

The Analytical method (HPLC) used for identification, assay of triclabendazole, related substances and preservatives used in finished product Tricladem 5, in SC Delos Impex 96 SRL*

Metoda analitică (HPLC), utilizată pentru identificarea, dozarea triclabendazolului, a impurităților înrudite chimic și a conservanților utilizați în produsul finit Tricladem 5, în cadrul SC Delos Impex '96 SRL

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Key words: triclabendazole, HPLC, identification, related substances, methyparaben, propylparaben

Abstract

Because, triclabendazole is an active pharmaceutical ingredient without compendial monography (European Pharmacopoeia, United States Pharmacopoeia) in SC Delos Impex '96 SRL, the API identification, assay, related substances, and, preservatives, assay and identification is effected used the method presented below. It permit, all these determination in a relative short time (the chromatogram time recorded is 25 min.).

Rezumat

Deoarece, triclabendazolul este o substanță farmaceutică activă fără monografie compendială (European Pharmacopoeia, United States Pharmacopoeia), în cadrul **SC Delos Impex '96 SRL**, identificarea și dozarea triclabendazole, impuritățile înrudite chimic, dar și identificarea și dozarea conservanților folosiți în formularea farmaceutică a produsului finit **Tricladem 5** se efectuează folosind metoda descrisă mai jos. Metoda de analiză prezentată (HPLC), permite toate aceste determinări într-un timp relativ scurt (timpul de înregistrare al unei cromatograme este de 25 min.).

Introduction

Triclabendazole is an active pharmaceutical ingredient without compendial monography (*European Pharmacopoeia, US Pharmacopoeia*).

Triclabendazole is an antihelmintic of benzimidazole class, used both, in human medicine and in veterinary medicine.

Materials and methods

Method presentation

Operational parameters of the chromatographic method are summarized in Table 1.

Equipment used

Chromatographic equipment used for the study was an Agilent 1200 system with the following parameters:

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1200
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modulus:

- Solvents cabinet;
- Quaternary pump high pressure G 1354A with degassing G 1379B, serie 1200;
- Thermostat for column G 1316A, serie 1200;
- Spectrometric Detector (DAD) G 1314B, serie 1200, or another similarly;
- Autosampler G 1329A;
- Thermostat for autosampler G1330B, serie 1200;

Table 1.

Operational parameters of the method

Chromatographic column:	octylsilyl silica gel for chromatography R, 250 mm L x 4,6 mm i.d. x 5 µm d.p.					
Column temperature:	25 °C					
Injection volume:	100 µL					
Elution:	Isocratic					
Compozition for mobile phase:	Solvent A: Ammonium acetate R 30mM, Solvent B: Acetonitrile R					
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Flow:	1.0 mL/min					
Detection at λ:	305 nm for triclabendazole and related substances 254 nm for methyparaben and propylparaben					
Chromatogram recorded	25 min.					

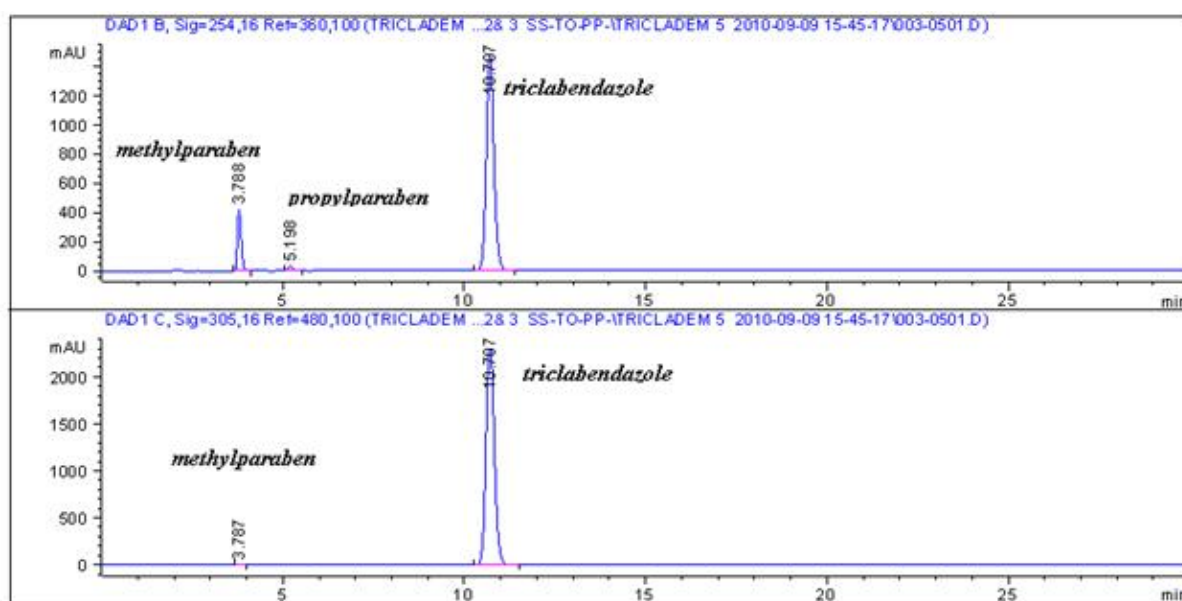


Figure 1. Chromatograms for test solution, recorded at 254 nm and 305 nm

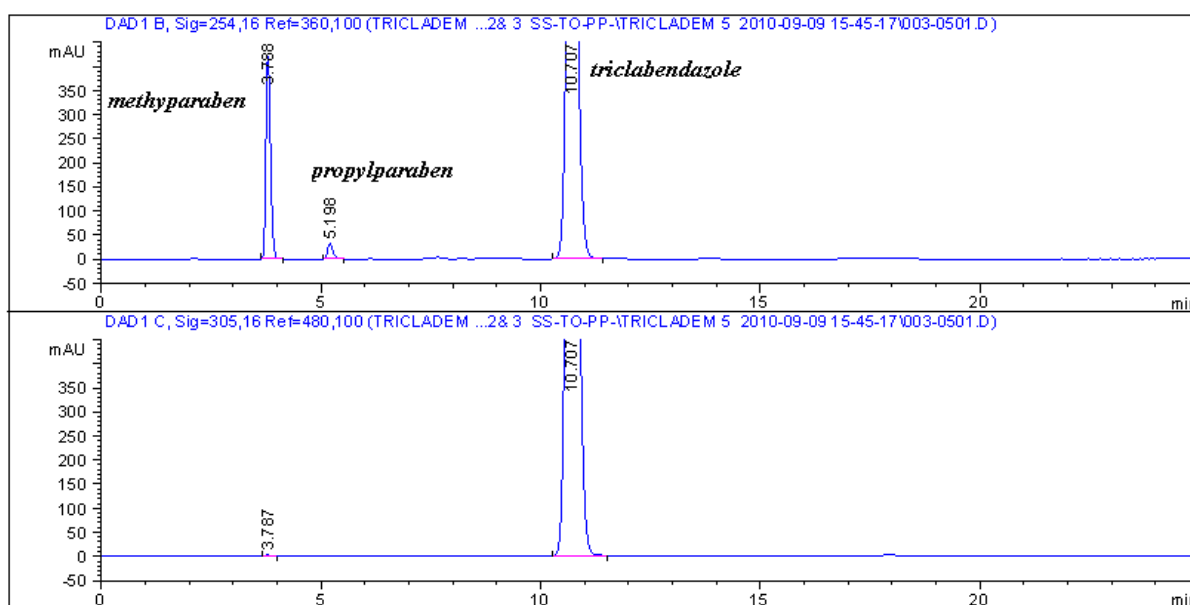


Figure 2. the chromatogram obtained for test solution (167 ppm).

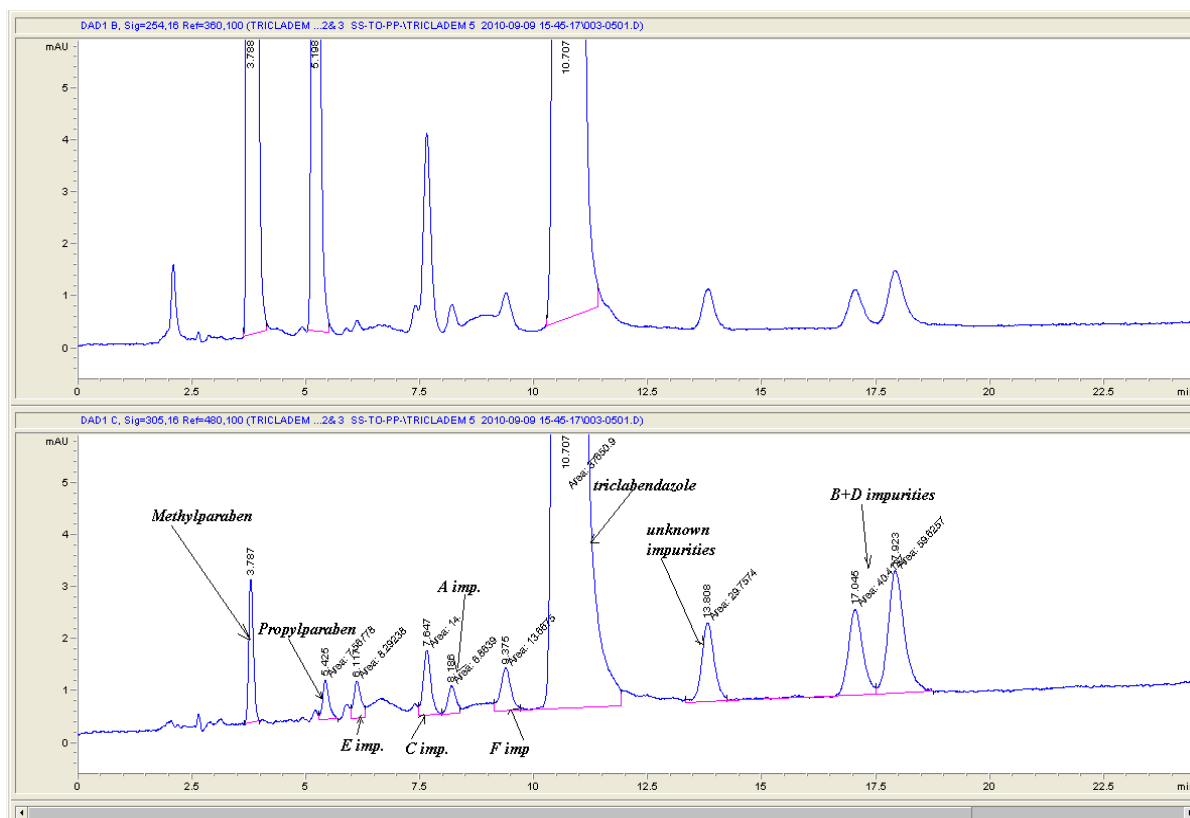


Figure 3. Identification and determination of triclabendazole and preservatives used in Tricladem 5

For triclabendazole assay and identification, assay and identification related substances, the chromatogram is recorded at $\lambda = 305 \text{ nm}$. For assay and identification methylparaben and propylparaben, the chromatogram is recorded at $\lambda = 254 \text{ nm}$.

Injected solutions that are injected and their concentrations, are show in table 2

Table 2
Injected solutions and their concentrations

Type of determination	Sample type	Sample concentration (ppm)
Active substance identification / assay	Reference solution 1	Triclabendazole SRS – 167
	Test solution	Triclabendazole - 167
Related substances / preservatives assay and identification	Reference solution 2	Triclabendazole SRS – 0.334 Methylparaben – 5.664 Propylparaben -0.6
	Test solution	Triclabendazole - 167

Limit of detection, respectively limit of quantification, for the three substances, are listed in table 3

Table 3.
Detection limits and quantification for the three substances injected

Structure	Limit of quantification (ppm)	Limit of detection (ppm)
Methylparaben	0.2138	0.0641
Propylparaben	0.0386	0.0116
Triclabendazole	0.2900	0.087

Conclusions

1. Method permits determining and identifying of the active substance and of the chemically related impurities,
2. Method allows simultaneous identification and determination of preservatives used in pharmaceutical formulation of the finished product Tricladem 5.

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