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# Analysis of DNPH Derivatives Using XBridge Phenyl

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This is an Application Brief and does not contain a detailed Experimental section.

Abstract

This application brief highlights the analysis of DNPH derivatives using XBridge Phenyl columns.

#### Introduction

Regulatory agencies around the world are interested in measuring formaldehyde and other aldehydes in the air. Many public health groups are interested in implications of these aldehydes causing respiratory irritation and potentially carcinogenic effects from prolonged exposure. Producers of products that can contribute aldehydes emissions to air and indoor pollutants are manufacturers of materials building and wood products, fabric and textiles, and automotive companies.

1. Formaldehyde-DNPH

2. Acetaldehyde-DNPH

3. Acetone-DNPH

4. Crotonaldehyde-DNPH

5. Cyclohexanone-DNPH

# Experimental

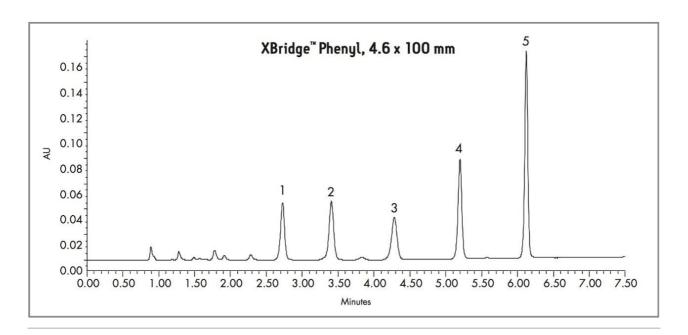
#### **Test Conditions**

| Columns:          | XBridge Phenyl, 4.6 x 100 mm, 3.5 µm p/n: 186003334         |
|-------------------|---|
| Mobile phase A:   | H <sub>2</sub> O  |
| Mobile phase B:   | ACN   |
| Mobile phase C:   | 0.2% HCOOH in H <sub>2</sub> O                              |
| Flow rate:        | 1.2 mL/min  |
| Injection volume: | 10 μL   |
| Sample:           | Acetaldehyde-DNPH (10 μg/mL),                               |
|                   | Acetone-DNPH (10 μg/mL),                                    |
|                   | Cyclohexanone-DNPH (10 µg/mL),                              |
|                   | Formaldehyde-DNPH (10 µg/mL),                               |
|                   | Crotonaldehyde-DNPH (10 $\mu$ g/mL) in H <sub>2</sub> O/ACN |
|                   | (60/40)   |
| Column temp.:     | 30 °C   |
| Sample temp.:     | 15 °C   |
| Detection:        | UV @ 254 nm   |
| Sampling Rate:    | 5 points/sec  |
| Filter Response:  | 0.2   |
| Instrument:       | Alliance 2695 with 2996 PDA                                 |

#### Gradient

| Time (min) | %A | %B | %C |
|------------|----|----|----|
| 0.00       | 40 | 50 | 10 |
| 2.67       | 40 | 50 | 10 |
| 6.67       | 0  | 90 | 10 |
| 7.33       | 40 | 50 | 10 |
| 11.00      | 40 | 50 | 10 |

### Results and Discussion



Compounds: 1. Formaldehyde -DNPH 2. Acetaldehyde -DNPH 3. Acetone -DNPH 4. Crotonaldehyde -DNPH 5. Cyclohexanone -DNPH.

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