

## **Sorbent Disposal Process**

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Service Procedure **015** 

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Residual solvent can be removed from the sorbent by the following procedure:

- 1. Pour the contents of the used SPE columns into the Sorbent Disposal Bag. This includes the retaining ring, diffuser, and used sorbent material. The contents of four SPE columns fit into one Sorbent Disposal Bag. Tap the column gently to help release the contents.
- 2. Tap the bag gently on the counter to ensure that the material is packed down.



3. Discard the empty SPE column containers. (Containers cannot be reused.)





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- 4. Once the bag is full, use the provided zip-tie to close the top of the bag securely.
- 5. Place the filled bag under a vent hood. Leave the bag overnight (or approximately 16 hours) allowing time for the residual solvent to evaporate.
- After the solvent has evaporated, discard the full Sorbent Disposal Bag according to SDS guidelines and your internal SOP. The Sorbent Disposal Bag may contain strong bases or acids.

