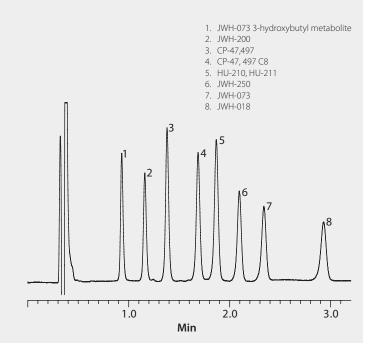
HPLC Analysis of Synthetic (Spice) Cannabinoids on Ascentis[®] Express F5

Synthetic cannabinoids (Spice) are a relatively new type of designer drug used as a pseudo-legal means to get a cannabis-type high. New synthetic cannabinoids are continually being introduced as suppliers tweak the molecular structures. The ability to rapidly and reliably identify the continually changing population of these compounds is a significant analytical challenge facing forensic chemists. A rapid separation of nine of these compounds on Ascentis® Express F5 column is shown here. Cerilliant certified reference material grade standards enabled confident identification. We recommend using HybridSPE®-Phospholipid plates to extract these compounds from serum or plasma.

HPLC Analysis of Spice Compounds on Ascentis Express F5

	Ascentis Express F5, 10 cm x 2 .1 mm l.D., 2.7 μm (53569-U) (A) 50 mM ammonium formate; (B) water; (C) acetonitrile; (10:35:55, A:B:C)
flow rate:	0.6 mL/min
temp.:	35 ℃
pressure (column):	4140 psi
detector:	UV, 200 nm
injection:	3 μL
sample:	100 μg/mL in water: acetonitrile (45:55) (Spice standards from Cerilliant®)





Spice Cannabinoids on Ascentis® Express F5

Following is a selection of products that can be used in this application. It is meant for research and forensic applications and not for medical or diagnostic purposes.

Cerilliant Certified Reference Materials*

Cat. No.	Description
Parent drugs and	d mixes
S-038	Spice Cannabinoid Mix (JWH-250; JWH-200; HU-211; (\pm)-CP 47,497; and (\pm)-CP 47,497 C8 homologue), 100 µg/mL of each component in acetonitrile, 1 mL/ampoule
S-041	Spice Cannabinoid Mix 2 (JWH-019, JWH-122, JWH-081, AM-2201), 100 μg/mL of each component in acetonitrile, 1 mL/ampoule
S-047	Spice Cannabinoid Mix 3 (RCS-4, RCS-8, JWH-015, JWH- 203, JWH-210, AM-2233), 100 µg/mL of each component in acetonitrile, 1 mL/ampoule
S-027	JWH-073, 100 µg/mL in acetonitrile, 1 mL/ampoule
S-025	JWH-018, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-024	HU-210, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
Metabolites (-OF	1)
S-037	JWH-073 3-Hydroxybutyl metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-035	JWH-018 4-Hydroxypentyl metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-043	JWH-019 6-Hydroxyhexyl metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-044	JWH-019 5-Hydroxyhexyl metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-045	JWH-250 5-Hydroxypentyl metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
Metabolites (-CC	OOH)
S-033	JWH-018 5-Pentanoic acid metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-036	JWH-073 4-Butanoic acid metabolite, 100 µg/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
Internal Standar	ds
S-039	JWH-018 4-Hydroxypentyl metabolite-D $_{\rm S}$ (indole-D $_{\rm S}$), 100 μ g/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule
S-040	JWH-073 3-Hydroxybutyl metabolite-D _s (indole-D _s), 100 μ g/mL in methanol, 1 mL/ampoule

*New products are continually being introduced. Please consult the Cerilliant website (cerilliant.com) for the up to date listing of reference standards.

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HPLC Columns and Guard Columns

Cat. No.	Description
53569-U	Ascentis® Express F5, 10 cm x 2.1 mm l.D., 2.7 μm
53567-U	Ascentis Express F5, 5 cm x 2.1 mm I.D., 2.7 μm
53594-U	Ascentis Express F5, 2.1 mm I.D., 2.7 μm (pack of 3)
53500-U	Universal Guard Holder

LC-MS Ultra CHROMASOLV® Solvents and Additives

Cat. No.	Description	
14261	Acetonitrile, LC-MS Ultra CHROMASOLV, 1 L, 2 L	
14262	Methanol, LC-MS Ultra CHROMASOLV, 1 L, 2 L	
14263	Water, LC-MS Ultra CHROMASOLV, 1 L, 2 L	
14264	Trifluroacetic acid, LC-MS Ultra eluent additive, 1 mL, 2 mL	
14265	Formic acid, LC-MS Ultra eluent additive, 1 mL, 2 mL	
14266	Ammonium formate, LC-MS Ultra eluent additive, 25 g	
14267	Ammonium acetate, LC-MS Ultra eluent additive, 25 g	
HyrbidSPE Phospholipid Plates, Tubes and Accessories		
Cat No	Description	

Cat. NO.	Description
52813-U	HybridSPE®-Phospholipid 96-Well Essentials Kit. Includes:
	HybridSPE-Phospholipid 96-well plate (575656-U), cap mat
	(575655-U), and collection plate (575653-U).

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