



# Vanquish Neo UHPLC System

# The new standard in nano-, capillary-, and micro-flow LC

#### **Beyond discovery**

The Thermo Scientific™ Vanquish™ Neo UHPLC system is all-inone nano-, capillary-, and micro-flow LC system that is ready for high sensitivity LC-MS workflows from discovery research with limited sample amounts to high-throughput validation in large sample cohorts.

- Thermo Scientific<sup>™</sup> ProFlow<sup>™</sup> XR pump technology enables robust operation up to 1500 bar from 1 nL/min to 100 µL/min
- Active flow control for the entire flow range ensures excellent retention time precision for long gradients as well as ultra-short run times
- Vial bottom detection technology enables injections from limited sample amounts
- Automated multi-wash of injection fluidics reduces system carryover to negligible levels

#### Beyond innovation

The Vanquish Neo UHPLC system is designed to accelerate productivity with long-term, trouble-free operation at maximum performance.

- Autosampler split-loop design with 1500 bar compatible lowdispersion maintenance-free ceramic valves, multifunctional metering device and Thermo Scientific<sup>™</sup> nanoViper<sup>™</sup> fittings maximizes productivity and enables robust operation
- Next generation SmartInject technology minimizes column pressure shock for direct as well as trap-and-elute injections resulting in improved retention time precision, longer column lifetime, and stable electrospray ionization response
- Fast sample loading and column equilibration modes with pump operating at constant elevated pressure reduce overhead time and boost throughput



#### Beyond possibilities

The Vanquish Neo UHPLC system enables LC-MS experts and novice users to get high-quality results every time.

- Integrated system intelligence with standardized configurations for automated method setup guides the creation of optimal LC methods for reproducible LC-MS results
- Automatic procedures for rapid and reliable return of the system to operation after solvent exchange or system maintenance
- Thermo Scientific<sup>™</sup> Vanquish<sup>™</sup> User Interface with intuitive at-system control and system status monitoring enables access to guidelines, standalone diagnostics and maintenance routines

## **Specifications**

Settable flow range	1 nL/min-100 μL/min, in 1 nL increments	
Recommended flow-range	100 nL/min–100 μL/min	
Pressure range	150 MPa, (1500 bar, 21,750 psi)  Note: the total available column pressure depends on the mobile phase viscosity and flow rate (see the manual)	
Biocompatible	Yes	
Gradient delay volume	• <0.5 $\mu$ L in nano/cap direct injection configuration with 20 $\mu$ m I.D. capillaries	
Gradient delay volume	• <2.0 μL in micro direct injection configuration with 50 μm I.D. capillaries	
pH range	2–10	
Retention time precision	≤0.2% RSD or ≤0.1 SD min whichever is greater for TGQAPGFSYTDANK Cytochrome C protein digest peptide based on the installation qualification procedure	
Carryover (typical application)	≤0.1% for TGQAPGFSYTDANK Cytochrome C protein digest peptide using the installation qualification procedure	
Vanquish User Interface (Vanquish	System monitoring	
System Controller and Vanquish Display)	Direct system control	
	At-system diagnostics and troubleshooting	
	Remote access option (depending on on-site IT infrastructure)	
Pump type and operation principle	High-pressure binary gradient pump with active flow control	
	Serial dual-piston with independent piston drives	
Pump solvent channels	2 (one per pump block); pre-calibrated for	
	100% acetonitrile	
	• 100% water	
	80/20 acetonitrile/water (%, v/v)	
	• 90/10 methanol/water (%, v/v)  Note: guided custom solvent calibration procedure is available to calibrate other solvents	
Contribution of the pump to the system gradient delay volume	<25 nL	
Autosampler operating principle	Split-loop injection	
Autosampler liquids	4 wash liquids: outer and inner needle wash, weak and strong each	
Injection needle and fluidics wash	Dip rinse and continuous rinse of outer needle surface with two independent wash liquids	
	Sample loop and inner needle rinse with two independent wash liquids	
Degassing channels	2 built-in degassing channels for autosampler metering device wash liquids	
Vial bottom detection technology	Yes, 2.5 $\mu$ L out of 3 $\mu$ L with vial bottom detection and recommended vials Note: $\leq$ 0.5% RSD for injections from multiple vials	
SmartInject technology	Yes, with active pressure monitoring	
Injection modes	Direct injection with loop inline	
	Direct injection with loop offline	
	Trap-and-elute injection with back-flush or forward-flush elution	
	<ul> <li>Heated trap-and-elute injection with back-flush or forward-flush elution (Column Compartment N with one 2-position 6-port switching valve is required)</li> </ul>	
Automation features	Barcode reading:	
	Empty segment detection	
	Rack/well plate identification	
	Inventory management	

Vanquish Neo UHPLC System— Binary Pump N, Split Sampler NT, S	Solvent Rack, Vanquish User Interface (VUI), System base with drawer, Ship kit	
Injection volume range	Default: 0.01–25 μL, min step 0.01 μL	
	Optional: 0.01–100 μL, min step 0.01 μL	
	High volume trapping by multiple draw-and-trap cycles up to 500 μL using 100 μL sample loop	
Injection volume precision	From 0.05 to 0.20 μL: ≤5.0% RSD	
	From 0.20 to 0.50 µL: ≤1.5% RSD	
	From 0.50 to 2.00 μL: ≤0.5% RSD Above 2 μL: ≤0.25% RSD	
Injection accuracy	Typically, ±0.5% for injection volume 5 μL (caffeine aqueous solution)	
Injection linearity	R ≥ 0.9999	
Autosampler cooling	4–40 °C, ≥23 K below ambient at <80% relative humidity	
Sample temperature stability	±1 °C	
Sample formats and capacity	Any four of the following	
campio iormato ana capacity	• 54 × 12 mm OD vials (≤1.5 mL)	
	• 96 × 6, 7, and 8 mm OD vials (≤1.2 mL)	
	• 16 × 15 mm OD vials (≤4 mL)	
	• 9 × 22.5 mm OD vials (≤10 mL)	
	Well plates (96 and 384, deep and shallow, with SBS footprint)	
	+ capacity of 12 × 22.5 mm OD vials (≤10 mL) in the carousel	
Safety features	Leak detection and safe leak handling; excess pressure monitoring; temperature monitoring	
System interlink	4 × system interlink connectors (2 pairs, RJ45-8)	
PC connection	USB 2.0	
	3-port-HUB to connect further Vanquish modules LAN	
I/O interfaces	2 × USB 2.0 (Host)	
	1 × LAN	
	2 × 6 pin Mini-Din connectors each having functionality: 1 input, 1 relay out	
GLP features	System wellness monitoring	
	<ul> <li>Predictive performance functions for scheduling maintenance procedures based on the actual operating and usage conditions</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>System parameters logged in the Thermo Scientific<sup>™</sup> Chromeleon<sup>™</sup> Chromatography Data System (CDS) audit trail</li> </ul>	
Environmental conditions	5–35 °C	
	20–80% relative humidity (non-condensing)	
	Max. altitude 2000 m above sea-level	
Power requirements	Binary Pump N: 100–240 V AC, ±10%; 50/60 Hz; max. 525 W / 550 VA	
	Split Sampler NT: 100–240 V AC, ±10%; 50/60 Hz; max. 525 W / 550 VA	
Dimensions (h × w × d)	VUI: 100–240 V AC ± 0%; 50/60 Hz; max. 50 W / 150 VA	
Dimensions (n x w x a)	$740 \times 450 \times 650$ mm (29.1 $\times$ 17.7 $\times$ 25.6 in.) (Vanquish Display is positioned in front of the solvent rack)	
Weight	66 kg (145.5 lbs)	
Software control		
Vanquish Neo stand-alone (no MS detector)	Chromeleon CDS Version 7.2.10 MUd; Chromeleon 7.3.1 or higher	
Vanquish Neo with Thermo Scientific	Chromeleon CDS Version 7.2.10 MUd; Chromeleon 7.3.1 or higher with MS instruments	
MS instruments	supported by Chromeleon CDS	
	Thermo Scientific™ Standard Instrument Integration (SII) for Xcalibur (version 1.5.1 or 1.7 and higher)	

Optional modules		
Column Compartment N		
Thermostatting principle	Forced air mode, no cooling	
Orientation	Horizontal	
Temperature range	Min: 5 K above room temperature	
	Max: 80 °C without valves installed	
	Max: 60 °C with Vanquish valves installed	
Temperature precision	±0.1 K	
Temperature accuracy	±0.5 K (at 50 °C setpoint)	
Heat-up time	Less than 12 min from 35 to 65 °C ±1 K	
Column compatibility	Coiled fused silica columns	
	<ul> <li>Linear columns with maximum available length for column plus fittings: 300 mm</li> </ul>	
Compartment dimensions (h $\times$ w $\times$ d)	$343 \times 78 \times 37 \text{ mm} (13.5 \times 3.1 \times 1.5 \text{ in.})$	
Switching valves	Optional, inside the column compartment, grounded Mixed configurations with compatible Vanquish and VICI® valves are possible VICI valve drive has to be removed/installed by a certified engineer Up to 2 valves	
	<ul> <li>Vanquish valves <ul> <li>2-position 6-port Vanquish low-dispersion (LD) 1500 bar valve</li> </ul> </li> <li>VICI valves:</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Vici valves.</li> <li>2-position 6-port C82 1034 bar valve</li> <li>2-position 6-port C82 1/32 VICI C2N 344 bar valve</li> </ul>	
Passive pre-heater	Installable, optional accessory  0.1 mm I.D. × 530 mm, MP35N	
Biocompatible	Yes	
System interlink	2 system interlink connectors (RJ45-8)	
PC connection	USB 2.0	
GLP features	Predictive performance functions for scheduling maintenance procedures based on the actual operating and usage conditions of the column compartment  All system parameters are logged in the Chromeleon CDS audit trail	
Environmental operating conditions	5-35 °C 20-80% relative humidity (non-condensing) Max. altitude 2000 m above sea-level	
Power requirements	100-240 V AC, ±10%; 50/60 Hz; max. 525 W / 550 VA	
Outer dimensions (h × w × d)	159 × 420 × 620 mm (6.3 × 16.5 × 24.4 in.)	
Weight	11 kg (24.3 lbs) (without switching valves)	

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Contribution of the pump to the system gradient delay volume	<25 nL	
Biocompatible	Yes	
Safety features	Leak detection and safe leak handling; excess pressure monitoring	
System interlink	2 system interlink connectors (RJ45-8)	
PC connection	USB 2.0	
	3-port-HUB to connect further Vanquish modules	
I/O interfaces	$2 \times 6$ pin Mini-DIN connectors each having functionality: 1 input, 1 relay out	
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Power requirements  Dimensions (h × w × d)		



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Vanquish Neo UHPLC system with Column Compartment N



### Ordering information

Description	Part Number
System	
Vanquish Neo UHPLC System	VN-S10-A-01 and 6036.1180 Vanquish Display (required)
	Includes: Binary Pump N, Split Sampler NT, Solvent Rack, Vanquish User
	Interface (VUI), System base with drawer, Ship kit
	The Ship kit includes all items required for following workflows:
	Direct injection
	Trap-and-elute (2-column setup) Heated trap-and-elute (requires Column Compartment N and
	1 × 2pos-6port valve)
Optional modules	
Column Compartment N	VN-C10-A-01
Binary Pump N	VN-P10-A-01
Accessories	
Valve drive VICI, VN-C*	6253.1640
Vanquish Low-Dispersion valve 2pos-6port, 1500 bar	6250.1520
VICI valve 2pos-6port, 1034 bar*	6041.0001B
VICI valve 2pos-6port, 1/32 low pressure, PAEK*	6820.6232
VICI Valve Lock Ring, VN-C	6253.1651
Sample Loop, 25 µL	6252.1940
Sample Loop, 100 μL	6252.1950
Sample Loop, 10 µL	6252.1960
IonBench with Stack Mounting Kit	6036.1720
Stack Stabilizer Kit	6036.1710
Passive pre-heater, 0.1 × 530 mm, MP35N, VH/VN-C	6732.0174
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<sup>\*</sup>VICI valve drive has to be removed/installed by a certified engineer

