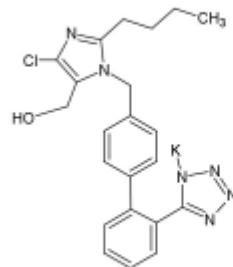
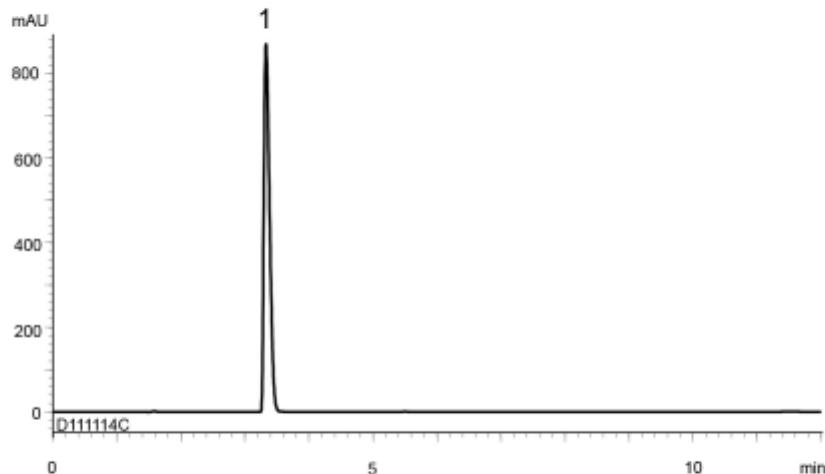
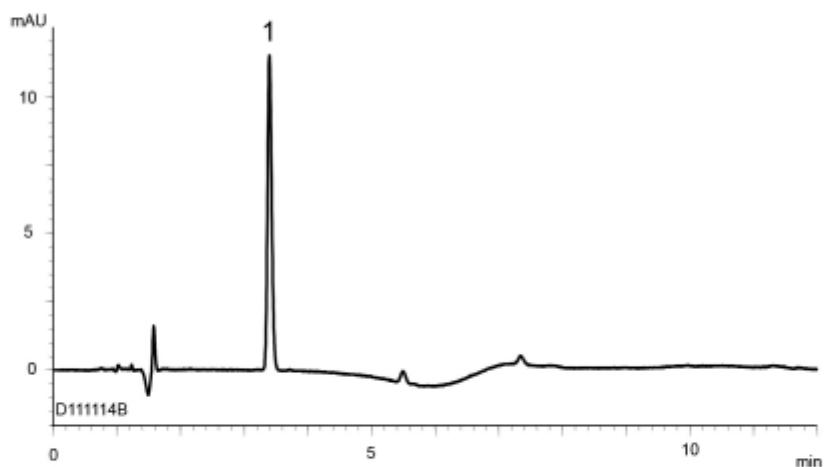


(A) Assay: Standard solution^{*1} (0.25 mg/mL Losartan potassium)

Losartan Potassium

	System suitability requirement	Result
Theoretical plate number (Losartan potassium)	≥3000	6300
Tailing factor (Losartan potassium)	≤2.0	1.59

(B) Impurities: Standard solution^{*1} (0.0025 mg/mL Losartan potassium)

	System suitability requirement	Result
Theoretical plate number (Losartan potassium)	≥3000	12200
Tailing factor (Losartan potassium)	≤2.0	1.18
Relative standard deviation of the peak area (Losartan potassium)	≤5.0%	0.60%

Column	: YMC-Triart C8 (5 µm, 12 nm) 150 X 4.0 mmI.D.
Eluent	: A) phosphate buffer (pH 6.7) ^{*2} /acetonitrile (85/15) B) acetonitrile 20-60% B (0-10 min)
	^{*2} Dissolve 1.25 g of KH ₂ PO ₄ and 2.01 g Na ₂ HPO ₄ ·12H ₂ O in 1000 mL of water
Flow rate	: 1.0 mL/min
Temperature	: 25°C
Detection	: UV at 250 nm
Injection	: 10 µL
(The United States Pharmacopeia 34th)	

^{*1} Standard solutions were prepared from Losartan potassium supplied as a reagent for laboratory use.