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Symbols and Notes

	based on the ranges of volume, flow, and time specified in the methods. It is the responsibility of the analyst performing the sampling and analysis steps to adjust parameters so that the required detection limits can be obtained.
C	.Ceiling Value
CSI	OSHA Chemical Sampling Information
EL	.Excursion Limit
LFC	.NIOSH standard: Lowest Feasible Concentration
N. A. SKC	.Not available from SKC
NON	.Non-agency reference
NVM	.No validated method
OEL	.U.S. Army Occupational Exposure Limit
SPECIAL	
ORDER	Because of limited shelf-life, certain sorbent tubes are available only as special order items.
**	Optional, use filter if particulates are present

<i>‡</i>	Filter or tube must be chemically treated before sampling.
	Modified procedure or sampler
\lambda	Other collection liquids may be more suited to target microorganisms.
¥	This method does not digest PVC filters (Cat. No. 225-803) completely.
Δ	1.0-micron Teflon filter is a NIOSH recommended substitute filter for the 0.8-micron PVC filter originally recommended in NIOSH Method 7904.
Σ	Use an oxidizer tube if sulfur dioxide is present.
+	Sonic flow
0	Use sorbent tube Cat. No. 226-120 when sampling in atmospheres containing ozone.
<i>††</i>	Special order/limited shelf-life; contact SKC
▼	The MOPIP Derivatizing Solution, Cat. No. 225-9050, is needed to analyze for monomer/oligimer aerosol.