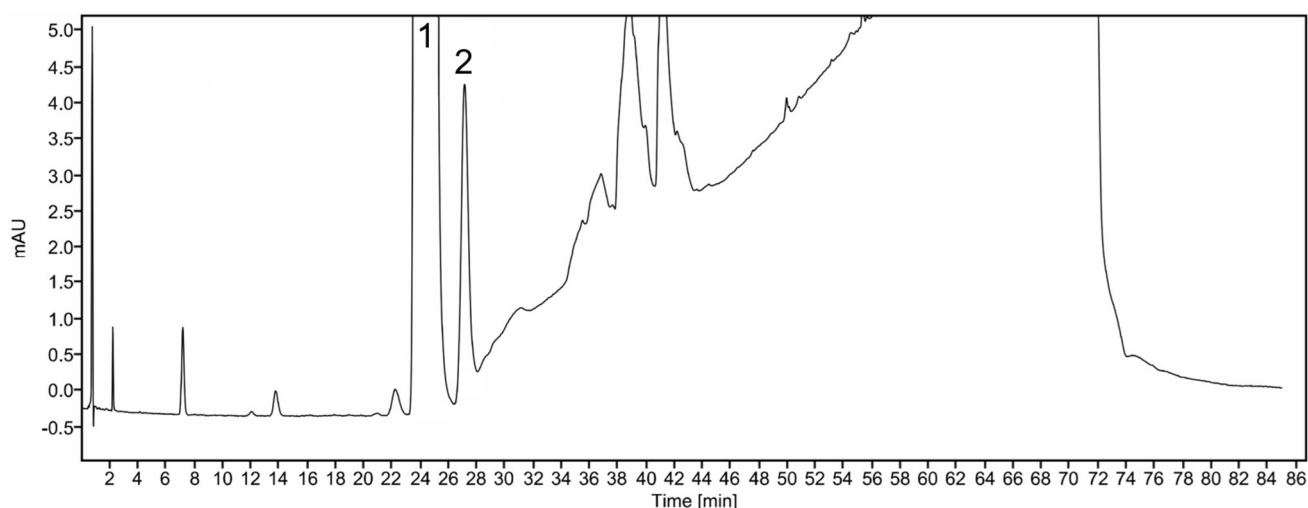




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Typical chromatogram for solution (3) from the Related Substances test for Ibuprofen Gel as published in BP 2026.

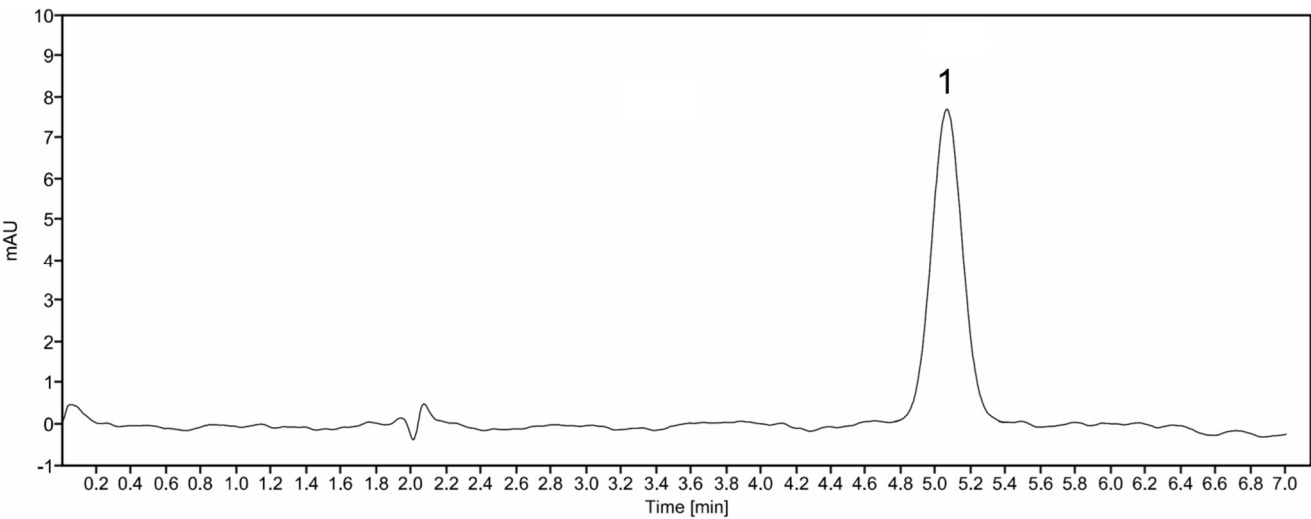


Peak ID: 1: Ibuprofen. 2: Impurity B.

Column	XTerra MS C18 (150 mm x 4.6 mm, 5 µm)
Method Ref.	Related Substances for the Ibuprofen Gel monograph from BP 2026
Mobile Phase A	0.5 volumes of orthophosphoric acid, 340 volumes of acetonitrile and sufficient water to produce 1000 volumes
Mobile Phase B	0.5 volumes of orthophosphoric acid, 100 volumes of water and sufficient acetonitrile to produce 1000 volumes
Diluent	Mobile phase A
Flow rate	2.0 mL/min
Column Temp	Ambient

Injection Volume	20 μL		
Detection	214 nm		
Gradient			
Time (minutes)	Mobile phase A (% v/v)	Mobile phase B (% v/v)	Comment
0 – 25	100	0	isocratic
25 – 55	100 → 0	0 → 100	linear gradient
55 – 70	0	100	isocratic
70 – 71	0 → 100	100 → 0	linear gradient
71 – 85	100	0	re-equilibration

Typical chromatogram for solution (2) from the Assay test for Ibuprofen Gel as published in BP 2026.



Peak ID: 1: Ibuprofen.

Column	Nucleosil C18 (250 mm x 4.6 mm, 10 µm)
Method Ref.	Assay for the Ibuprofen Gel monograph from BP 2026
Mobile Phase	Orthophosphoric acid: water: methanol (3:247:750, v/v/v)
Diluent	Mobile phase
Flow rate	1.5 mL/min
Column Temp	Ambient
Injection Volume	20 µL
Detection	264 nm