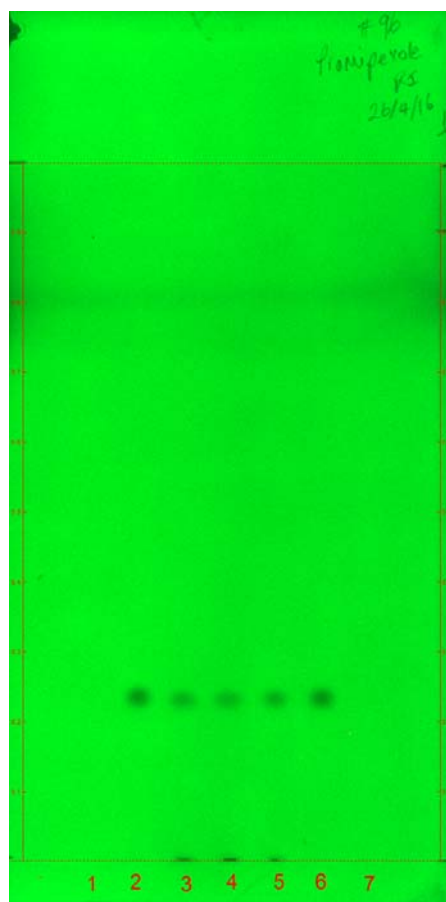


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Typical chromatogram for the Identification test for Pramipexole Tablets by Thin Layer Chromatography as published in BP 2018.



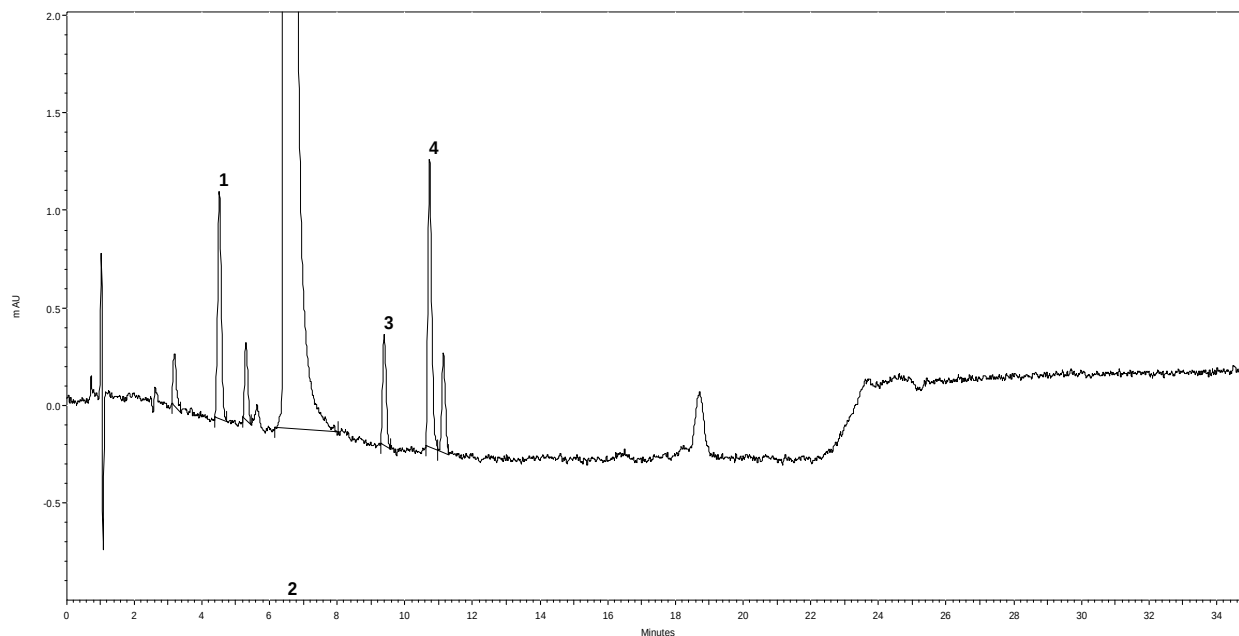
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| 1 | Blank |
| 2 | 0.010 % w/v pramipexole standard |
| 3 – 5 | Tablets 0.010 % w/v solution |
| 6 | 0.010 % w/v pramipexole standard |
| 7 | Blank |



TLC plate	Merck TLC silica gel 60 F254 Plate, 10 cm × 20 cm
Plate preconditioning	N/A
Diluent	Methanol
Mobile Phase	18 M ammonia : methanol : toluene : ethyl acetate (6:5:15:80, v/v/v/v)
Mobile Phase volume	100 mL
Band application	3 mm band size with a spotting volume of 20 µL
Chamber saturation	Minimum 60 minutes at room temperature
Development	15 cm
Development time	35 minutes
Drying time	10 minutes in air
Derivatisation	N/A
Visualisation	UV light (254 nm)



Typical chromatogram for solution (3) in the Related Substances test for Pramipexole Tablets as published in BP 2018.



Peak ID: 1: Impurity A; 2: Pramipexole; 3: Impurity B; 4: Impurity C

Column : HiChrom Inertsil ODS2 (125 mm x 4.6 mm, 5 μ m)
Mobile Phase A : 5 g/L of sodium octanesulfonate monohydrate and 9.1 g/L of potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate, adjusted to pH 3.0 with orthophosphoric acid
Mobile Phase B : Acetonitrile: mobile phase A (50:50, v/v)

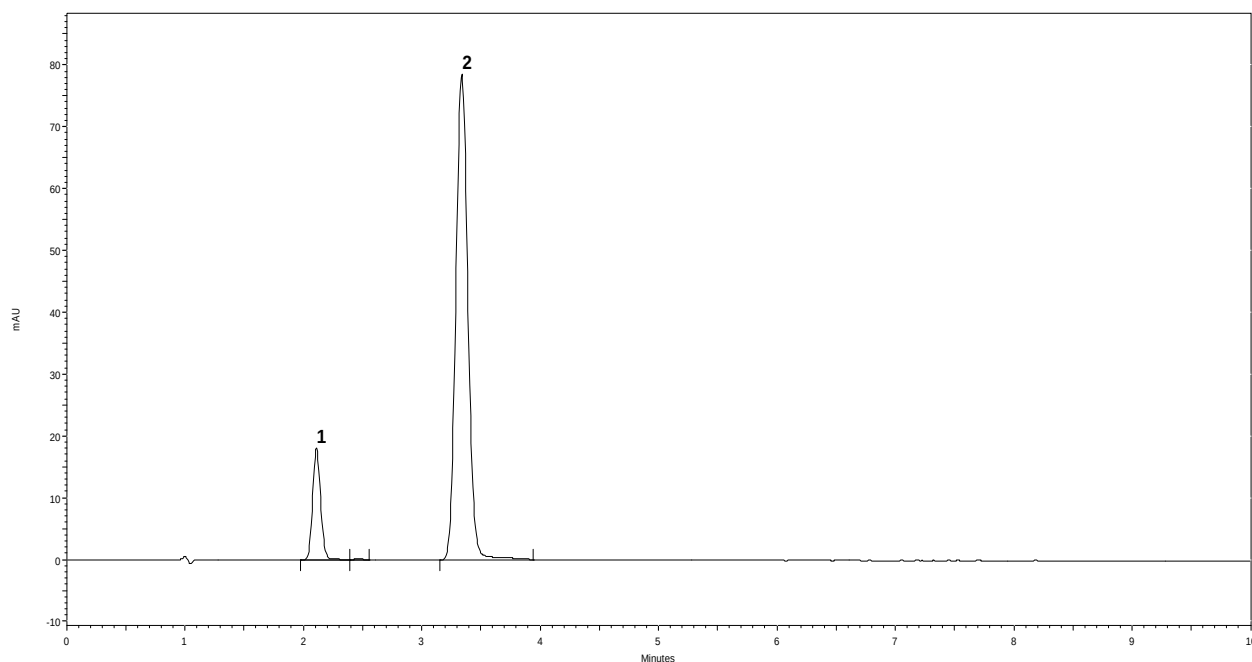
Gradient

Time (min)	Mobile Phase A (%)	Mobile Phase B (%)
0-1	60	40
1-16	60-20	40-80
16-20	20	80
20-22	20-60	80-40
22-35	60	40

Diluent : Acetonitrile: mobile phase A (20:80, v/v)
Flow Rate : 1.5 mL/min
Column Temp : 40°C
Auto-sampler Temp : Ambient
Injection Volume : 50 μ L
Detection : UV, 264 nm



Typical chromatogram for solution (3) in the Assay/Uniformity of Content test for Pramipexole Tablets as published in BP 2018.



Peak ID: 1: Impurity A; 2: Pramipexole

Column	: HiChrom Inertsil ODS2 (125 mm x 4.6 mm, 5 µm)
Buffer	: 5 g sodium octanesulfonate monohydrate and 9.1 g potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate dissolved in 900 mL of water, adjusted to pH 3.0 with orthophosphoric acid and diluted to 1000 mL with water.
Mobile Phase	: Acetonitrile: buffer (25:75, v/v)
Diluent	: Acetonitrile: buffer (20:80, v/v)
Flow Rate	: 1.5 mL/min
Column Temp	: 40°C
Auto-sampler Temp	: Ambient
Injection Volume	: 20 µL
Detection	: UV, 264 nm