

DIP Direct Inlet Probefor Agilent GC Mass Spectrometers

- accessory for the Agilent 5975 MSD and 7000 Triple Quadrupole MS in EI and CI mode
- throughput enhancement for the GC/MS system: immediate analysis of samples by direct vaporization into the MS ionization chamber
- rapid MS screening without GC separation
- recording of mass spectra without uncoupling the GC/MS interface:
 no time-consuming changeover from DIP/MS to GC/MS
- special sealing technology no additional pump required



DIP - Proven performance to boost your lab's productivity

The direct probe technique is a an accepted method used for the analysis of samples via mass spectrometer. This method for introducing samples into the mass spectrometer is quick and easy to use for solid and liquid samples without GC separation. Therefore, it is mostly applied for molecular weight determination and screening methods.

Now it is possible to use this technique for all Agilent GC/MS systems:

The first SIM Direct Inlet Probe (DIP) was originally developed for the 5973 MSD in EI and CI mode. Continuously optimizing this technology, by now DIP systems with well proven functionality are available for the 5975 MSD and the 7000 Triple Quadrupole MS as well. So, the lab's standard equipment, the Agilent GC/MS system with its proven and highly reliable technology, can easily be improved and be more productive by the SIM direct probe technique.

The DIP system enables direct analysis of liquid and solid samples that need no preceding chromatographic separation. The result is enhancement of the GC/MS application range as well as faster analysis runs. Together with a PAL autosampler, the DIP is a valuable addition for screening methods.

Principle of the DIP

Together with the sophisticated vacuum lock assembly, the heated push rod with integrated purge gas line is the heart of SIM's DIP technology. The probe can be programmed with 3 ramps and heating rates of 0.1-2°C/s up to 400°C, so con-



trolled heating and ideally pre-separation of the sample can be achieved. Immediately after the end of the DIP temperature program, rapid cooling to 30°C with pressurized air safely protects of the O-ring and provides faster analysis cycles. SIM's DIP technology enables elegant switching between DIP/MS and GC/MS without uncoupling the GC/MS interface and without removing the column.

Sophisticated Vacuum-Lock Assembly

The sample is transferred into the vacuum of the ionization chamber via a specially designed vacuum-lock assembly:

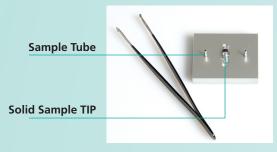
- marginal dead volume: no additional pump for the vacuum lock is required
- automatic insertion of the sample together with specially integrated safety features prevents damage to the ion source and minimizes accidental venting of the MS.

Designed for insertion of liquid and solid samples

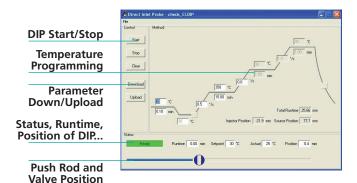
Interchangeable probe tips for liquid or solid samples can be filled manually or automatically:



The liquid probe tip remains at the push rod and is cleaned by heating.



Solid samples are put in special aluminium tubes that fit in the solid probe tip.

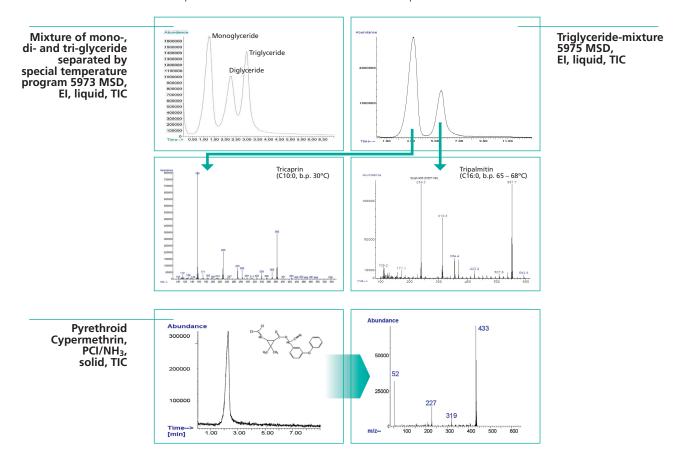


DIP software

The push rod of the DIP system is controlled by the user-friendly DIP software. The values of the temperature program are entered directly in the temperature profile, which will display the total runtime. During the analysis - the values for runtime, temperature and push rod position can be viewed in the status bar. Moreover, push rod position and valve position are graphically displayed. Automatic data acquisition with MS ChemStation or Mass Hunter Software starts together with the DIP start.

APPLICATIONS

For data analysis take advantage of all the advanced capabilities of the GC/MS systems with MS ChemStation and Mass Hunter Software. This also includes the use of spectral libraries for identification of the components.



OPTIONS:

DIP Add-On: PAL Autosampler

You can boost your lab's output with the versatile PAL autosamplers: In addition to common liquid injection with a syringe, SIM developed a special tube gripper as PAL supplement which is used for automated insertion of solid samples in sample tubes.



GC/MS with 5975 MSD-DIP



Sampling of solid samples with tube gripper



GC/MS with Triple Quad-DIP

CO₂-Cooling Kit:

To minimize the loss of high volatile components during the insertion, this kit enables cooling the sample tip down to 5°C until the target position in the ion source is reached.



SPECIFICATIONS

DIP for 5973/5975 MSD and 7000 Triple Quadrupole MS

Requirement: GC/MS System with Standard or Performance Turbo

Pump or Dual Stage Turbo Pump

Modes: DIP and GC/MS without uncoupling the GC/MS

interface and without removing the column

Samples: liquid or solid samples

Temperature range (push rod): RT up to 400°C

Temperature program: heating and cooling of the probe tip at ramp rates

(0.1°C/s to 2.0°C/s)

Sample Inlet: Direct Inlet Probe (DIP) with automatic sample transfer

into the ion source via vacuum lock

Control system: DIP firmware and software to control the system by PC

or via control panel of the DIP

Ionization mode: ECI, PCI, NCI

Analysis of mass spectra: acquisition, data handling and reporting according to

the respective mass spectrometer with MS ChemStation or Mass Hunter software

Controller: 230/110 V, 50/60 Hz, 0.2 A

Dimensions (GC/MS and DIP): 88 cm (w) x 77 cm (d) x 50 cm (h) as GC/5975 MSD and

additional the DIP (21 cm) in front of the MSD;

88 cm (w) x 86 cm (d) x 57 cm (h) as GC/7000 Triple Q MS

and additional the DIP (21 cm) in front of the MS

(without data system and printer)

Weight (GC/MS and DIP): 100 kg (DIP, 5975 MSD, 7890 GC); 130 kg (DIP, 7000

Triple Quad MS, 7890 GC) (without data system and printer)

Options:

• automation and online-analysis by combination of the
DIP with a PAL autosampler (for liquid and solid samples)

• CO₂-cooling kit for high volatile samples







Article	Order No.
5975-DIP System incl. Controller for Agilent 5975 MSD (ionisation: EI)	B 1600 59 75
5975-DIP System incl. Controller for Agilent 5975 MSD (ionisation: EI/CI)	B 1602 59 75
7000-DIP System incl. Controller for Agilent 7000 Triple Q MS (ionisation: EI)	B 1600 70 00
7000-DIP System incl. Controller for Agilent 7000 Triple Q MS (ionisation: El/CI)	B 1602 70 00

Note: the GC/MS-System is not included



