## new!

## Rxi®-XLB (low polarity proprietary phase)

- General purpose columns exhibiting extremely low bleed. Ideal for many GC/MS applications, including pesticides, PCB congeners or (e.g.) Aroclor mixes, PAHs.
- · Unique selectivity.
- Temperature range: 30°C to 360°C.

Improvements in polymer synthesis and tubing deactivation enable us to make inert, stable Rxi®-XLB columns especially well-suited for analyzing active, high molecular weight compounds with sensitive GC/MS systems, including ion trap detectors. Excellent efficiency, coupled with inertness, low bleed, and high thermal stability, make Rxi®-XLB columns ideal for analyzing semivolatile compounds in drinking water (e.g., US EPA Method 525).

#### Rxi®-XLB Columns (fused silica)

(low-polarity proprietary phase)

# similar phases

DB-XLB, VF-Xms

ID	df (µm)	temp. limits*	15-Meter	30-Meter	60-Meter	
0.25mm	0.10	30 to 340/360°C	13705	13708		
	0.25	30 to 340/360°C	13720	13723	13726	
	0.50	30 to 340/360°C		13738		
	1.00	30 to 340/360°C	13750	13753		
0.32mm	0.10	30 to 340/360°C		13709		
	0.25	30 to 340/360°C	13721	13724	13727	
	0.50	30 to 340/360°C		13739		
	1.00	30 to 340/360°C		13754		
0.53mm	0.50	30 to 340/360°C		13740		
	1.50	30 to 320/340°C	13767	13770		

ID	df (µm)	temp. limits	10-Meter	20-Meter
0.10mm	0.10	30 to 340/360°C	43701	
0.18mm	0.18	30 to 340/360°C		43702

<sup>\*</sup>Maximum temperatures listed are for 15- and 30-meter lengths. Longer lengths may have a slightly reduced maximum temperature.

## tech tip

In combination with an Rxi®-XLB column, simple adjustments to the injection conditions can greatly improve sensitivity for active and high molecular weight Method 525.2 target compounds.

- By eliminating contact between the sample and the hot metal surfaces in the injection port, a Drilled Uniliner® inlet liner prevents analytes from degrading in the injection port.
- A pulsed injection (30psi/0.4 min.) reduces the time the analytes spend in the injection port, and helps to minimize breakdown.



