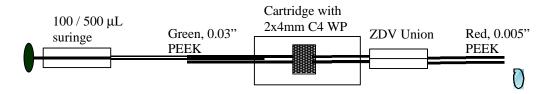
Protein Desalt / Concentration Protocol: Phenomenex SecurityGuard C4 WP

- A. FIA-MS applications.
- 1. Assemble the SecurityGuard cartridge as described in the manufacturers instructions



- 2. Cartridge wetted / washed with 100 μL 70% MeCN, 0.09% TFA.
- 3. Equilibrate with 500 µL 0.1% TFA
- 4. Load protein sample; upto 200 μg in 20-500μL water, or dilute buffer. Add 10 % TFA to a final concentration of 0.1%.
- 5. Wash with 500 μL 33% solvent B (23% MeCN, 0.09% TFA).
- 6. Elute protein into a microtube with 100 μL 70% MeCN, 0.09% TFA.

B. LC or LC-MS applications

Follow steps 1 to 5 above and attach (or switch on-line) guard cartridge to analytical column.

Alternatively, elute retained protein, dry to residue and re-suspend in required mobile phase.

C. Nanoelectrospray applications

Follow steps 1 to 6 above, dry to residue and re-suspend in 2-10 μ L 50% MeCN (or MeOH), 0.2% Formic Acid.