

Certificate of Compliance

This document certifies that the device mentioned conforms to the standards and practices of Activated Research Company.

Device: Polyarc™ reactor v2.0
 Configuration: 40V Capillary
 Polyarc™ enclosure serial number: XXXXXXXXXX
 Polyarc™ reactor serial number: XXXXXXXXXX
 Heater assembly serial number: XXXX XX XX XX

Date: July 10, 2018
 Technician Initials: JS

Analysis: Final QC
 Sample: Polar Iso Test Mixture
 Column: HP-5 (30m x 0.32mm x 0.25 µm)
 Carrier Gas: He-constant flow 2.6 sccm (11.3 psi at 40°C)
 Temp. Program: 40°C (hold 5 min.) to 125°C at 10°C/min to 250°C at 25°C/min (hold 2 min.)
 Injector: Split/splitless; 250°C; 1 µL injection with 10:1 split
 Detector: FID; 315°C; 1.5 sccm H₂, 350 sccm air, 20 sccm He
 Aux Heat: 293°C setpoint

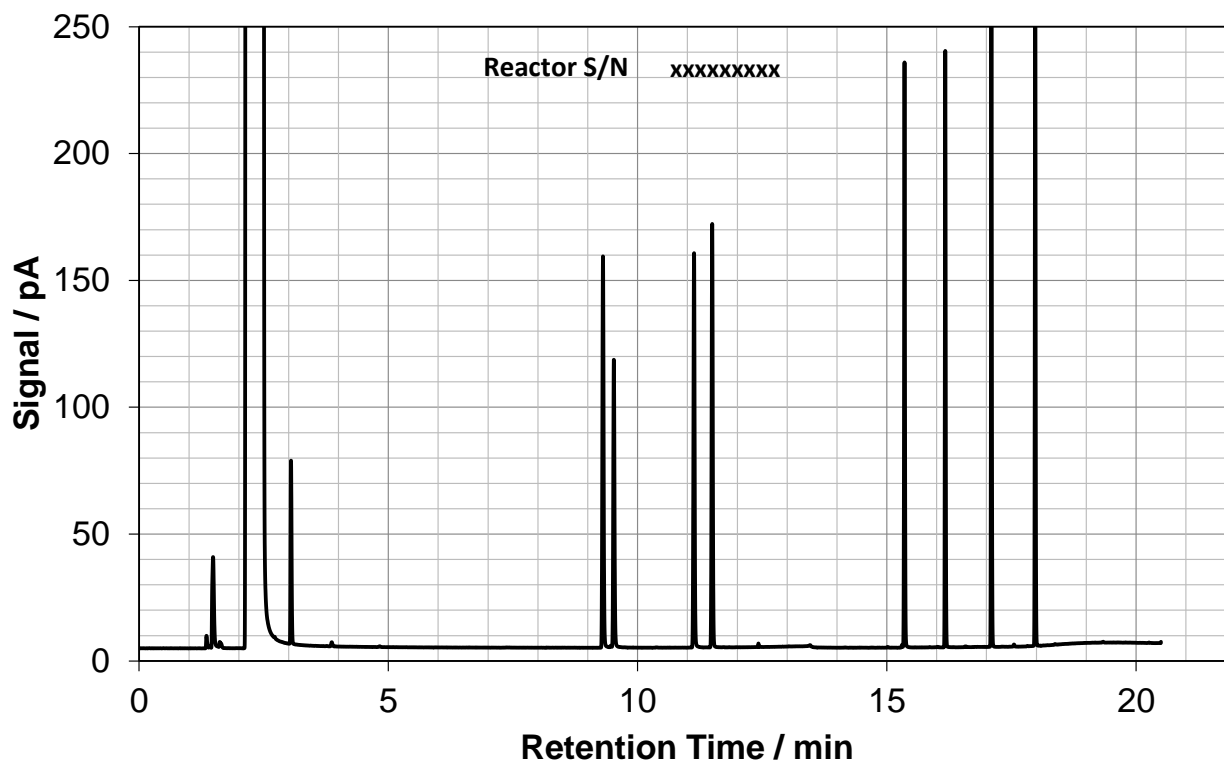
Certified Values:

Average Measurement Error: 1.6% (specification: < 3.0%)
 Estimated Standard Deviation of Measurement Error: 0.55%

Table:

<u>Compound</u>	<u>Peak</u>	<u>Retention (min)</u>	<u>Area (pA·s)</u>	<u>Gravimetric Conc. (µg/mL)</u>	<u>Polyarc™ Conc. (µg/mL)</u>
Aniline	1	9.306	279.2	252	247
2-Chlorophenol	2	9.523	202.2	251	247
1-Octanol	3	11.133	267.5	250	249
2-Nonanone	4	11.497	275.4	250	248
2-Dodecanol	5	15.355	282.8	251	251
Methyl Laurate	6	16.172	270.6	251	255
n-Heptadecane	7	17.098	319.6	251	258
n-Nonadecane	8	17.976	318.2	251	257

Chromatogram:



For optimal results in your lab, please adjust conditions for your specific setup, instrument, column, and hardware. For new setups, treat the catalyst and GC per the installation manual.

Calculations:

Since every compound is converted to methane, the response of the FID is the same for all molecules on a per carbon basis. Thus, the response factors are equivalent to unity,

$$RF = 1 = \frac{\text{area} / \text{carbon concentration}}{\text{area}_{IS} / \text{carbon concentration}_{IS}}$$

where area is the integrated peak area (detector response), carbon concentration is, for example, moles of carbon injected, and 'IS' denotes the internal standard. The concentration of an analyte can then be calculated as,

$$\text{carbon concentration} = \frac{\text{area}}{\text{area}_{IS} / \text{carbon concentration}_{IS}}$$

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