HPLC determination of gentamicin by precolumn derivatization using o-phthalaldehyde

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The method is based on the derivatization of gentamicin with o-phthalaldehyde (OPA), followed by detection at 332 nm. Separation was carried on Phenomenex CN (250 x 4.6, 5µm particle size) column with of acetonitrile and pH-3.73 buffer in the ratio of 77:23 with a flow rate of 1 ml/min. The limit of detection (LOD) and limit of quantification (LOQ) of this method was found to be 0.116 mcg and 0.348 mcg respectively. The method was found to be linear in the concentration range of 4-20 mcg/ml. The recovery value of this method was found to be 98.67%.

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Rapid separation and identification study of different metal ions by thin layer chromatography using urea-formaldehyde polymer as thin layer

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Different metal ions were separated on thin layer of laboratory prepared urea-formaldehyde polymer using cationic and anionic surfactants, organic , acidic and neutral mobile phases. Using different organic solvents in different ratios of water as a mobile phase different metal ions and their binary and tertiary mixture of metal ions were separated. By using ethanol and surfactants in different ratios as a mobile phase different metal ions and their binary mixture of Cu²⁺-V⁵⁺, Fe³⁺-Cu²⁺, U⁶⁺-Fe³⁺, U⁶⁺-V⁵⁺ and tertiary mixture of U⁶⁺-Fe³⁺-Cu²⁺ were successfully separated.

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