## Specifications for FPLC system with accessories

- The system must be an inert biocompatible automated purification system capable of performing all the chromatography techniques: Size exclusion, Affinity, Ion exchange, Hydrophobic interaction, and Reverse phase
- Flow rate range of the system should range between 0.001 to 25 ml/min with accuracy of  $\pm$  1.2%, and system should be capable of going to a flow of 50 ml/min as packing flow rate for the system with pressure rating of 20 MPa without adding any additional modules on to the system.
- Pump Type must be : Piston pump, metering type
- The system must have IP21 protection code
- Pump head piston of the system should be made up of hydrophobic material for lifelong performance and inertness with the common chromatographic buffers.
- The system should come along with a 2 mm flow cell and illuminated cell volume of 2 µL with an option of : Optical path length 5 mm and illuminated cell volume 6 of µL
- System Viscosity range must range between 0.35 to 10 cP (5 cP above 12.5 mL/min)
- Rotary type valve must be part of the system and must have options of using upto 12 valves
- Mixing principle of mixer should be a chamber with a magnetic stirrer
- System must be capable of accurate, automatic gradient formation from 0 to 100% gradient over the entire flow range of 1 to 25 ml/min.
- The UV-monitor should be capable of detecting a wavelength of 280 nm using LED technology
- System UV detector should have an absorbance range of -6 to 6AU with a resolution of 0.001 m Au crucial for sharp peaks and for samples in the negative spectra of the absorbance
- System should be supplied with a conductive monitor for conductivity measurement between 0.01ms/cm up to 999.9 ms/cm, with automated temperature compensation and flow restrictor.
- System should have built temperature sensor to correct variation due to temperature
- The system should have capability to be integrated using I/O box with third party Detectors and Autosamplers simultaneously for increased application flexibility at the time of purchase or post purchase.
- The system should be fully modular system that can be further expanded to increase system capability and productivity
- System should be supplied with an Outlet valve with at least 3 ports to connect to waste, fraction collector and one outlet position for main system
- System must include 7x1 ml prepacked columns containing a different Sepharose ion exchange resin (medium) for screening of the optimal ion exchange resins for specific application and development work .
- The system should be supplied with a drop Sync fraction collector. Minimize spillage using sensor and allows the use of 3-, 8-, 15- and 50-ml tubes. Fraction collector can be used in time, volume or peak recognition mode.
- The system must come with a accessories/ assortment box including Screw lids and cap membranes, Tubing cutter ,Syringe, 10ml 1 ,Column clamp for 10-21 mm o.d. columns ,Multi-purpose holder , Purge kit 1 ,Tubing connector 1/16" 5 ,Union luer F 1/16" ,Fingertight connector 1/16" , Fingertight connector 1/16" red (for connection of columns) , Ferrule for inlet tubing , Stop plug, 1/16" , Inlet filter holder kit , Inlet filter set 1 ,Wrench 1/4" (6,3 mm) , Union, 1/16"F 1/16"F , Online filter kit -1 and 500ul sample loop

- Installation and training: Vendor must take care of on-site installation, demonstration, and training by a well-trained engineer. Required training for smooth operation of the instrument should be provided free of charge during and after installation
- A list of users of the quoted equipment within the country should be enclosed
- Original catalogue from the manufacturer with technical specifications and relevant application notes must be enclosed.
- The vendor must provide a certificate saying that prompt after-sales service such as regular maintenance, troubleshooting and fixing will be carried out by company-trained engineers
- System must be quoted along with a compatible 2KvA UPS for system backup
- The automated purification system must carry a warranty of minimum of 1 year
- The system must be supplied with a software of following capabilities -
  - 1. License base software with 21 CFR Complied Confidential Company Proprietary
  - 2. Intuitive user interface with an interactive process picture and simplified evaluation modules
  - 3. Built in templates for all the existing columns with option to develop method for third party
  - 4. Sharing of methods and results along with remote access capabilities to systems to save valuable time and resources
  - 5. Scouting of up to 99 runs with individual parameters in single method
  - 6. Method Queues for combining of different purification techniques
  - 7. Software should perform real time control, data evaluation, watch commands, Scouting parameters, method queue, method wizard for easy programming, column library, with report generation option
  - 8. Automatic data recovery after run is over should be possible
  - **9.** The system should be capable of being installed with Design of Experiment (DOE) software integrated with the system control software as a tool for experimental design for generating precise data in fewer experiments for time and cost-efficient method development