

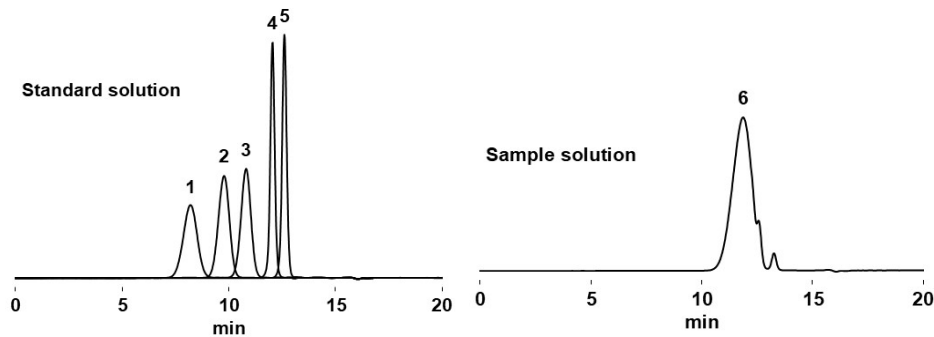
Analysis of Hydrogenated Polydextrose According to USP-NF Method

The Shodex OHpak SB-804 HQ column (L39 packing material) enables precise molecular weight determination of hydrogenated polydextrose, fully compliant with USP-NF 2025 (Issue 1) guidelines. The system demonstrated baseline separation of dextrose and stachyose from pullulan standards, with an excellent calibration curve correlation ($R \geq 0.9999$).

Preparation:

- **Standard solution:** USP Dextrose RS, stachyose, and pullulan standards (2 mg/mL each in eluent), injection volume 50 μ L.
- **Sample solution:** USP Hydrogenated Polydextrose RS (5 mg/mL in eluent), injection volume 50 μ L.
- **Chromatographic Conditions:**

Column: OHpak SB-804 HQ (8.0 mm I.D. \times 300 mm)
 Eluent: 0.1 N Sodium nitrate + 0.025% Sodium azide aq.
 Flow rate: 0.8 mL/min
 Detector: RI (35 $^{\circ}$ C)
 temp.: 45 $^{\circ}$ C



Sample: 50 μ L
 (Standard solution) USP Dextrose RS, stachyose, and pullulan standards 2 mg/mL each in eluent

1. Pullulan (*Mp 107,000)
2. Pullulan (*Mp 21,100)
3. Pullulan (*Mp 5,900)
4. Stachyose
5. Dextrose

*Mp: Peak top molecular weight

Sample: 50 μ L
 (Sample solution) USP Hydrogenated Polydextrose RS 5 mg/mL in eluent

6. Hydrogenated polydextrose

This method confirms reliable and accurate analysis of hydrogenated polydextrose following the USP-NF “Molecular Weight Limit” requirements.