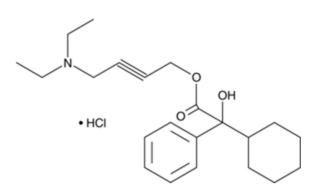
Oxybutynin HCl 10 mg Tablet



Molecular Formula and Mass: C₂₂H₃₁NO₃ – 393.952 **Category:** Bladder relaxant

Sample:

Structure:

Grind one tablet and dissolve in 10.0 mL of methanol. Shake for at least 10 min and filter. Final concentration of sample solutions is 1.00 mg/mL, which is the required concentration representing 100%.

High Standard:

The high limit is 115%; therefore the concentration of the high standard is 1.00 mg/mL \times 115% = 1.15 mg/mL. Weigh approximately 115 mg of standard and dissolve it in 100 mL of methanol. This makes the high standard solution concentration equal to 1.15 mg/mL, which is 115%.

Low Standard:

The low limit is 85%; therefore the concentration of the low standard = $1.00 \text{ mg/mL} \times 85\% = 0.850 \text{ mg/mL}$. Dilute 1.70 mL of high standard to 2.30 mL by adding 0.60 mL of methanol. This gives a concentration of $1.15 \text{ mg/mL} \times 1.70 \text{ mL} \div 2.30 \text{ mL} = 0.850 \text{ mg/mL}$, which is 85%.

Spotting:

Spot on the 5 × 10 cm silica gel TLC aluminum plate with 3.00 μ L aliquots as follows: Left spot low standard (85%) = 2.55 μ g Center Spot 100% sample = 3.00 μ g

μg

Right Spot	high standard $(115\%) = 3.45$

Development:

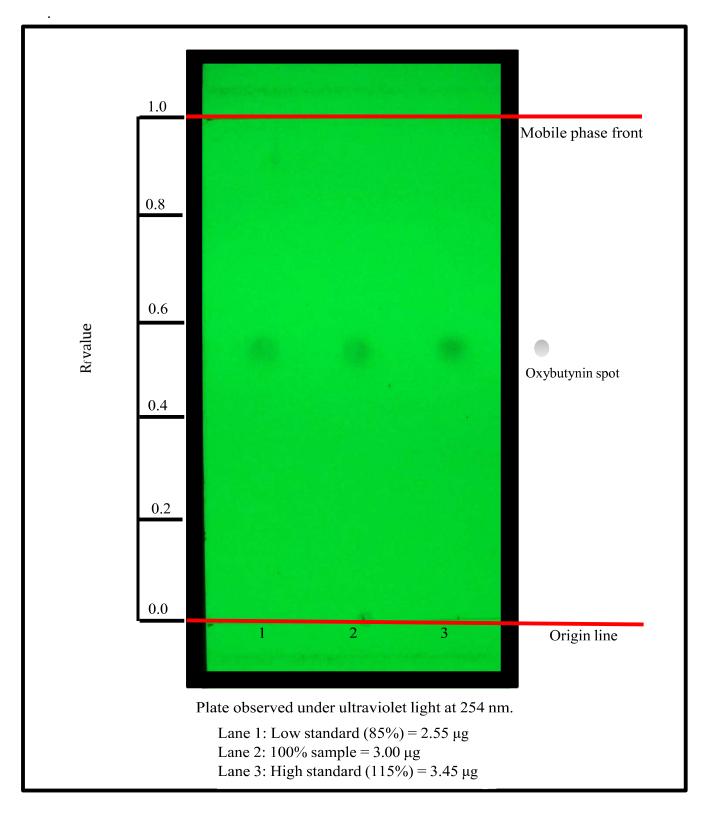
Mix 24.0 mL of toluene, 3.00 mL of methanol, and 3.00 mL of acetone. Develop the plate in a small glass chamber with approximately 20.0 mL of this solution until the mobile phase front reaches within 1 cm of the top of the TLC plate.

 $(R_f = 0.58)$

Detection:

UV:

Heat the TLC plate on a hotplate for around 25 min at 190°C to induce fluorescence quenching of the fluorescent indicator in the silica gel F_{254} layer due to thermochemical activation. Observe the intensities and the sizes of the spots 254 nm UV light.



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