

# (U)HPLC columns for polar analytes

YMC-Triart C18 for 100% aqueous conditions



## Universal

2 columns in 1:  
C18 phase with  
AQ compatibility

## Flexible

UHPLC ↔ HPLC  
pH = 1 - 12  
Temp. up to 70°C

## Robust

Reproducible  
results  
Long column  
lifetimes

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## General

The use of 100% water eluent has been a challenge in HPLC analysis for decades. Even today, many C18 materials suffer from unacceptable short lifetime, because the ligands collapse and this reduces the separation performance drastically. As a pioneer in this field, YMC has offered a product as early as the 80's, which presents a synonym for stability under aqueous conditions:

**YMC-Pack ODS-AQ.**

"AQ"-type phases are particularly suitable for the separation of polar substances, metabolites, pesticides, degradation products and peptides including protein digests.

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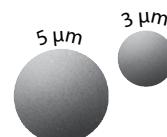


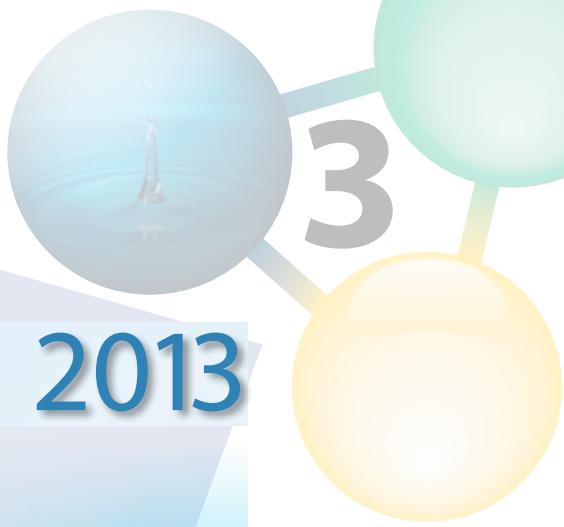
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## YMC-Pack ODS-AQ

- "hydrophilic" C18
- balanced surface chemistry
- polar recognition
- metabolite recognition

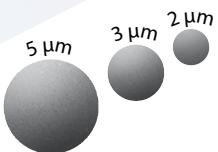




## Hydrosphere C18

A new, ultrapure silica base was introduced whilst adapting the surface chemistry to maintain the „AQ“-type properties.

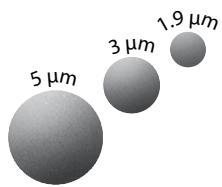
- “hydrophilic” C18 surface for enhanced polar recognition
- stable when used with 100% aqueous eluent
- no need for ion pair reagents
- addition of 2 µm particle size for Fast-LC (YMC-Pack UltraHT)



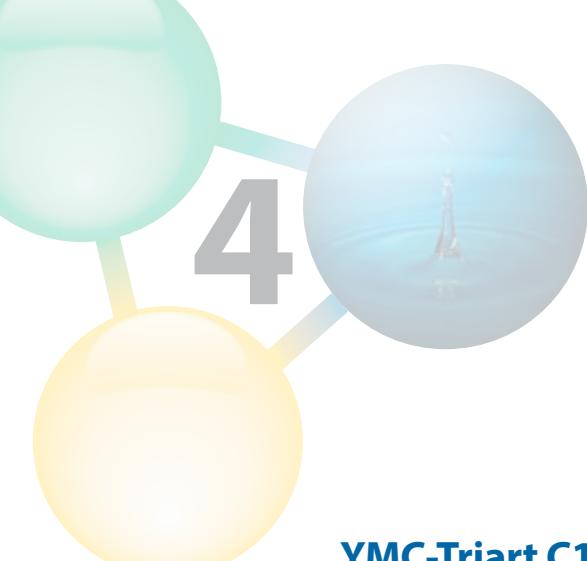
## YMC-Triart "AQ"

The latest YMC technology platform consists of a “hybrid-style” substrate with enhanced stability against

- pH 1-12
- temp. up to 70°C
- 100% H<sub>2</sub>O



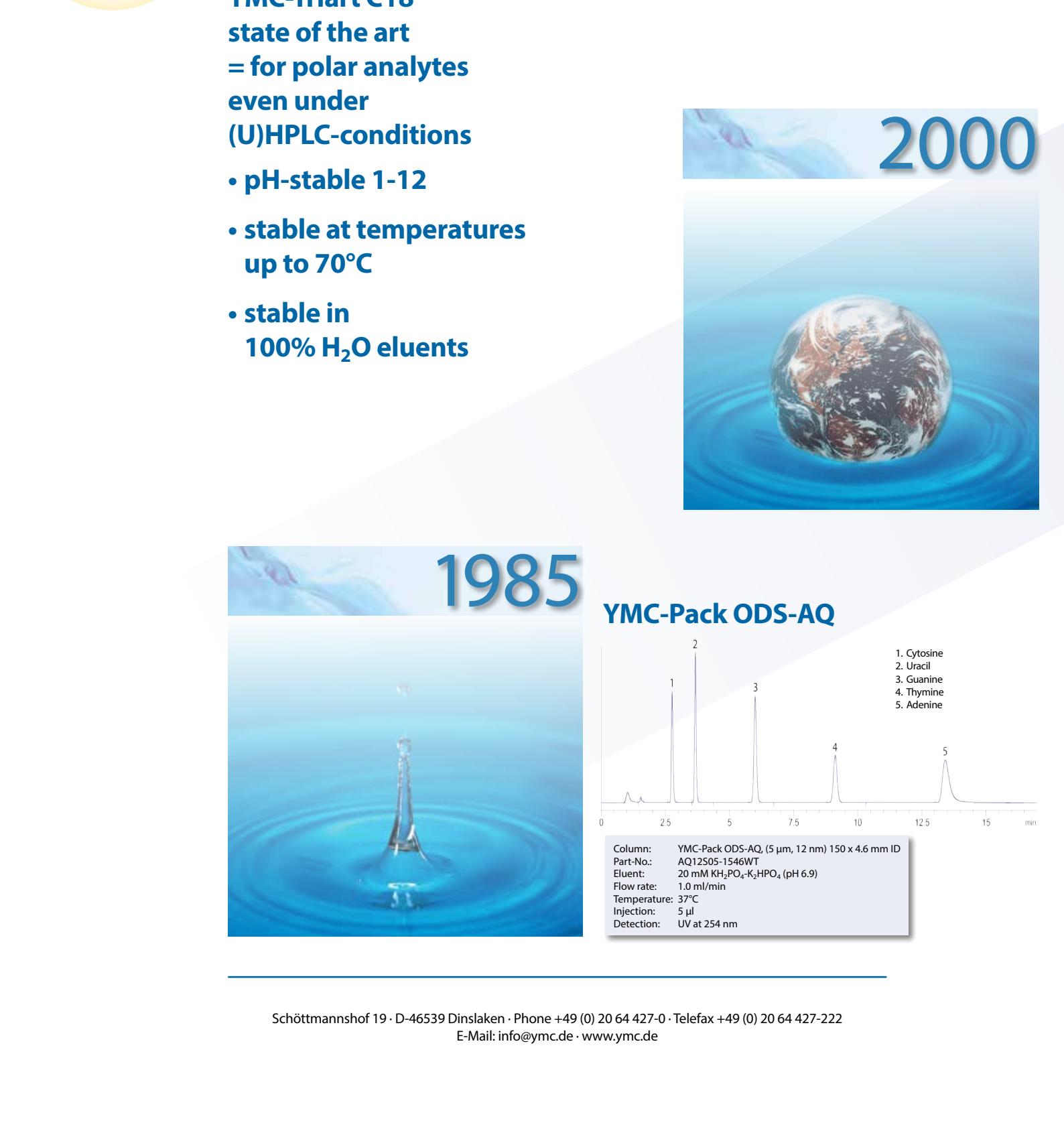
Therefore, YMC-Triart provides freedom in method development, robustness and enhanced column lifetimes for reproducible results, day after day, year after year. YMC-Triart is fully scalable within (U)HPLC ↔ HPLC with its 1.9 – 3 – 5 micron particle sizes in order to facilitate lab-to-lab method transfer.



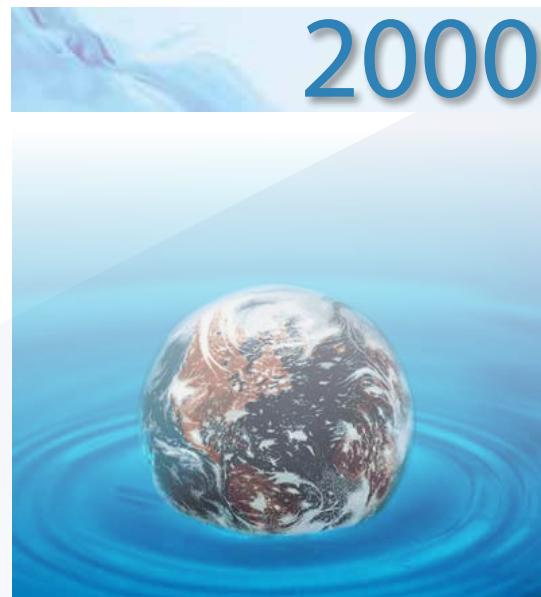
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**YMC-Triart C18**  
**state of the art**  
**= for polar analytes**  
**even under**  
**(U)HPLC-conditions**

- pH-stable 1-12
- stable at temperatures up to 70°C
- stable in 100% H<sub>2</sub>O eluents

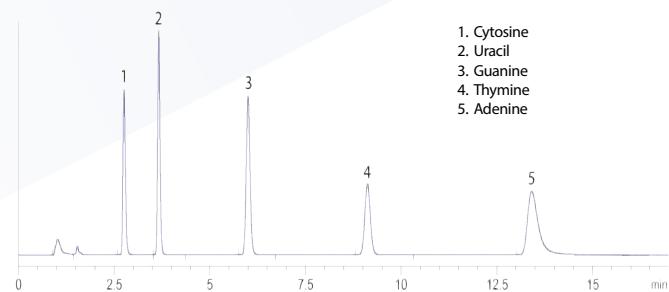


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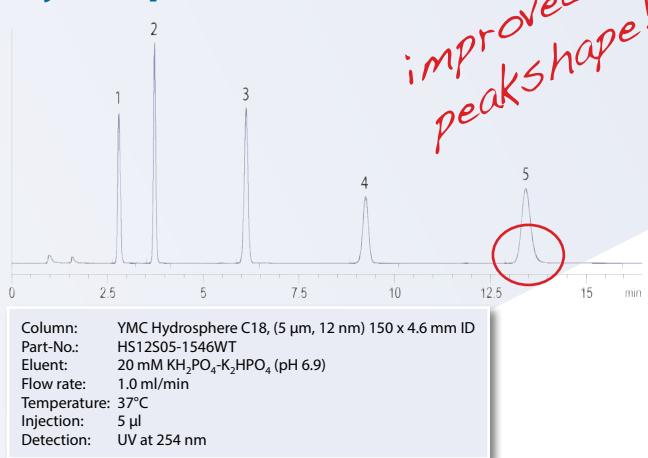
**YMC-Pack ODS-AQ**



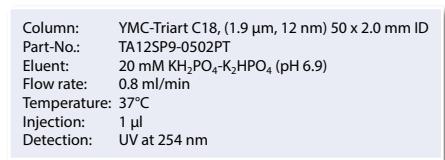
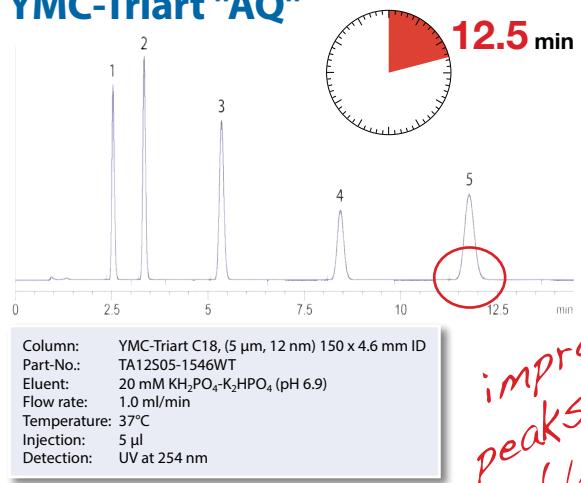
Column: YMC-Pack ODS-AQ, (5 µm, 12 nm) 150 x 4.6 mm ID  
Part-No.: AQ12S05-1546WT  
Eluent: 20 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-K<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> (pH 6.9)  
Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min  
Temperature: 37°C  
Injection: 5 µl  
Detection: UV at 254 nm



## Hydrosphere C18

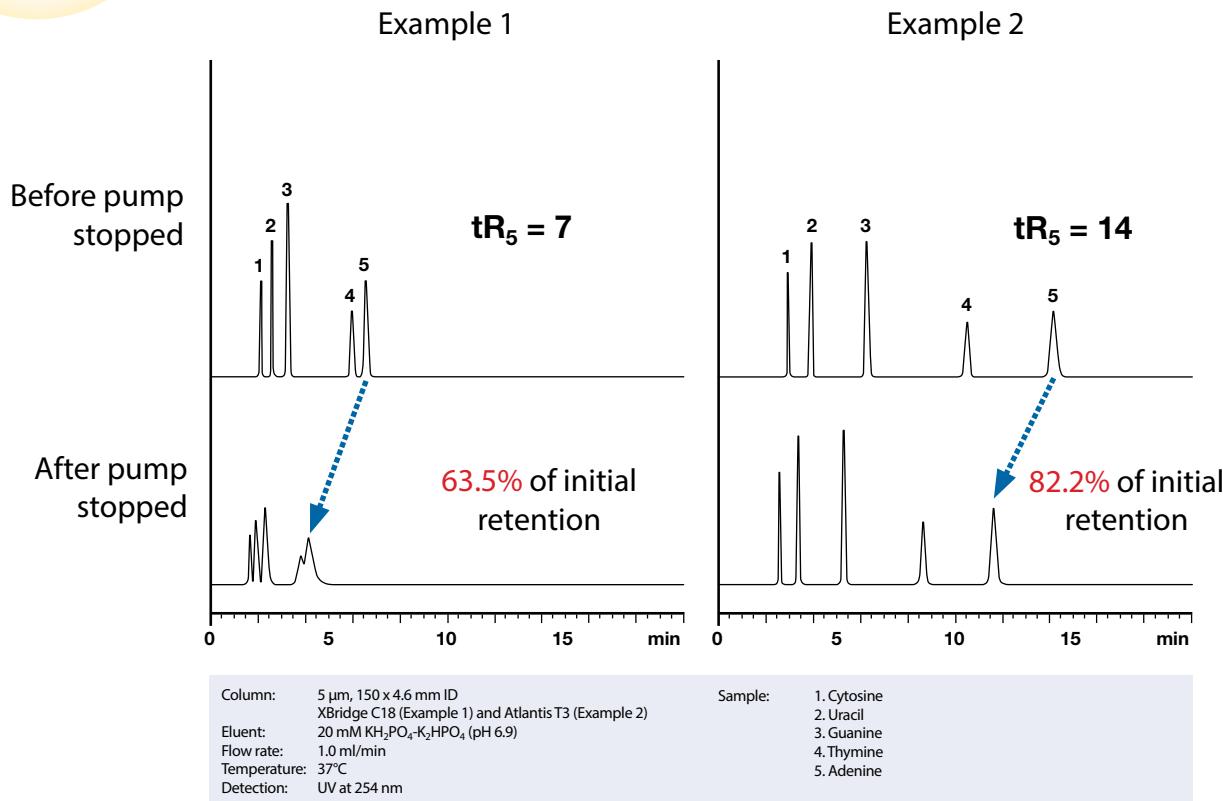


## YMC-Triart "AQ"

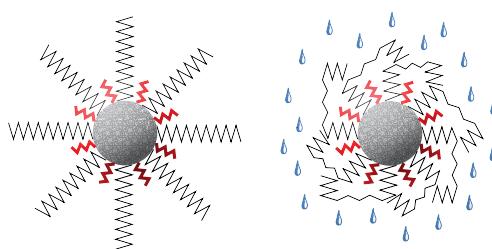


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## Aqueous conditions deteriorate column performance



### Why? Image of C18 surface hydration



The columns used for applications involving 100% aqueous buffers provide shorter retention times after the flow was stopped between analyses.

This behaviour is caused by poor hydration of the phase. Polar compounds cannot easily distribute between the mobile phase and the stationary phase.

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## Reproducible stable performance!

*No retention time changes!*

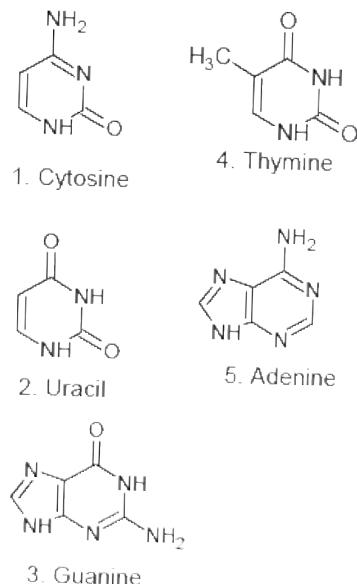
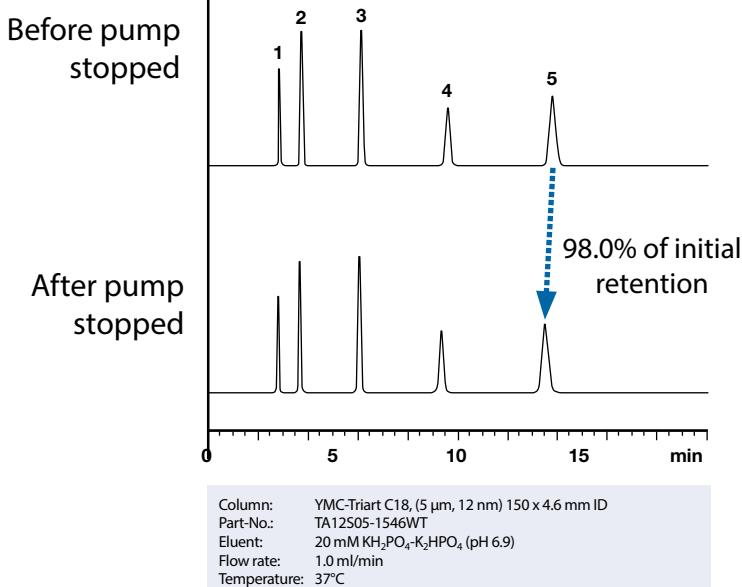
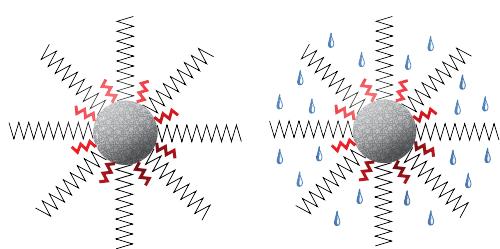


Image of C18 surface hydration

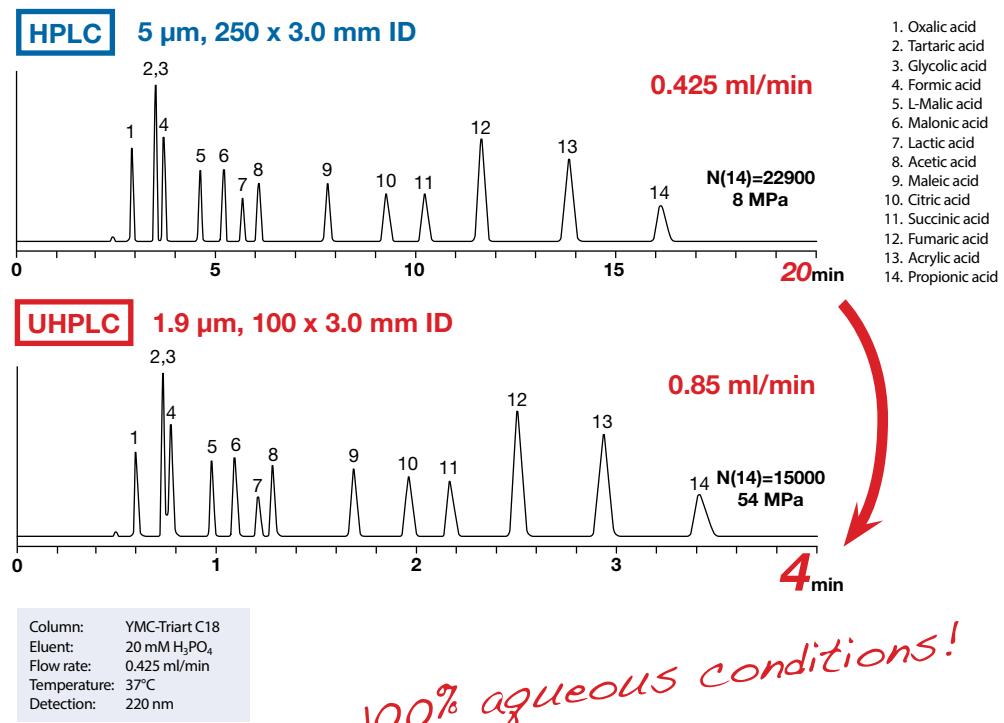


When Triart C18 columns are used for applications involving 100% aqueous buffers, the retention times are unchanged after the flow was stopped between analyses.

This is due to the improved hydration of the phase. Polar compounds can easily distribute between the mobile phase and the stationary phase.

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## From the inventors of AQ-columns: YMC-Triart C18 "validated" for AQ-conditions!



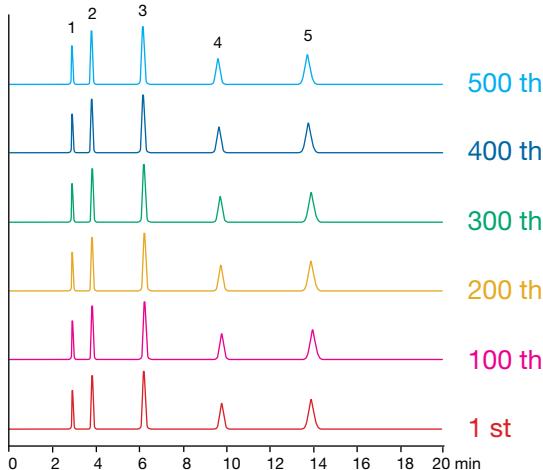
Stable under harsh conditions: pH 1-12 and temperature up to 70°C.

Stable retention times with 100% aqueous eluents!

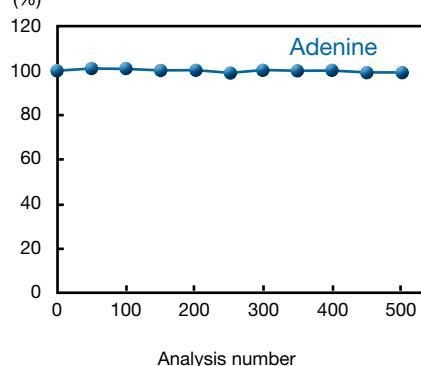
Reproducible results day after day, column to column and lab to lab!

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## Proven reliability

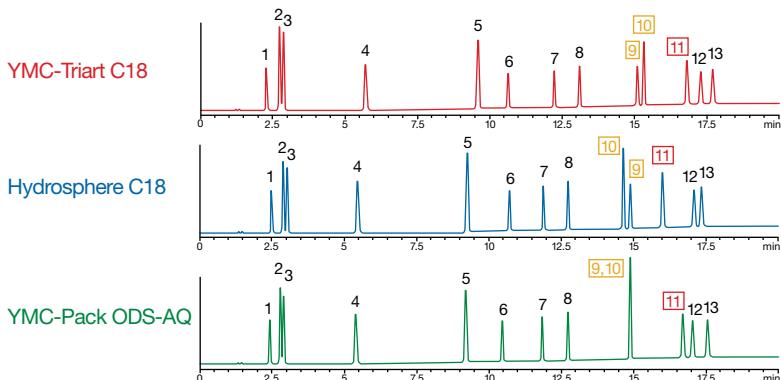


Retention stability of Adenine



Column: YMC-Triart C18, 5 µm, 12 nm) 150 x 3.0 mm ID  
Part-No.: TA12S05-1530WT  
Eluent: 20 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-K<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> (pH 6.9)  
Flow rate: 0.425 ml/min  
Temperature: 37°C  
Detection: UV at 254 nm  
Sample: 1. Cytosine 2. Uracil 3. Guanine 4. Thymine  
5. Adenine

No change is found in the separation parameters including retention times, even after 500 injections when using Triart C18



Column: 3 µm, 150 x 3.0 mm ID  
Part-No.: TA12S05-1530WT  
Eluent: A) 20 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (pH 2.8) containing 5 mM CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>SO<sub>3</sub>Na  
B) 20 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>-H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (pH 2.8)/acetonitrile (80/20) containing 5 mM CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>SO<sub>3</sub>Na  
Flow rate: 0.425 ml/min  
Temperature: 40°C  
Detection: 210 nm

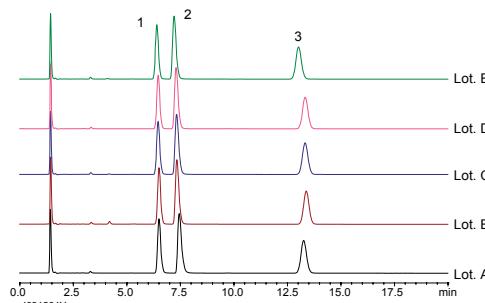
Retention behaviour of water-soluble vitamins on three YMC ODS phases which can be used with 100% aqueous mobile phases is compared. The retention times and peak elution order for folic acid (peak 9), thiamine hydrochloride (peak 10) and cyanocobalamin (peak 11) are different for the three phases due to the balance of hydrophobicity and hydrogen bond capacity differing between the three phases.

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## Batch-to-Batch reproducibility

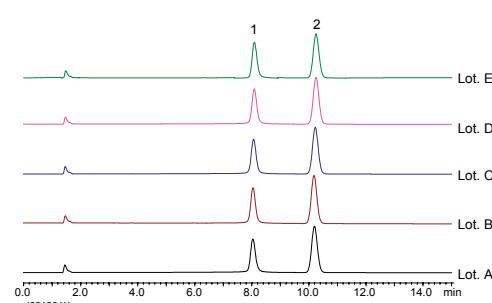
Excellent reproducibility of YMC-Triart phases is available even for the analysis for basic and coordination compounds which normally exhibit tailing and adsorption effects.

### Basic compounds



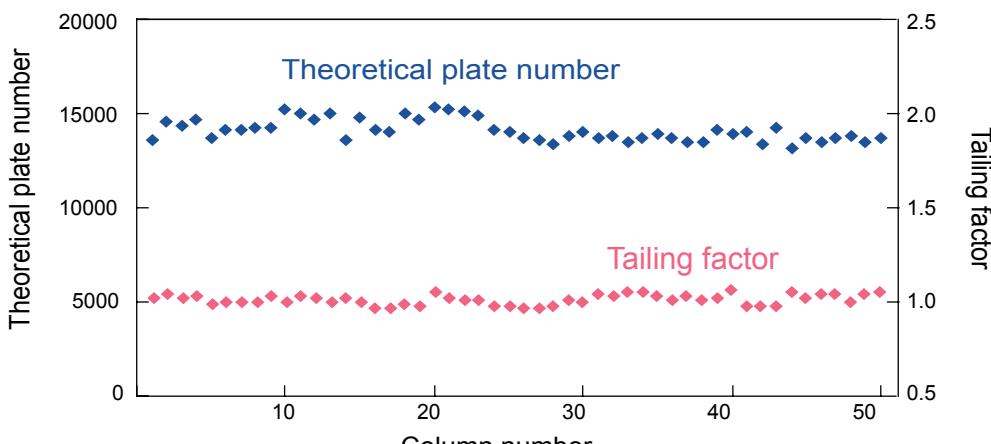
Column: YMC-Triart C18, 5 µm, 150 x 3.0 mm ID  
Part-No.: TA12505-1503WT  
Eluent: 20 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (pH 6.9) / acetonitrile (65/35)  
Flow rate: 0.425 ml/min  
Temperature: 40 °C  
Detection: UV at 235 nm

### Coordination compounds



Column: YMC-Triart C18, 5 µm, 150 x 3.0 mm ID  
Part-No.: TA12505-1503WT  
Eluent: acetonitrile / 0.1% H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (40/60)  
Flow rate: 0.425 ml/min  
Temperature: 40 °C  
Detection: UV at 254 nm

The reproducibility of packed columns is shown below in terms of theoretical plate number (N) and tailing factor (Tf). YMC-Triart packed columns exhibit a very narrow range of variation.

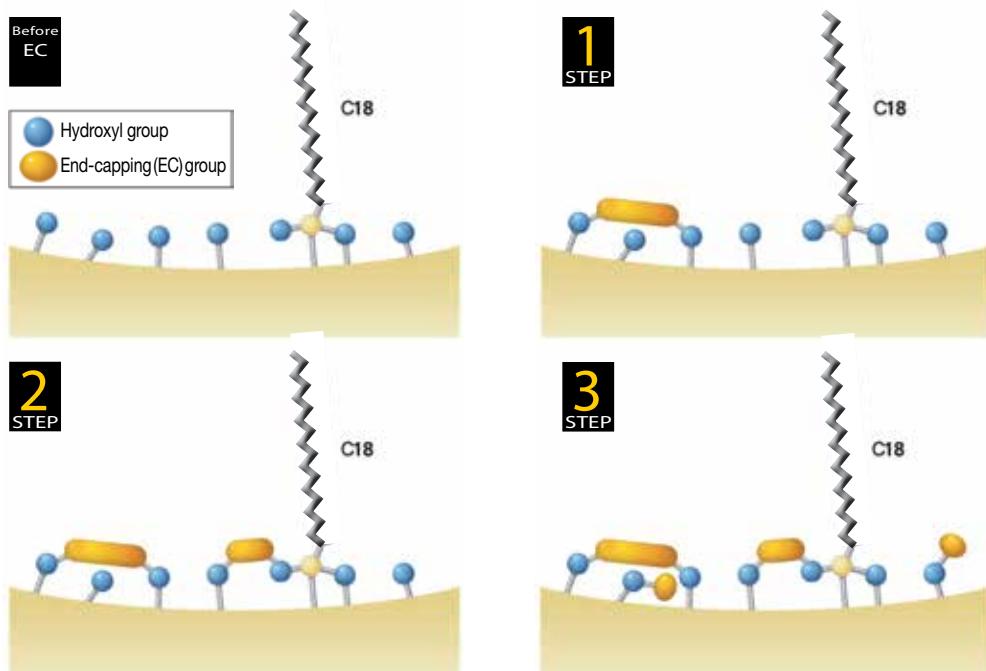


Column: YMC-Triart C18, 5 µm, 150 x 4.6 mm ID  
Part-No.: TA12505-1546WT  
Eluent: acetonitrile / water (40/60)  
Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min  
Temperature: ambient  
Sample: butyl benzoate

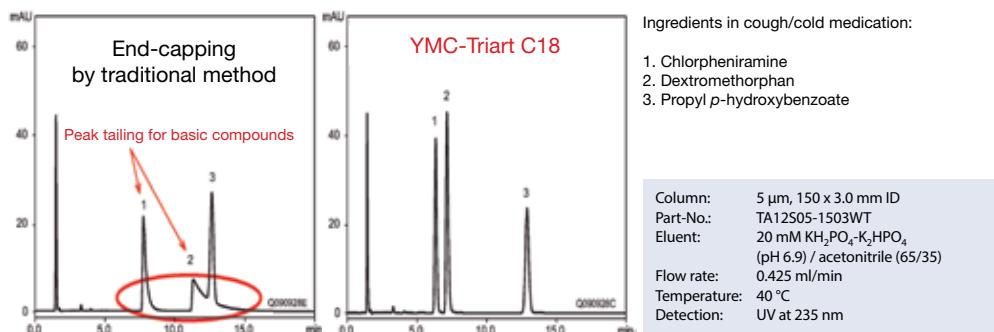
## Multi-stage endcapping

After bonding the alkyl chain, there are highly reactive and less reactive silanols on the surface. In traditional bonding processes, these are reacted with a single capping-compound in one step. However, the highly reactive silanols can be hydrolysed easily which contributes to the poor durability. The less reactive silanols are hard to endcap which results in poor resolution due to peak tailing.

YMC-Triart C18, C8 and Phenyl phases use a new innovation in endcapping called "multi-stage endcapping" for its surface modification process. By using a number of compounds with the different reactivities in successive steps, all silanols can be capped to the maximum extent.



The chromatographic result of a "good" endcapping is demonstrated:



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6"-O-Acetylgenistin	35	Cyanidin-3-O-galactoside	36	Hydroxychloroquine sulfate	17
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Adenosine	38	Cytosine	38		
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L-Ascorbic acid 2-glucoside	35	Dopamine hydrochloride (DA)	25	Macrolide antibiotics	12
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				Malvidin-3-O-glucoside	36
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Benzyl alcohol	7	Erythromycin ethylsuccinate	30	2-Methylresorcinol	14
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## Ordering Information

### YMC-Triart C18, 1.9 µm UHPLC columns (max. pressure 1,000 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)					Guard cartridges* with 5 mm length (pack of 3)
		30	50	75	100	150	
C18	2.0	TA12SP9-0302PT	TA12SP9-0502PT	TA12SP9-L502PT	TA12SP9-1002PT	TA12SP9-1502PT	TA12SP9-E5Q1CC
	3.0	—	TA12SP9-0503PT	TA12SP9-L503PT	TA12SP9-1003PT	TA12SP9-1503PT	TA12SP9-E503CC

\*Guard cartridge holder required, part no. XPCHUHP

### YMC-Triart C18 plus, 3 µm high pressure rated analytical columns (max. pressure 450 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)							Guard cartridges* with 10 mm length (pack of 5)
		20	33	50	75	100	150	250	
C18	2.1	TA12S03-02Q1PTH	TA12S03-H3Q1PTH	TA12S03-05Q1PTH	TA12S03-L5Q1PTH	TA12S03-10Q1PTH	TA12S03-15Q1PTH	—	TA12S03-01Q1GC
	3.0	—	—	TA12S03-0503PTH	TA12S03-L503PTH	TA12S03-1003PTH	TA12S03-1503PTH	—	TA12S03-0103GC
	4.6	—	TA12S03-H346PTH	TA12S03-0546PTH	TA12S03-L546PTH	TA12S03-1046PTH	TA12S03-1546PTH	TA12S03-2546PTH	TA12S03-0104GC

\*Guard cartridge holder required, part no. XPGCH-Q1

### YMC-Triart C18 plus, 5 µm high pressure rated analytical columns (max. pressure 450 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)							Guard cartridges* with 10 mm length (pack of 5)
		20	33	50	75	100	150	250	
C18	2.1	TA12S05-02Q1PTH	TA12S05-H3Q1PTH	TA12S05-05Q1PTH	TA12S05-L5Q1PTH	TA12S05-10Q1PTH	TA12S05-15Q1PTH	—	TA12S05-01Q1GC
	3.0	—	—	TA12S05-0503PTH	TA12S05-L503PTH	TA12S05-1003PTH	TA12S05-1503PTH	—	TA12S05-0103GC
	4.6	—	TA12S05-H346PTH	TA12S05-0546PTH	TA12S05-L546PTH	TA12S05-1046PTH	TA12S05-1546PTH	TA12S05-2546PTH	TA12S05-0104GC

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Triart „plus“ specifies a novel column hardware technology with increased pressure rating; specifications for the proven bonding chemistries remain identical irrespective of the selected column hardware format.

### YMC-Triart C18, 3 µm analytical columns (max. pressure 200/250 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)							Guard cartridges* with 10 mm length (pack of 5)
		50	75	100	150	250			
C18	2.0	TA12S03-0502WT	TA12S03-L502WT	TA12S03-1002WT	TA12S03-1502WT	—	—	—	TA12S03-01Q1GC
	3.0	TA12S03-0503WT	TA12S03-L503WT	TA12S03-1003WT	TA12S03-1503WT	—	—	—	TA12S03-0103GC
	4.6	TA12S03-0546WT	TA12S03-L546WT	TA12S03-1046WT	TA12S03-1546WT	TA12S03-2546WT	TA12S03-0104GC	TA12S03-0104GC	

\*Guard cartridge holder required, part no. XPGCH-Q1

### YMC-Triart C18, 5 µm analytical columns (max. pressure 200/250 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)							Guard cartridges* with 10 mm length (pack of 5)
		50	75	100	150	250			
C18	2.0	TA12S05-0502WT	TA12S05-L502WT	TA12S05-1002WT	TA12S05-1502WT	—	—	—	TA12S05-01Q1GC
	3.0	TA12S05-0503WT	TA12S05-L503WT	TA12S05-1003WT	TA12S05-1503WT	—	—	—	TA12S05-0103GC
	4.6	TA12S05-0546WT	TA12S05-L546WT	TA12S05-1046WT	TA12S05-1546WT	TA12S05-2546WT	TA12S05-0104GC	TA12S05-0104GC	

\*Guard cartridge holder required, part no. XPGCH-Q1

## Ordering Information

### EXP®Guard Cartridge Column

Packing material	Column size Length x ID (mm)	Product code	
YMC-Triart C18 (1.9 µm, 12 nm)	5 x 2.1	TA12SP9-E5Q1CC	(3 / pack)
	5 x 3.0	TA12SP9-E503CC	(3 / pack)

A cartridge holder will need to be purchased separately before using this product for the first time.  
Other phase than listed above, please inquire us.

### Cartridge Holder

Product name / Specification	Product code	
EXP® direct connect holder (1 titanium hybrid ferrule included) Ferrule is adjustable. Pressure rated to 140 MPa (20,000 psi)	XPCHUHP	(1 / pack)

### YMC-Triart, 12 nm, 5 µm in ACTUS high-throughput semipreparative hardware (max. pressure 300 bar)

Phase	Column ID (mm)	Column length (mm)				
		50	75	100	150	250
C18	20.0	TA12S05-0520WX	—	TA12S05-1020WX	TA12S05-1520WX	TA12S05-2520WX
	30.0	TA12S05-0530WX	TA12S05-L530WX	TA12S05-1030WX	TA12S05-1530WX	TA12S05-2530WX

### YMC-Triart, preparative bulk media

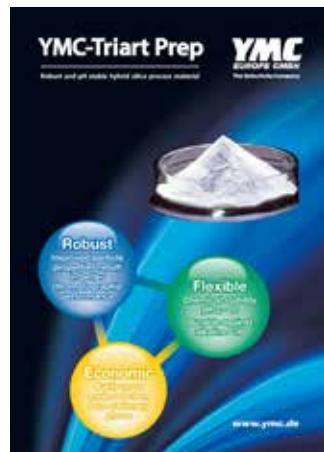
YMC-Triart C18-S		
Pore size (nm)	Particle size (µm)	Product Code
12	10	TAS12S11
	15	TAS12S16
	20	TAS12S21
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Available in pack sizes 100 g, 500 g, 1 kg, 5 kg, 25 kg

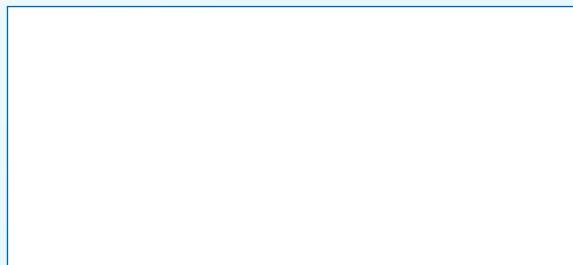
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