.com/syringes.

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