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Amphetamines in Human Urine

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Abstract

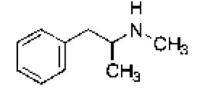
This application brief details on the analysis of amphetamines in human urine using Symmetry Columns.

Introduction

The compounds analyzed in this study are:

- 1. Ephedrine
- 2. Amphetamine
- 3. Methamphetamine

CH₃



1. Ephedrine (I.S.)

2. Amphetamine

3. Methamphetamine

Experimental

HPLC Method

Column: Symmetry Shield RP₁₈, 3.9 x 150 mm, 5 μ m

Guard column: Symmetry Guard Column, 3.9 x 20 mm, 5

μm

Part numbers: Column - 186000108, Guard - 186000107

Mobile phase: 0.1% TFA in Water/Acetontrile 90:10

Flow rate: 1.0 mL/min

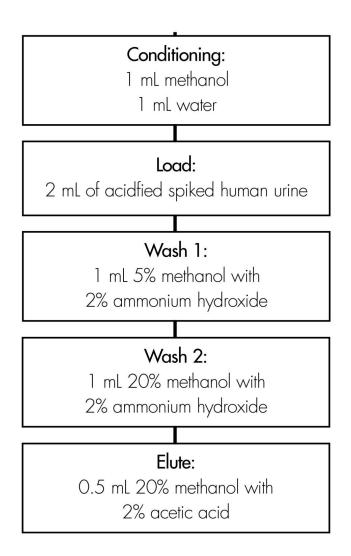
Injection volume: 50 µL

Temperature: 30° C

Detection: UV @ 214 nm (0.14 AUFS)

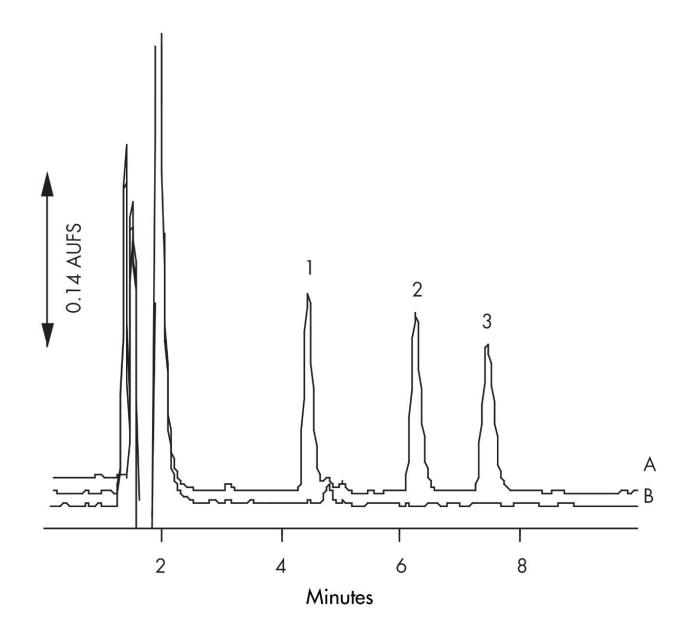
Oasis® HLB Extraction Method

Oasis® HLB Extraction Plate, 30 mg/96-well Part Number VVAT058951



Results and Discussion

Spike Levels	%Recovery 0.7 μg/mL	%RSD 3.5 μg/mL
Amphetamine (n=8)	99.3 (4.9)	104.7 (1.8)
Methamphetamine (n=8)	105.5 (5.8)	100.9 (4.4)
Amphetamine Interday (n=16)		102.8 (2.7)
Amphetamine Interperson (n=16)	98.8 (6.2)	101.8 (3.3)
Methamphetamine Interday (n=16)		98.5 (5.4)
Methamphetamine Interperson (n=16)	96.4 (11.5)	99.4 (6.3)
Ephedrine (I.S.) (n=8)		89.5 (1.4)



Chromatogram of A) Spiked Urine, B) Blank Urine.

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