

# Syllabus for 1 day introduction to MS maintenance at customer site

SCIEX training courses follow the proven spaced learning approach to maximize learning retention. The training process includes a blend of instructor-led training, hands-on laboratory exercises and self-paced eLearning, provided at the customer site.

### Course goals and outcome

This course is intended for learners who have completed a SCIEX Now Learning Hub Success Program, or have significant operational experience with SCIEX LC-MS systems. It should provide you with the knowledge necessary to successfully perform basic and advanced MS maintenance tasks, and tune and calibrate the MS system. It consists of a variety of hands-on MS maintenance exercises delivered by an experienced SCIEX Service professional, and is supported by a series of easy-to-use quick reference guides.

Upon completion of the course, you will have a deeper understanding of MS maintenance and instrument optimization. This will enable you to increase your lab's productivity and uptime of your LC-MS system, and reduce the need for engineer call outs or remote assistance.

This course offers a workflow certificate upon completion of a final knowledge assessment.

### Training program overview

Your training includes the following:

- 1 day of instructor-led and hands-on training provided at the customer site by a Service professional
- Complimentary follow-up virtual session with an Applications Support Scientist
- Related self-paced eLearning courses, lectures, reference material and lab exercises
- Access to SCIEX Now Learning Hub database of >100 eLearning courses
- Access to SCIEX Now online support tools available for up to 3 learners
- Hands-on focus for 1 Primary learner and up to 3 learners total for demonstration and content

- Workflow certificate upon successful completion of final exam and permanent access to all course materials for reference
- P.A.C.E.<sup>®</sup> Continuing Education Credits

#### Instructor-led training topics

- MS maintenance
  - Front end cleaning under vacuum
  - Front end cleaning at atmospheric pressure
  - o Ion guide cleaning
  - o Replace or add pump oil
  - Replace air filter where applicable
- Ion source maintenance
  - Replace the source electrode (APCI or ESI probes) where applicable
  - o Replace the source heater
  - Replace the APCI corona discharge needle where applicable
- MS optimization
  - o Manual tuning and calibration
  - o Automated instrument tuning and calibration

The LC-MS system must be installed and configured before the training. It is preferred that the training is combined with a PM visit so that some consumable parts can be used as training aids. However, if this is not possible, refer to the **Required consumables for 1 day introduction to MS maintenance at customer site** document for consumables that you must provide for use during the training.

## P.A.C.E.® certification

SCIEX is approved as a provider of continuing education programs in the clinical laboratory sciences by the ASCLS P.A.C.E.<sup>®</sup> Program. Learners interested in obtaining a P.A.C.E.<sup>®</sup> certificate and P.A.C.E.<sup>®</sup> accreditation for taking this course (equal to 6 P.A.C.E.<sup>®</sup> credits) must attend the entire training session and complete a brief evaluation survey.

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# Required consumables for 1 day MS maintenance at customer site

Our training courses follow the proven spaced learning approach to maximize learning retention. This training course includes a unique blend of self-paced eLearning, instructor led and hands-on MS maintenance exercises provided at the customer site. For this training to be successful, the LC-MS system must be installed and configured before the training. It is preferred that the training is combined with a PM visit so that some consumable parts can be used as training aids. However, if this is not possible, you must provide consumables for use during the training. **Table 1** details consumables that are applicable to all systems, and **Table 2** details consumables that are only applicable to selected systems.

Table 1: Required consumables applicable for all systems

Applicable systems	Description	Part number	Size
All systems	PEEK tubing	4425163	0.13 × 3000 mm
All systems	Syringe	WC010615	1 mL
All systems	Syringe needle	1005819	1 mL
All systems	Syringe adapter	1008236	N/A
All systems	Syringe	WC010615	1 mL
All systems	LC-MS grade water	N/A	N/A
All systems	LC-MS grade methanol (stored in glass bottles)	N/A	N/A
All systems	LC/MS Standards Kit with High/Low PPGs	4406127	N/A
All systems	Lint-free wipes	018027	11 x 21 cm, 4.3 x 8.3 inche
All systems	Small poly swab	1017396	N/A
All systems	Instrument cleaning powder	5042862	N/A
All systems	Flexible Nalgene mixing bottle	5047495	N/A
All systems	Silver flexible zip bag	5047497	N/A
All systems	Large brush for front end cleaning	5021295	N/A
All systems	Clear flexible zip bag	5047496	N/A

Table 2: Required consumables applicable to selected MS systems

Applicable systems	Description	Part number	Size
Leybold Sogevac SV65 roughing pump, long life	Roughing pump oil	5043115	1L
Leybold SV28 and SV65 non-long life roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	1027317	1L
Leybold Sogevac MS40 roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	1034433	1L
Varian HS 602-2000 roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	010998	1L
6500, 6500+, Citrine and TripleTOF systems	Tapered brush for front end cleaning	5020895	N/A
All SCIEX Triple Quadrupole and QTRAP systems and TripleTOF systems	LC/MS Standards Kit with Low/High PPGs	4406127	N/A
ZenoTOF 7600 and X-Series QTOF systems	ESI Positive Calibration Solution	5049910	N/A
Leybold Sogevac SV65 roughing pump, long life	Roughing pump oil	5043115	1L
Leybold SV28 and SV65 non-long life roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	1027317	1L
Leybold Sogevac MS40 roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	1034433	1L
Varian HS 602-2000 roughing pump	Roughing pump oil	010998	1L

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