

TSKgel® SP-NPR Products

Column:	0013076, 4.6mm ID x 3.5cm, 2.5µm	Small Ion Capacity: >0.1 eq/L Counter Ion: Na ⁺
Accessories:	0014594, Pre-Injector Membrane Filter Holder, SS 0006280, 13mm Nylon Membrane Filter, 0.45 µm, for 14594, pk 100	

This sheet contains the recommended operating conditions and the specifications for TSK-GEL SP-NPR column. Installation instructions and column care information are described in a separate Instruction Manual.

A. OPERATING CONDITIONS

- Shipping Solvent: Distilled Water
- Max. Flow Rate: 1.5 mL/min

When a buffer with high viscosity is used, the maximum flow rate may have to be reduced so as not to exceed the maximum pressure drop.
- Standard Flow Rate: 1.0 - 1.5 mL/min
- Max. Pressure: 20.0 MPa
- pH Range: 2 - 12 (pH above 12 or below 2 can only be used for a short time)
- Salt Conc.: ≤ 1 mol/L
- Organic Conc.: ≤ 50%
- Temperature: 0 - 60°C
- Cleaning Solvents:
 - 0.1 - 0.2mol/L NaOH, or
 - 20 - 40% acetic acid aq., or
 - Aqueous buffer in 30% acetonitrile or methanol, or
 - Urea or non-ionic surfactant in buffer

NOTE: Clean the column regularly by injecting up to one column volume 0.1 - 0.2mol/L NaOH in 250 µl - 2ml increments.

- Storage: Store the column in the shipping solvent when it will not be used the next day. Avoid air to enter the column!
- Column Protection: No guard column is available for the TSK-GEL SP-NPR column. Be sure to use a filter after the injector with 0.5 micron pores to avoid frequent plugging of the one micron pore size NPR column frit. We also recommend a pre-injector membrane filter to prevent particles from pump seal wear to reach the column.

NOTE: Use high quality reagents, water and solvents for preparing buffers. Fouling of the resin, leading to a loss in retention and/or efficiency, occurs faster due to the small surface area of non-porous resin particles.

B. SPECIFICATION

The performance of TSK-GEL SP-NPR columns is tested under the conditions described in the Data Sheet. All columns have passed the following quality control specification:

- Resolution (Rs): ≥ 10.0

$$Rs = 2(V_2 - V_1)/1.7(W_2 + W_1)$$
 in which,
 V_1 = elution volume trypsinogen
 V_2 = elution volume α -chymotrypsinogen
 W_1, W_2 = widths of peaks 1 and 2 at half height