

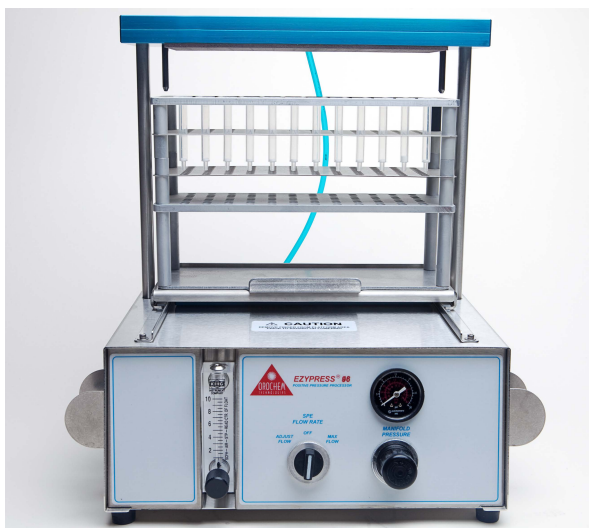
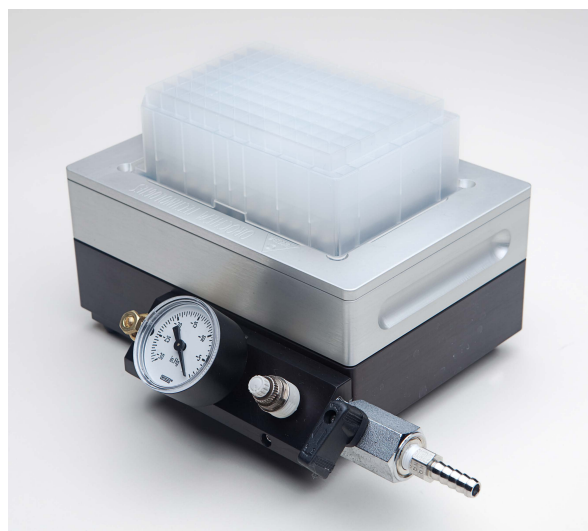
# Purity

## Phospholipid Depletion Products

**Purity** is the unique Phospholipid depletion device which individually integrates screen filtration with the targeted removal of phospholipids and proteins in plasma/serum. The technology utilizes Acidic particles which exhibit selective affinity towards phospholipids while remaining non-selective towards a range of basic, neutral and acidic compounds. The phospholipid retention mechanism is based on highly selective Lewis acid-base interaction between the ions (functionally bonded to the SPE stationary phase) and the phosphate moiety consistent with all phospholipids. It eliminates ion suppression through protein precipitation and phospholipid removal.

### Protocol 1

1. Precipitate proteins by adding 400  $\mu$ L of 1% formic acid in methanol (or methanol-acetonitrile mixture) to the Phospholipid removal plate( or spin column, cartridge) followed by 100 $\mu$ L plasma or serum.
2. Apply positive pressure or vacuum- The packedbed filter / frit assembly acts as a depth filter for the concurrent physical removal of precipitated proteins and phospholipids. Small molecules (e.g. pharma compounds and metabolites) pass through unretained.



### Protocol 2

1. For acidic compounds, we recommend 5mM to 10mM ammonium formate buffers at pH 9 in methanol. The solvent to plasma ratio is at least 4:1. Load the solvent first to the plate or cartridge, then add plasma.
2. Apply vacuum or positive pressure. The packedbed filter/ frit assembly acts as a depth filter for the concurrent physical removal of precipitated proteins and chemical removal phospholipids. Small molecules (e.g., pharmaceutical compounds and metabolites) pass through unretained.