



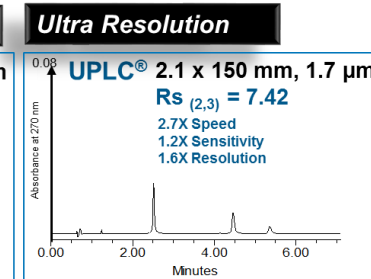
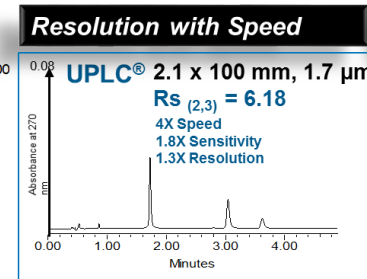
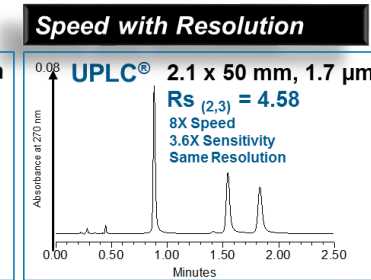
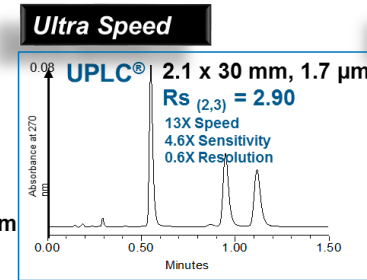
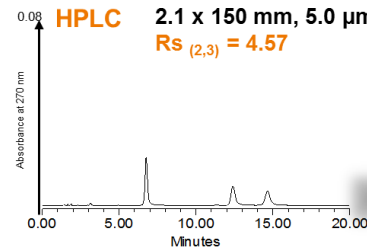
ACQUITY UPLC® Technology

Transforming Lives and Laboratories for 15
Years

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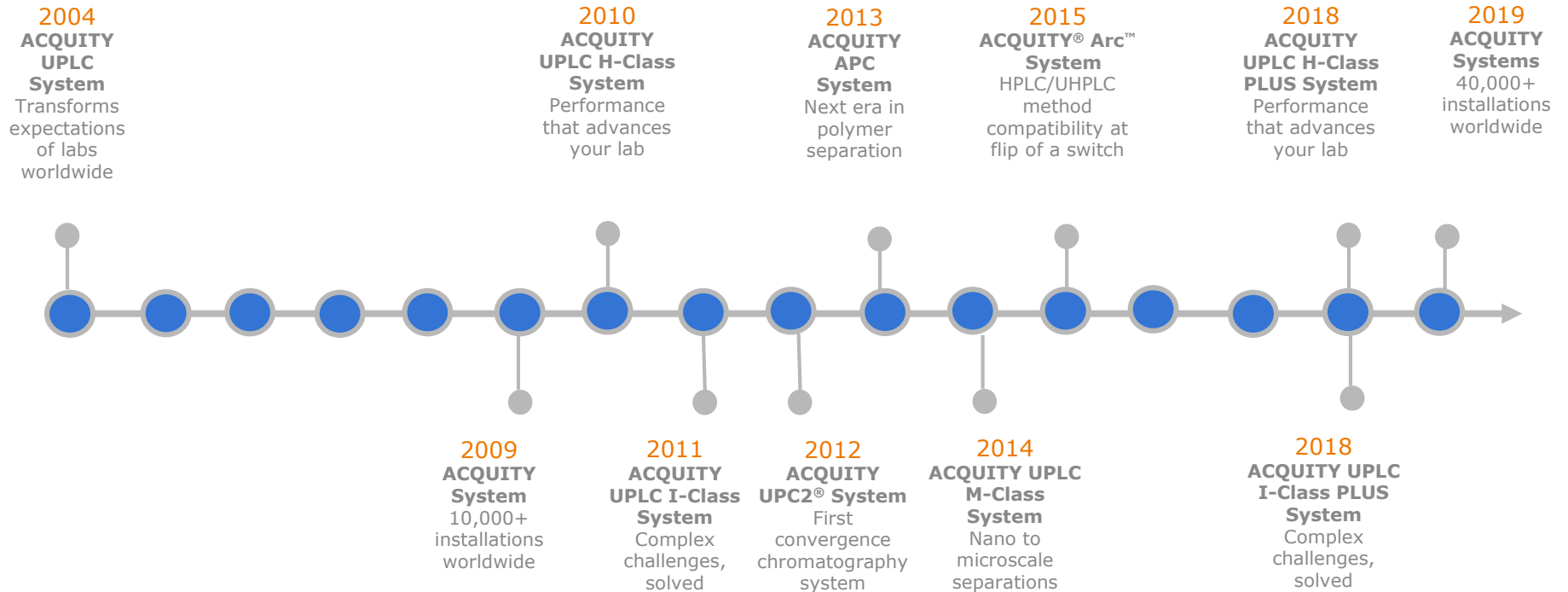
Waters UPLC® Technology

- In 2004, Waters revolutionized separation science with the introduction of Ultra-Performance Liquid Chromatography
- Waters made significant advances in instrumentation and column technology to achieve dramatic increases in resolution, speed and sensitivity
- For the first time, a holistic approach involving simultaneous innovations in particle technology and instrument design was endeavored to meet and overcome challenges of the analytical laboratory



ACQUITY® Product Family

Driving scientific achievements and breakthrough discoveries



ACQUITY Product Family

General Purpose, UPLC MS, Specialized LC Systems

General Purpose UHPLC/UPLC

- 1.7 to 5 μm column particles
- 9,500 to 15,000 psi
- LC and MS detectors
- Quaternary, Binary pumps
- Automatic injectors

ACQUITY Arc
ACQUITY Arc Bio
ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS
ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Bio

UPLC MS

- Sub-2 μm column particles
- Up to 18,000 psi
- LC and MS detectors
- Binary pumps
- Automatic injectors

ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Binary
ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Bio
Binary
ACQUITY UPLC I-Class PLUS
ACQUITY UPLC M-Class

Specialized LC Systems

- Various column particle sizes
- Wide pressure range
- Range of detectors
- Range of pumps
- Range of injectors

ACQUITY UPLC with 2D Technology
ACQUITY APC
ACQUITY UPC2
ACQUITY UPLC IVD



ACQUITY General Purpose UHPLC/UPLC Systems

Versatility without compromise

ACQUITY Arc System



- True **plug-and-play method compatibility** with Arc Multi-flow path technology
- **Replicate your established methods**
 - Accept and replicate methods from any HPLC platform
 - Auto•Blend Plus Technology for on-line blending of buffers
 - Optical and Mass Detection options designed to maximize HPLC and UHPLC performance
- Adapt methods to **maximize asset utilization**
 - Flexibility to maximize productivity through efficient and rapid 2.5 μm – 2.7 μm UHPLC separations
 - Accommodate larger 3.0 μm – 5 μm HPLC particles

Transform standard procedures into ultimate performance

ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Quaternary System



- Leverage industry-leading resolution capability to **improve characterization** of your complex samples
- Take advantage of advanced tools that simplify and **streamline your method development** workflow
 - Automated column selection with up to 6, independently controlled column temperature zones
 - Optional embedded solvent select valve to access 6 additional mobile phase lines
 - Auto•Blend Plus Technology for on-line blending of buffers
 - Optical and Mass Detection flexibility for efficient peak tracking and purity assessments
- Match the need of your laboratory through support of your existing **HPLC, UHPLC, and UPLC methods**

Ensuring Food Ingredient Quality and Consistency Waters

THE SCIENCE OF WHAT'S POSSIBLE.™

Kalsec® Business Solution

Background

- Kalsec is the leading producer of natural spice and herb flavor extracts
- Labs continually faced a very high volume of samples, ran three shifts/day
- Labs tasked with both in-process and final product quality assessments
- Labs utilize several techniques such as HPLC-UV, GC, titrations and wet chemistry

Challenge

- 15-minute HPLC-UV/FLR assay for quantification of low-level capsaicinoids
- Assay challenged with co-eluting analytes
- Significant matrix interference

Solution

- ACQUITY UPLC H-Class System
- ACQUITY QDa Mass Detector
- Empower® 3 Chromatography Software

Business Benefits

- Improved sample throughput and productivity, with a 73% reduction in run-time to 4 minutes
- Lower operating costs, with a 88% reduction in solvent consumption
- Improved data quality, with the inclusion of mass detection in the new method
- Accelerated pace of decision making for lot releases

[Business Solution – Ensuring Food Ingredient Quality and Consistency with Novel Mass Detection Technology \(720005996\)](#)

ACQUITY UPLC MS Systems



Deliver greater precision, speed and robustness

ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Binary System *NEW*

Waters
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- Insulin assay.
- Not enough reproducibility on H-Class while plugging on I-Class.
- 4-system evaluation including Hybrid, H-Class, 1290 and Vanquish.



- Standardized on H-Class Bio Systems in 2011 with 50+ units in place including QC.
- Increasing number of peptide mapping applications since 2016 and found QSM not well suited.
- Started evaluating Hybrid Bio system in late 2017.

Genentech
IN BUSINESS FOR LIFE



- Open access system in Med Chem group.
- Prefer BSM for throughput and need a workhorse for large volume of samples and strong solvents.
- Hybrid system installed in May and evaluation to be finished in October.

Lilly

- Other potentials
 - HTP analysis but of none optimal samples.
 - Quoted for Q4 order, Q1 2019 shipment.
 - Low organic shallow gradient, small molecule applications.
 - 300+ H-Class systems in house.

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Deliver greater precision, speed and robustness

ACQUITY UPLC H-Class PLUS Binary System **NEW**



- Combines the **lowest system volume** ACQUITY UPLC PLUS solvent manager (BSM) with the **most robust** sample manager (FTN-H) for:
 - **Greater precision** for long shallow gradients
 - **Increased speed** for high-throughput analyses
 - **Improved tolerance** for challenging sample matrices and harsh solvents
- Provides **greater system configuration flexibility** to better address the needs of select customers and applications
- Match the need of your laboratory through support of your existing **HPLC, UHPLC, and UPLC methods**
- **Ideal binary inlet** to mass spectrometry for routine LC/MS applications

What separates you from everyone else

ACQUITY UPLC I-Class PLUS System

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- Ultra efficient, narrow peaks **improve the sensitivity of any mass spectrometer** to enhance characterization of your complex samples
- Industry-leading ultra low dispersion and delay volumes enable **ultra-efficient, rapid separations** to maximize productivity
- Multidimensional UPLC configurations lead to **enhanced sample characterization** through selective isolation
- **Heightened sensitivity** through industry-leading carryover performance
- **Ideal binary inlet** to mass spectrometry for research LC/MS applications



Low Dispersion Detection

As low as 4 μ L total system dispersion
UPLC optimized optical detection
PDA, UV/Vis, FLR, RI, ELS
ACQUITY QDa

Column Management

eCord intelligent column tracking
Active solvent preheating up to 90 °C
Up to two independent thermal zones
Support up to 150 mm lengths

Sample Manager – FTN-I / FL-I

Inject from 0.1 to 1000 μ L (FTN-I)
Inject from 0.1 to 250 μ L (FL-I)
 \leq 0.001% Carryover
Auto-addition and Auto-dilution
Optional 7,296 capacity with Sample Organizer
Optional thermally controlled fraction collection

Binary Solvent Manager

18,000 PSI
0.001 to 2.0 mL/min
High pressure, binary mixing
Active check valves
Gradient SmartStart
Integrated solvent select valve (+2 solvents/line)
Extend selectivity with multidimensional LC

Flexible nano-scale to micro-scale UPLC

ACQUITY UPLC M-Class System

- Delivers the **most robust, reliable, and highest quality nano- to microscale UPLC separations** to every laboratory performing LC/MS analyses
- Quantifies small changes in protein conformation by extending its pressure range to enable a **higher efficiency separation**
- **Streamlines 2D-LC separations** with a highly intuitive menu-driven method setup, standardized separation chemistries, and intelligent valve operation
- Provides excellent **performance over a range of column sizes** (75 μm to 1.0 mm) delivering outstanding results over a 170-fold range of column dimensions
- **Ideal binary inlet** to mass spectrometry for research LC/MS applications



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Detection

UPLC optimized optical detection - PDA, UV/Vis

HDX Technology

Hydrogen Deuterium Exchange for monitoring protein conformation

IonKey/MS®

Microflow LC/MS with the turn of a key

Trap Valve Manager

Nanoscale (75 μm to 150 μm ID) separations
Capillary scale (300 μm ID) separations
Microscale scale (500 μm to 1mm ID) separations

Sample Manager – $\mu\text{SM-FL}$

Inject from 0.1 to 100 μL
Optional 7,296 capacity with Sample Organizer

Micro Binary Solvent Manager

15,000 PSI
200nL/min to 100 μL /min
High pressure, binary mixing
Active check valves

A Center of Excellence for Precision Medicine

Waters

National University Hospital (NUH) Business Solution

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Background

- NUH is a Singapore-based tertiary hospital and major referral center for medical specialties
- NUH participates in national research as part of an interdisciplinary network of clinical, basic science and public health companies

Challenge

- NUH was at the edge of their capabilities for work with oxidative stress, which was hindering their progress with biomarker method development
- NUH's mass spectrometers didn't possess the level of sensitivity required for their assays
- NUH needed to develop and validate a new sample preparation method with high recovery and with no evaporation and reconstitution steps

Solution

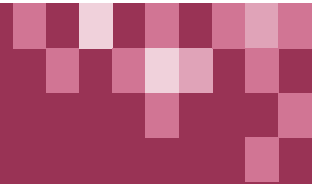
- ACQUITY UPLC I-Class System
- Xevo® TQ-XS Mass Spectrometer
- Oasis® MAX Solid Phase Extraction (SPE) Sorbents
- Partnership between NUH and Waters

Business Benefits

- LC-MS/MS solution provided NUH with the ability to use reduced sample volumes
- LC-MS/MS solution provided the high level of sensitivity required for biomarker discovery

[Business Solution – Waters Xevo TQ-XS provides the ultimate analytical sensitivity for biomarker development \(720006176\)](#)

ACQUITY Specialized LC Systems



ACQUITY Specialized LC Systems



ACQUITY UPLC with 2D Technology

- Offers the lowest dispersion system for maximum peak capacity with the most reliable, highest performing solvent managers and valve compartments to ensure accuracy and precision of the entire assay
- Ready-to-use configurations to get you to successful 2D UPLC experiments faster, with less troubleshooting and more confidence



ACQUITY APC

- Low-dispersion chromatographic system with fluid paths, fully optimized for solvents typically used in the aqueous and organic analysis of polymers
- Innovative RI Detector designed to specifically operate with low dispersion systems
- Innovative sub-3- μm hybrid-polymer column chemistries optimized for the analysis of aqueous and organic polymer separations



ACQUITY UPC2

- Chiral and achiral separations in one system, with unequalled speed and confidence
- The chromatographic principles and selectivity of normal-phase LC
- The ease-of-use and method development simplicity of reversed-phase LC
- Enables the use of gradients across the widest polarity range



ACQUITY UPLC IVD

- Clinical laboratories now have access to the selectivity, sensitivity, and versatility of LC-MS/MS analysis not seen using traditional techniques
- Eliminates significant time and cost per sample
- Benefit from Waters' patented sub-2- μm hybrid particle chemistry
- Waters follows internationally recognized standards with respect to its medical devices

A CRO Advances Polymer Characterization with UHPLC SEC

Intertek Business Solution

Background

- Intertek is a global provider of quality and safety services
- Intertek's Allentown, PA facility is an ISO 17025 laboratory that provides advanced analytical expertise and capabilities for chemical and materials analysis and R&D
- Laboratory employs diverse techniques including chromatography, mass spectrometry, failure analysis, rheology and spectroscopy to analyze many sample types

Challenge

- Increased demand for polymer analysis services and increased sample diversity
- Faced some inherent limitations with gel permeation chromatography techniques including:
 - Particles greater than 5µm which compromise resolution
 - Large system volumes of conventional GPC which require large diameter columns to mitigate band spreading, which can lead to resolution deterioration

Solution

- ACQUITY Advanced Polymer Chromatography System
- ACQUITY APC Columns
- Empower 3 Chromatography Data Software

Business Benefits

- Solvent equilibration times reduced to 4 hours from 24 to 48 hours (with conventional GPC)
- Revenue increased from ability to pursue more exploratory analyses
- Better characterizations for the presence of low molecular weight oligomers
- Greater productivity (ease of use); lower operating costs from reduced solvent consumption

**ACQUITY UPLC
H-Class Plus System**



**ACQUITY ARC
BIO System**



**ACQUITY UPLC
H-Class PLUS
BIO System**



**ACQUITY UPLC
M-Class System**



**ACQUITY UPLC
I-Class Plus System**



**ACQUITY ARC
System**



**ACQUITY UPLC
System**



**ACQUITY QDa
Mass Detector**

**ACQUITY APC
System**



**ACQUITY UPLC
Systems with
2D Technology**



**ACQUITY PATROL
UPLC Process
Analysis System**



**ACQUITY UPC²
System**



**Maximized Uptime
MORE CONFIDENCE**



**Enhanced precision and sensitivity
GET MORE DONE, FASTER**

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