## Manual Grab Sample Procedure for APA 6000™ Analyzers

Any grab sample should be introduced into the instrument through the sample conditioning block. See Figure 1.

The grab sample kit includes 0.250 in. OD tubing (Cat. No. 47438-00), an adapter assembly (Cat. No. 62035-00), a luer lock fitting (Cat. No. 62036-00), and a 60-cc syringe (Cat. No. 22587-00). See Figure 2.

- 1. Disassemble the adapter assembly (Cat. No. 62035-00) and reassemble with the tubing as shown in Figure 2. Attach the tubing to the syringe by twisting the luer lock fitting onto the syringe.
- 2. Turn off the unfiltered sample flow by turning the lever on the sample valve perpendicular to the body of the valve.
- 3. Remove the sample-in tubing from the side of the sample conditioning block. Press the push-in fitting where the tubing enters the block while pulling the tubing out. See Figure 3. When the sample-in line is disconnected, sample will drain from the sample conditioning block. This waste should be disposed of in an appropriate manner.
- **4.** Use the syringe to collect a grab sample. With the free end of the tube in the desired grab sample, draw the plunger back and fill the syringe. See Figure 4.
- **5.** Insert the free end of the tubing connected to the syringe into the sample-in port in the sample conditioning block
- **6.** Slowly push the plunger completely into the syringe to fill the block with grab sample. Any excess sample will drain out through the sample out tubing.
- 7. Allow the instrument to cycle through 1–3 measurements.
- **8.** Remove the grab sample tubing (as described in step 3) and reinstall the sample-in tubing.
- **9.** Open the sample-in valve to restore sample flow to the instrument.

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Figure 1 Locating the Sample Conditioning Block on the APA 6000

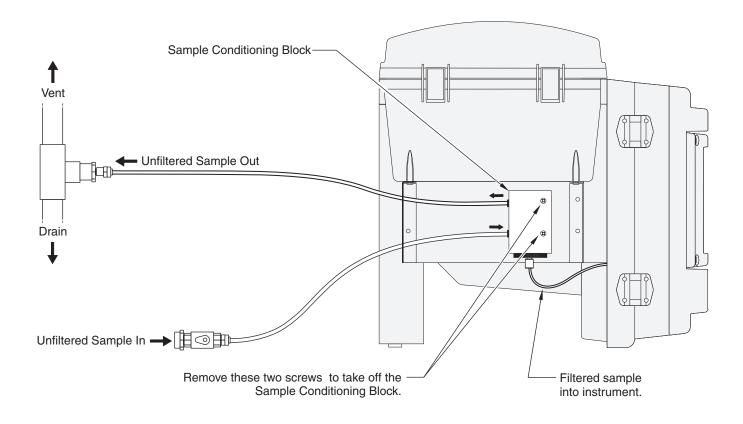


Figure 2 Preparing the Grab Sample Assembly

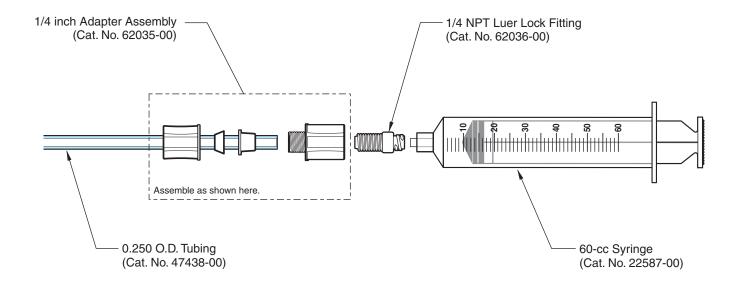
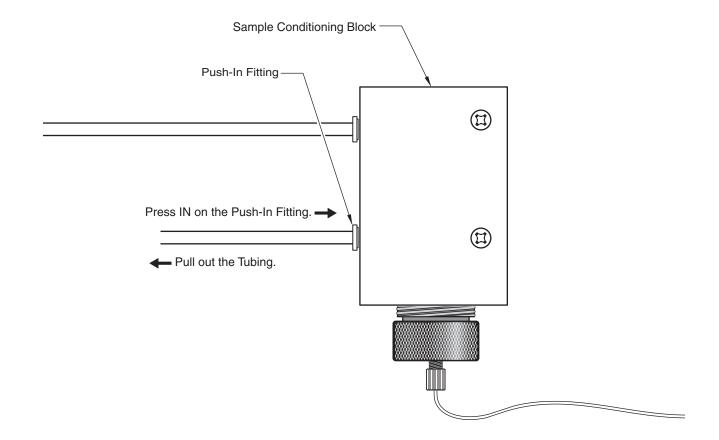
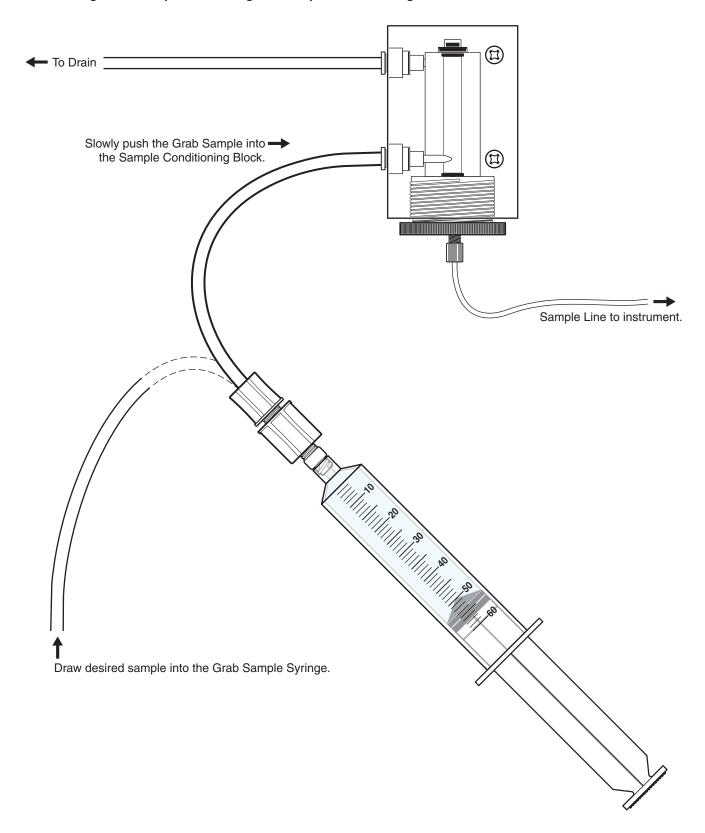


Figure 3 Removing the Sample-in Tubing from the Sample Conditioning Block



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Figure 4 Collecting Grab Sample and Filling the Sample Conditioning Block





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