

Use of Multiplexing and Alternative Sample Preparation Techniques for High Throughput Toxicological Screening

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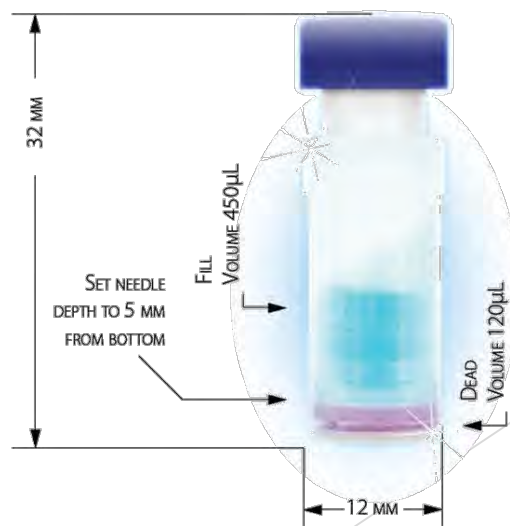
Sample Preparation Options

- ▶ Extraction:
 - ▶ Solid Phase Extraction, Supported Liquid Extraction, Liquid-Liquid Extraction
- ▶ Filter Vials
 - ▶ Process to dilute and filter urine and oral fluid samples



Thomson Filter Vials

- ▶ Shown to reduce matrix interferences for both urine and oral fluid
- ▶ Demonstrates adequate analyte recovery
- ▶ Simple and efficient method that eliminates solvent waste and other typical extraction consumables



eXtreme® Filter Vial Method

1.



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3.

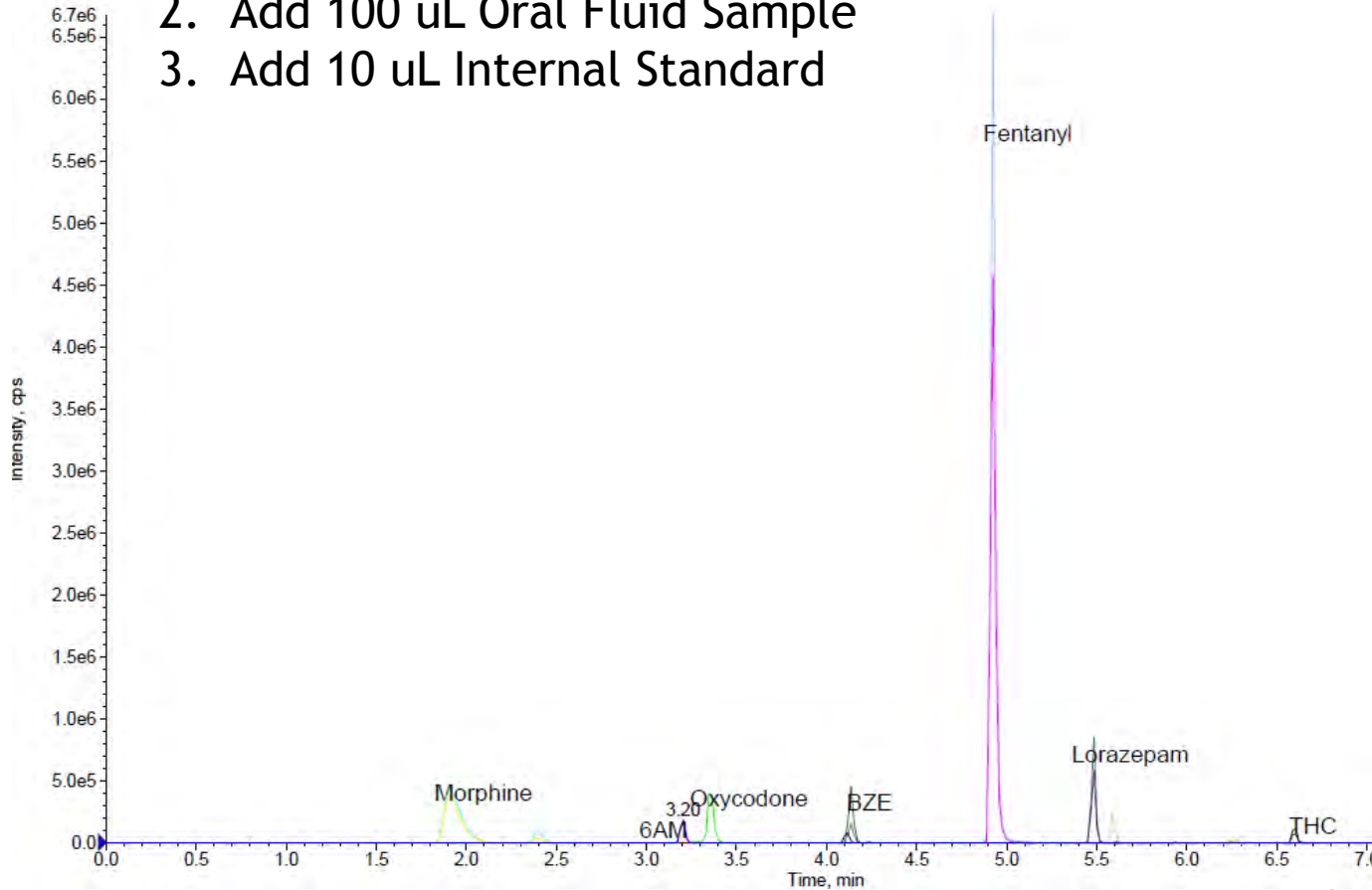


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<http://htslabs.com/downloads/FilterVialFlier.pdf>

Extracted Control

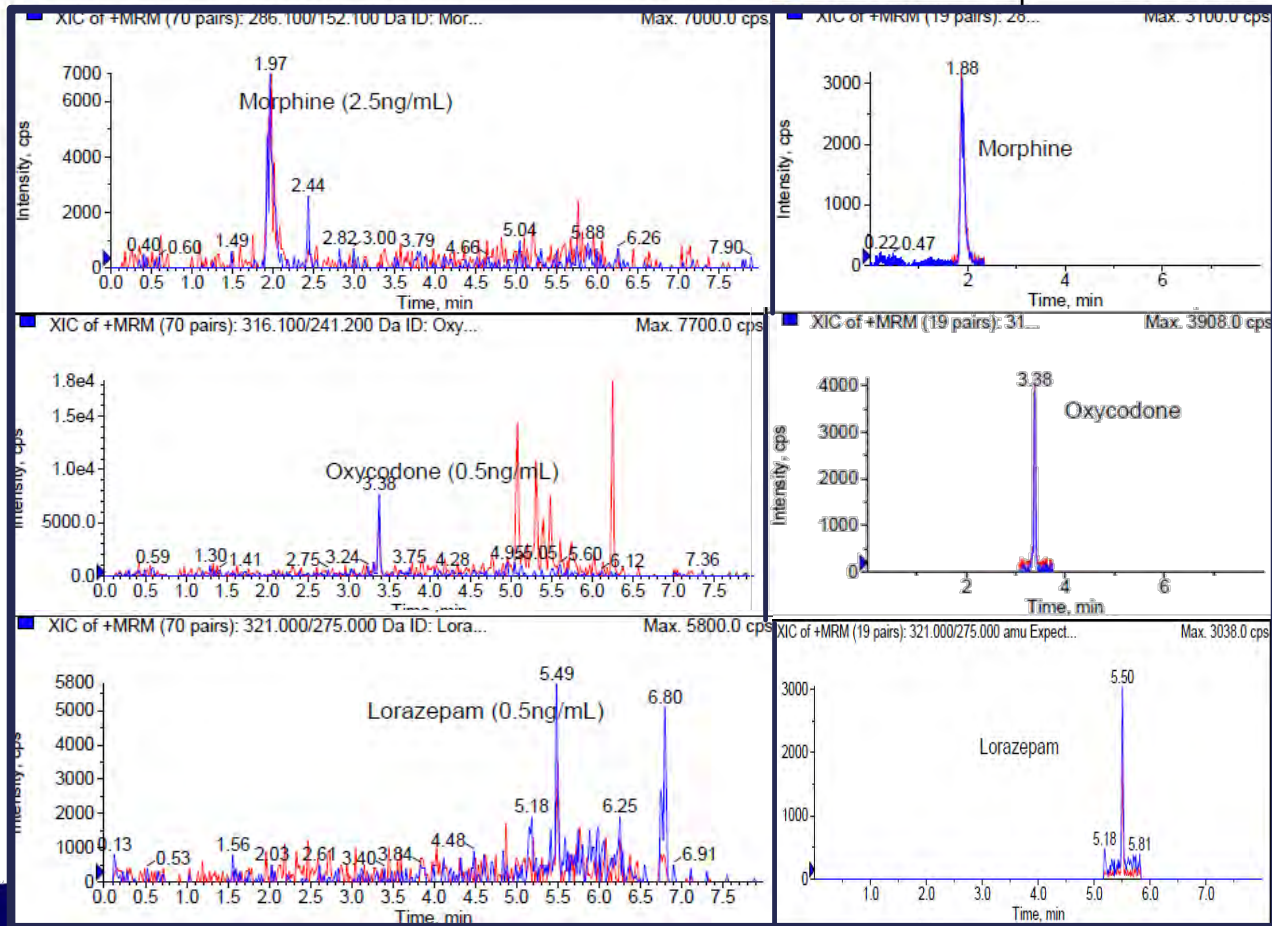
1. Add 100 uL of 20% MeOH (0.1% FA):80% H₂O (0.1% FA)
2. Add 100 uL Oral Fluid Sample
3. Add 10 uL Internal Standard



Limit of Detection Study

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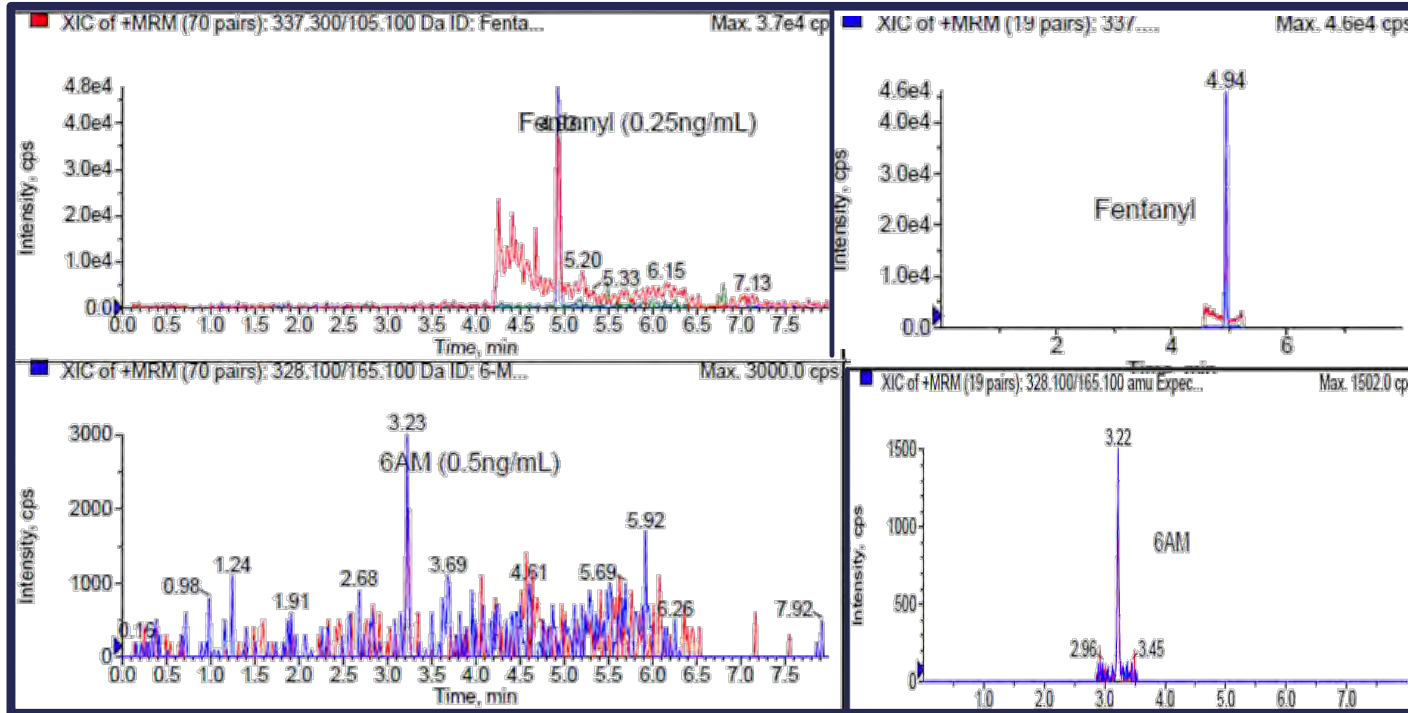
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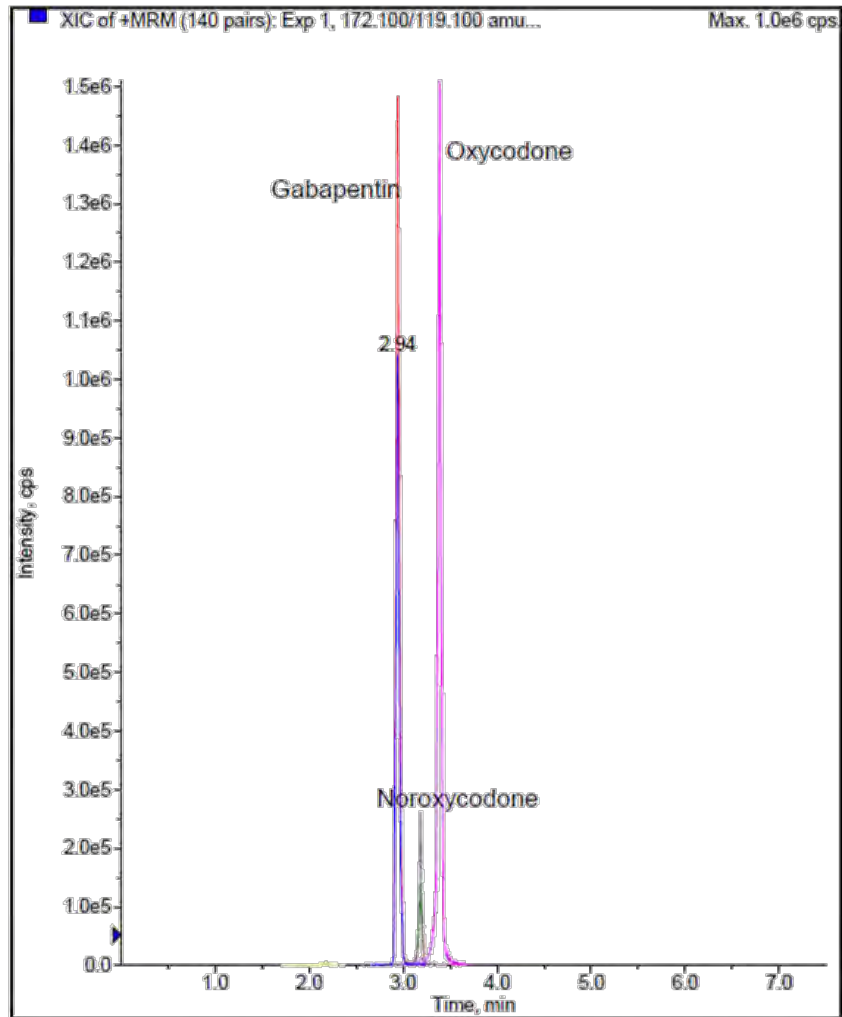
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Authentic Oral Fluid Sample



Comparison Studies

	SPE	Filter Vial
Number of Samples	48	48
Solvent Used	266.4 mL	4.8 mL
Solvent Waste	168 mL	0 mL
Extraction Time	~2 hours	~12 minutes
Equipment Cost	\$127.77**	\$120.00

**Does not include labor, extraction setup (manifold, pump, etc), maintenance, waste disposal



Filter Vials

- ▶ **Benefits:**

- ▶ Increased efficiency
- ▶ Decreased sample cost
- ▶ Decreased solvent waste

- ▶ **Drawbacks:**

- ▶ Minimal recovery of THC



Thank You!

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