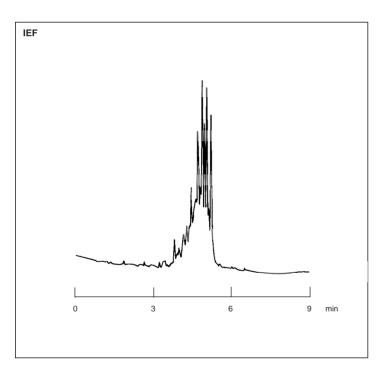
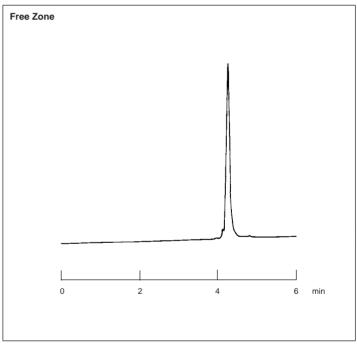
Human Serum Albumin Application
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Because of its stability and availability at low cost and high purity, serum albumin is widely used as a calibration standard in bioanalytical methods. Human serum albumin (HSA) consists of a single polypeptide chain of 584 amino acids and has been well characterized. Serum levels of this transport protein are frequently measured and correlated with various disease states. Capillary electrophoresis allows rapid detection of HSA and its isoforms by isoelectric focusing and free zone methods.





Capillary: 12 cm x 25 µm, coated

Buffer: Bio-Lyte[®] ampholytes

Catholyte: 0.01 M phosphoric acid

Anolyte: 0.02 M NaOH Mobilizer: 0.08 M NaCl and

0.02 M NaOH

Focusing 6 kV, constant voltage,

conditions:

positive polarity

Mobilization: 7 kV, constant voltage, positive

polarity

Detection: UV, 280 nm, 0.02 AUFS

Capillary: 20 cm x 25 µm, coated

Buffer: 0.1 M phosphate, pH 2.5

Load conditions: 5 kV, 4 seconds

Run conditions: 6 kV, constant voltage, positive

polarity

Detection: UV, 200 nm, 0.05 AUFS