

Reveleris® X2 Flash System

Separation and Isolation of α -Santalol and β -Santalol from Sandalwood Extraction

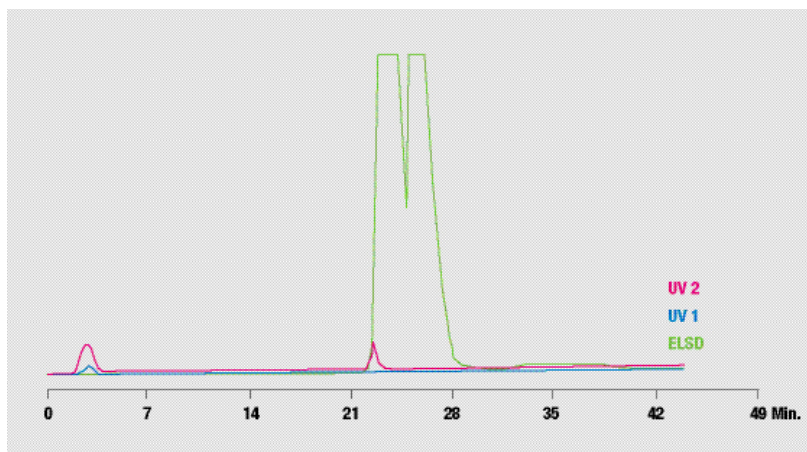
Introduction

Sandalwood oil is an essential oil obtained from the steam distillation and or alcohol extraction of chips and billets cut from the heartwood of the Sandalwood (*Santalum album*) tree. Sandalwood oil is used in perfumes, cosmetics, and pharmaceuticals.

This application note shows the benefit of ELSD detection using Reveleris® X2 automated flash instrument for the separation and isolation of the two main non-chromophoric compounds, α -Santalol and β -Santalol, in Sandalwood.

Flash Chromatography Conditions:

12 gram Reveleris™ cartridge
Flow Rate: 15mL/min
Cartridge equilibration: 4 min.
Slope detection: High
ELSD Threshold: 3mV
UV Threshold: 0.02AU
UV1 Wavelength: 254nm
UV2 Wavelength: 240nm
Injection type: Liquid
Solvent A: Hexane
Solvent B: Ethyl Acetate



Separation of α -Santalol and β -Santalol in Sandalwood by the Reveleris® X2 flash instrument.

Gradient:	Time:	0	5	20	20	30	40	42
	%B:	0	0	7	10	10	30	30

Conclusion

Using the proposed procedure with the Reveleris® X2 flash instrument and Reveleris® Silica cartridge the separation and isolation of α -Santalol and β -Santalol Sandalwood extract can be easily achieved.

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