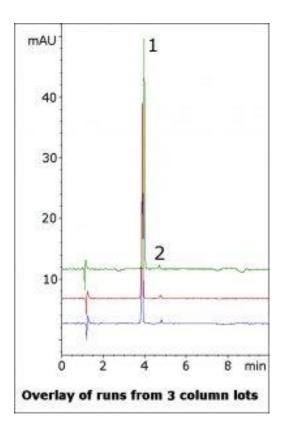


# Ranitidine Tablet Analyzed by HPLC - AppNote

## **Excellent Peak Shape of API From an OTC Tablet**

Ranitidine has several amine functional groups that can contribute to significant tailing with Reversed Phase Methods. Data shown below uses an extract from a tablet formulation, illustrating how good Peak shape can be obtained. In addition, three Column lots were used to demonstrate the robustness and precision of this Method.



#### Peaks:

1. Ranitidine

2. Matrix Component

#### **Method Conditions**

Column: Cogent Diamond Hydride™, 4µm, 100Å

Catalog No.: 70000-7.5P Dimensions: 4.6 x 75mm

Mobile Phase:

A: DI Water / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic acid (v/v)

### B: Acetonitrile / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic acid (v/v)

#### Gradient:

Time (minutes)	%В
0	95
1	95
6	50
7	95

Post Time: 3 minutes Injection vol.: 2µL

Flow rate: 1.0mL / minute Detection: UV @ 313nm

**Sample Preparation**: 150mg strength Ranitidine HCl tablet was ground and weighed in a 50mL volumetric flask. A portion of 50:50 Solvent A / Solvent B diluent was added and the flask was sonicated 10 minutes. It was then diluted to mark and filtered with a 0.45µm Nylon Syringe Filter (MicroSolv Tech Corp.). The filtrate was diluted 1:100 for injections.

**t**<sub>0</sub>: 0.9 minutes

**Note:** Ranitidine is an acid reducer that is available over-the-counter. It works as a histamine H2-receptor antagonist, in contrast to other acid reducers such as omeprazole which are proton pump inhibitors. It is sold under the trade name Zantac®



#### **Attachment**

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