# **Agilent TC-C18(2) and HC-C18(2)**

For cost-conscious chromatographers who need traditional LC columns and don't need the individual testing of ZORBAX, Pursuit or Polaris columns, the Agilent TC(2)/HC(2) columns provide an alternative.

## TC-C18(2)

Agilent TC-C18(2) is the ideal choice for complex natural product extract samples, traditional medicines and environmental samples or any sample where you need to analyze mixtures of polar and non-polar compounds, including strong basic compounds.

- Lower carbon load 12%
- Ideal for polar compounds and gradient separations that start at low % organic or cover a wide organic range
- · Good choice for samples dissolved in water, or mostly water
- Use with most common mobile phases, including formic acid, acetic acid, trifluoroacetic acid (TFA) and phosphate buffers with acetonitrile and methanol as the organic modifiers
- Excellent performance from pH 2-8

# HC-C18(2)

Agilent HC-C18(2) is a more retentive C18 with a higher carbon load. An excellent value alternative to other high carbon load columns, it also provides superior peak shape for basic compounds.

- Higher carbon load 17% provides greater retention for moderately polar and non-polar compounds
- Ideal for non-polar compounds and separations that start at mid-level % organic (at least greater than 10% organic)
- Good choice for industrial samples or samples dissolved in organic/mostly organic solvents
- Stable over a very wide pH range (2-9) for maximum flexibility



#### **Column Specifications Bonded** Temp. Carbon Phase **Pore Size Surface Area** Limits pH Range\* **Endcapped** Load TC-C18(2) 170Å 290 m<sup>2</sup>/g 60 °C 2.0-8.0 12% Yes HC-C18(2) 170Å 60 °C 2.0-9.0 Yes 17% 290 m<sup>2</sup>/g

Specifications represent typical values only.

### Agilent HC-C18(2) and TC-C18(2)

Size (mm)	Particle Size (µm)	Part No.
4.6 x 250	5	588905-902
4.6 x 150	5	588915-902
4.6 x 250	5	588925-902
4.6 x 150	5	588935-902
4.6 x 12.5	5	520518-904
4.6 x 12.5	5	520518-905
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