

# Instructions for Catalog # 785QR WatR™Supply Silica

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## Description:

- This standard is packaged in a 60 mL polyethylene bottle containing approximately 60 mL of standard concentrate.
- This concentrate is not preserved.
- The concentrate can be stored at room temperature.
- The diluted standard will contain Silica in the range specified on the data reporting form.

## Before you begin:

- This standard has been prepared as a concentrate and must be diluted prior to analysis.
- Be sure to report your Silica result as SiO<sub>2</sub> (not as Si).
- This standard should be analyzed as soon as possible after the concentrate is diluted.

### Instructions:

- 1. Add 100-200 mL of deionized water to a clean 1000 mL class A volumetric flask.
- 2. Shake the Silica bottle prior to opening.
- 3. Using a clean, dry, class A pipet or flask, volumetrically transfer 50 mL of the concentrate into the 1000 mL volumetric flask.
- 4. Dilute the flask to final volume with deionized water.
- 5. Cap the flask and mix well.
- 6. Immediately analyze the diluted sample by your normal procedures.
- 7. Report your results as mg/L for the diluted sample.

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