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Analysis of Food Sugars/Saccharides in Maple Syrup Using ACQUITY UPLC BEH Amide Columns

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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 food sugars/saccharides in maple syrup using ACQUITY UPLC BEH Amide Columns.

Introduction

Structures

Maltooligosaccharides

Experimental

Chromatographic Conditions

Column: ACQUITY UPLC BEH Amide 2.1 x 100 mm, 1.7 μm Part Number: 186004801 Mobile Phase A: 80/20 MeCN/H₂O with 0.2% triethylamine [TEA] Mobile Phase B: 30/70 MeCN/H₂O with 0.2% triethylamine [TEA] Flow Rate: 0.13 mL/min Gradient: 10 minute gradient, 80%-50% MeCN (w/0.2% TEA) with 25 minute re-equilibration Injection Volume: 1.3 μL (PLNO) Sample Concentration: Maple syrups at 5-10 mg/mL each Sample Diluent: 50/50 MeCN/H₂O Column Temperature: 35 °C Strong Needle Wash: $20/80 \text{ MeCN/H}_2\text{O} (800 \mu\text{L})$ Weak Needle Wash: $75/25 \text{ MeCN/H}_2\text{O} (500 \mu\text{L})$ Seal Wash: 50/50 MeCN/H₂O

Instrument:

Waters ACQUITY UPLC with ELSD

Gradient

Time	Profile		
(min)	%A	%B	
0.00	100.00	0.00	
10.00	40.00	60.00	
10.01	100.00	0.00	
35.00	100.00	0.00	

EL SD Conditions

Gain:	200
Gaill:	200

Pressure: 40 psi

Drift Tube Temperature: 40 °C

Nebulizer: Cooling

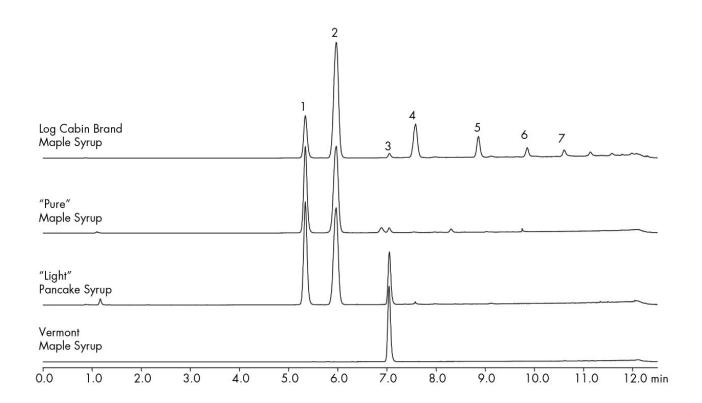
Data Rate: 10 pps

Filter Time Constant: Normal

Results and Discussion

The compounds analysed in this study are:

- 1. Fructose
- 2. Glucose
- 3. Sucrose
- 4. Maltose
- 5. Maltotriose
- 6. Maltotetraose
- 7. Maltopentaose



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