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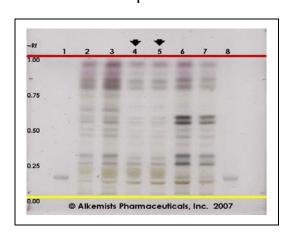
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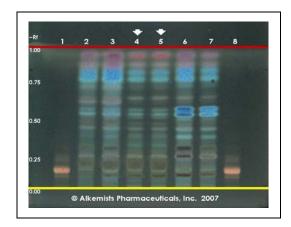
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Certificate of Analysis 2 of 3: Hoodia gordonii (336705)

High Performance Thin-Layer Chromatography with Photo-Documentation





Report Date: 8/23/2007

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Company Name: Great Herbal Labs LLC

Title: Hoodia gordonii (Masson) Sweet ex Decne

Plant Part: aerial parts
Sample Received: 8/17/2007

Sample Description: ~4 grams in a zip lock bag Form of Botanical: crude plant powder Appearance: light tan powder

Source: NA

Lot #: $(336705) \rightarrow Lanes 4(5\mu I), 5(5\mu I)$

Sample #: AU22907GHL

Latin Name: Hoodia gordonii (Masson) Sweet ex Decne

Reference Sample #: Lanes 2(3µl), 3(6µl) (AU29006TA2) (aerial part); Lanes 6(6µl), 7(3µl) (AU21906DBL) (aerial part)

Hoodia gordonii authenticated by macroscopic, microscopic &/or TLC studies according to the reference source cited below, and matching the voucher specimen (AU20604AP)

held at Alkemists Pharmaceuticals, Costa Mesa, CA.

Examiner: SSS 458

Sample Prep: 0.25g exactly + 5ml CH₃OH sonicated + heated in a dry block incubator @ 65° C ~ 1 hr.

Stationary Phase: Silica gel 60, F₂₅₄, 10 x 10 cm HPTLC plates Mobile Phase: ethyl acetate: methanol: water [7.7/1.7/1]

Detection: (1) Vanillin/H₂SO₄ Reagent → 110° C 5 min → visible light (2) Vanillin/H₂SO₄ Reagent → 110° C 5 min → UV 365 nm

Reference Std: Lanes 1(3µl) and 8(3µl) Aescin (93H1029, Sigma-Aldrich) ~0.1% in CH₃OH

Reference Source: Method Developed by Alkemists Pharmaceuticals

<u>Comments & Conclusions:</u> Yellow line = sample origin @ 10mm, red line = solvent front @ 70mm. Lanes 4, 5 are the test sample Hoodia gordonii (Masson) Sweet ex Decne (336705). Lanes 2, 3 & 6, 7 are the authenticated reference samples used for comparison. This test sample, Hoodia gordonii (Masson) Sweet ex Decne (336705), is consistent with the chromatographic profile of the reference samples of Hoodia gordonii used above. This test sample, Hoodia gordonii (336705) is characteristic of Hoodia gordonii aerial parts.

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