

# Beech Leaf

## DIGESTION OF BEECH LEAF USING COLDBLOCK™ DIGESTION TECHNOLOGY

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### Introduction

This application note will focus on the digestion of Beech Leaf using ColdBlock™ Digestion CB12L Technology.

### Method

A sample of Beech Leaf was digested using the following method:

- 0.5g of sample was weighed and placed into a ColdBlock™ Digestion vessel.
- 5ml of HNO<sub>3</sub> was added.
- Chiller was set to -5°C.
- Sample was digested at 80% power for 10min.
  
- 5ml of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> was added.
- Sample was digested further at 100% power for 5min.
- Sample was allowed to cool.
- Sample was normalized to 50ml using 2% HNO<sub>3</sub>.

### 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.