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DIGESTION OF CRM IARM 12B, HIGH TEMPERATURE STAINLESS STEEL USING COLDBLOCK™ DIGESTION TECHNOLOGY
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Introduction
This application note will focus on the digestion of CRM IARM 12B using ColdBlock™ Digestion CB12L Technology.

Method
Triplicate samples of IARM 12B were digested using the following method:

- 0.25g sample was weighed and placed into a ColdBlock™ Digestion vessel.
- 20mL Aqua Regia was added (3:1 HCl:HNO₃)
- Sample was digested at 100% power for 20 minutes.
- Chiller temperature was set to -5°C.
- Sample was allowed to cool then was normalized to 50mL using 2% HNO₃.

Instrument
ColdBlock™ Digestion CB12L Technology.

General
This procedure is specific for the sample digested and may need modification for different samples to achieve the desired result.