

# Certificate

## CHONDROITIN SULFATE SODIUM, SHARK

(Sodium salt of the sulfate ester of N-acetylchondrosamine (2-acetamido-2-deoxy-beta-D-galactopyranose) and D-glucuronic acid copolymer)

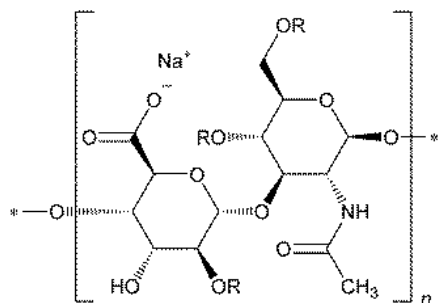
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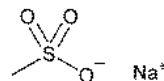
CAS No.: 9082-07-9

Molecular Formula:  $(C_{14}H_{19}NO_{14}SNa_2)_n$

Molecular Weight: NA



R = H,



**LABEL TEXT**

For use with specified USP compendial tests.  
Not for use as a drug. See SDS prior to use at  
[www.usp.org/eds](http://www.usp.org/eds).



**USP REFERENCE STANDARD**  
**CHONDROITIN SULFATE SODIUM, SHARK 300 mg**

Warning! Causes eye irritation.

Dry portion at 105° for 4 hours before using. For quantitative applications, use a value of 0.965 mg of chondroitin sulfate sodium, shark per mg of dried material. Keep container tightly closed. Material is hygroscopic. Store in a desiccator after opening.

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Wash thoroughly after handling. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

*Jeri L. Toth*

*Quality Assurance*

**Calculation Value**

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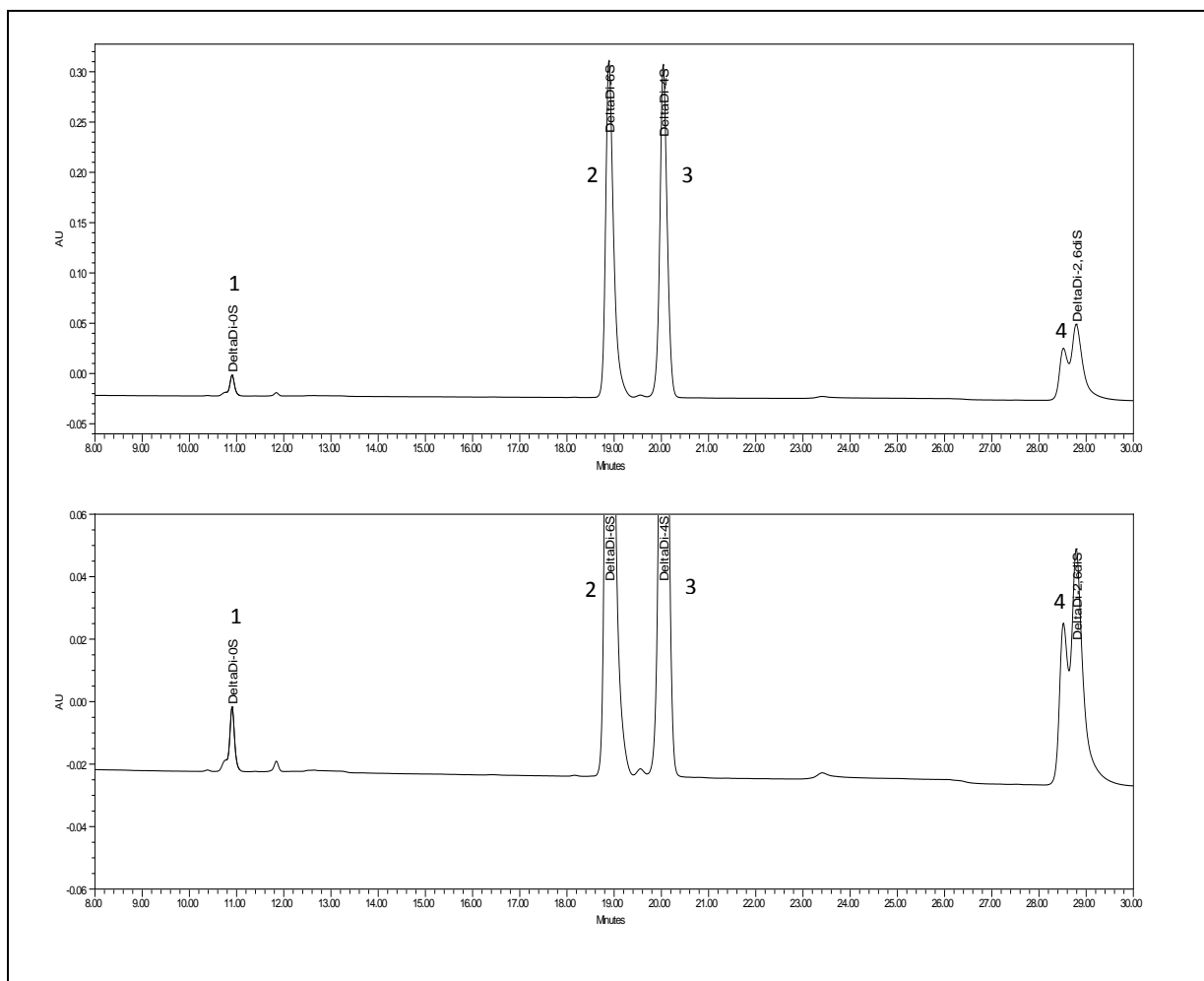
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# Typical Chromatogram

## USP CHONDROITIN SULFATE SODIUM, SHARK RS

<b>Catalog Number:</b> 1133569
<b>Lot:</b> F037Q0
<b>Monograph:</b> Chondroitin Sulfate Sodium, Shark
<b>Publication:</b> PF 38(6)
<b>Test:</b> Disaccharide Composition (Chromatographic Purity)
<b>Sample:</b> Standard Solution



1)  $\Delta$ Di - OS; 2)  $\Delta$ Di - 6S; 3)  $\Delta$ Di - 4S; 4)  $\Delta$ Di - 2,6 diS

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