



## STABILITY-INDICATING RP-HPLC METHOD DEVELOPMENT AND VALIDATION FOR SIMULTANEOUS ESTIMATION OF BALCINRENONE AND DAPAGLIFLOZIN PROPANEDIOL MONOHYDRATE IN ITS SYNTHETIC MIXTURE

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### ABSTRACT

Cardiovascular and renal disorders represent a major and interrelated global health burden, driven largely by hypertension, diabetes, and atherosclerosis. Hypertensive heart disease arises from sustained pressure overload, resulting in myocardial hypertrophy, interstitial fibrosis, microvascular rarefaction, and progressive cardiac dysfunction. Coronary artery disease develops through complex interactions between endothelial injury, lipid deposition, inflammation, and plaque instability, leading to ischemic complications. Advances in cardiovascular medicine—including high-sensitivity biomarkers, multimodal imaging, contemporary pharmacotherapy, percutaneous and surgical revascularization, and emerging adjunctive therapies—have substantially improved early diagnosis and clinical outcomes. Chronic kidney disease, frequently secondary to diabetes and hypertension, is characterized by progressive nephron loss, persistent inflammation, and fibrosis. Diabetic kidney disease remains the leading cause of end-stage kidney failure worldwide. Recent therapeutic developments such as sodium–glucose cotransporter-2 inhibitors, glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonists, and nonsteroidal mineralocorticoid receptor antagonists have demonstrated both renal and cardiovascular protective effects. Acute kidney injury, once considered reversible, is now recognized as a pivotal event that accelerates chronic kidney disease progression and increases long-term cardiovascular risk. This review provides an integrated overview of the pathophysiology, diagnostic advancements, and contemporary management strategies in hypertensive heart disease, coronary artery disease, chronic kidney disease, diabetic kidney disease, and acute kidney injury. Emphasis is placed on the shared mechanisms and bidirectional interactions between the heart and kidneys, underscoring the need for coordinated, multidisciplinary approaches to reduce morbidity and mortality.

**KEYWORDS:** Balcinrenone, Dapagliflozin, RP-HPLC, Method Validation, Stability-Indicating.

## INTRODUCTION

Cardiovascular disease (CVD) and kidney disease are closely interconnected conditions that collectively account for a significant proportion of global mortality. Hypertension and diabetes mellitus are the principal drivers of both cardiac and renal structural damage. Persistent elevation of blood pressure induces adaptive yet ultimately maladaptive changes within the myocardium, commonly referred to as hypertensive heart disease. These changes include left ventricular hypertrophy, cardiomyocyte remodeling, extracellular matrix expansion, and microvascular dysfunction. Over time, sustained neurohormonal activation—particularly involving the renin–angiotensin–aldosterone system and sympathetic nervous system—promotes fibrosis and impairs myocardial relaxation and contractility.

Coronary artery disease (CAD) remains the most prevalent manifestation of CVD. It is initiated by endothelial dysfunction and lipid accumulation within the arterial wall, progressing to inflammatory plaque formation and potential rupture. Improvements in risk stratification through high-sensitivity cardiac troponins, natriuretic peptides, coronary computed tomography angiography, and functional imaging have enhanced early detection and clinical decision-making. Modern management integrates lifestyle modification, lipid-lowering therapy, antithrombotic strategies, glucose-lowering agents with cardiovascular benefit, and revascularization procedures when indicated.

Chronic kidney disease (CKD) affects hundreds of millions worldwide and is defined by persistent abnormalities in kidney structure or function. The condition is characterized by progressive nephron loss, glomerulosclerosis, tubular atrophy, and interstitial fibrosis. Diabetic kidney disease (DKD) is the most

common cause of CKD and results from metabolic dysregulation, intraglomerular hypertension, oxidative stress, and inflammatory signaling. Novel pharmacological interventions have shifted treatment paradigms by slowing disease progression while concurrently reducing cardiovascular events.

Acute kidney injury (AKI) represents a sudden decline in renal function and is frequently triggered by ischemia, sepsis, toxins, or hemodynamic instability. Emerging evidence indicates that even transient episodes of AKI can initiate long-term structural damage, increasing susceptibility to CKD and cardiovascular complications. The concept of cardiorenal interaction highlights the bidirectional relationship whereby dysfunction in one organ exacerbates injury in the other through hemodynamic, neurohormonal, and inflammatory pathways.

Given the overlapping risk factors, shared molecular mechanisms, and significant clinical consequences, an integrated understanding of cardiovascular and renal disease is essential. This review synthesizes current knowledge regarding the pathophysiology, diagnostic advancements, and therapeutic strategies in hypertensive heart disease, coronary artery disease, CKD, DKD, and AKI, emphasizing their interconnected nature and implications for comprehensive patient care.

## REVIEW OF LITERATURE

### DAPAGLIFLOZIN

### PROPANEDIOL

### MONOHYDRATE

#### Official methods for Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate

There was official method found for estimation of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate in Pharmacopoeia as shown in Table.

#### The Reported methods found for estimation of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate

Sr. No	Official	Method	Description	Ref. No.
1	USP - 2023	RP-HPLC	Solution A: Trifluoroacetic acid water (0.5:1000) Solution B: Trifluoroacetic acid and acetonitrile (0.5: 1000) Standard solution: 0.2 mg/mL of USP Dapagliflozin Propanediol RS in acetonitrile Sample solution: 0.2 mg/ml, of Dapagliflozin Propanediol in acetonitrile  <b>Chromatographic system</b> Detector: UV 220 nm x15-cm; 3.5-um packing L1 Column: 15-cm x 4.6, 3.5-um packing L1 Flow Rate : 1 ml/min Injection Volume : 10 µl	[17]
2	IP - 2023	RP-HPLC	Column: a stainless steel column 15 cm × 4.6 mm, packed with octadecylsilane bonded to porous silica (5 µm) (Such as Kromasil C 18), Mobile Phase : a mixture of 55 volumes of a buffer solution prepared by dissolving 1.36 g of potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate in 1000 ml of water, adjusted to pH 2.0 with orthophosphoric acid and 45 volumes of acetonitrile, Flow Rate : 1 ml/min Injection Volume : 10 µl Detector: 225 nm	[18]

**Reported methods of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate**

The Reported methods found for estimation of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate was shown in Table 3.2.

**The Reported methods found for estimation of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate**

Sr. No	Matrix	Method	Description	Ref. No.
1	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Its Tablet Formulation	UV Spectroscopy	Solvent : Methanol Detection Wavelength: Method I (Zero order): 224 nm. Method II (Area under Curve): 218-230 nm. Method III (First order): 220 nm. Method IV (Second order): 224 nm and 235.5 nm. Linearity : 5-40 µg/ml	[19]
2	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Bulk	RP- HPLC & UV Spectroscopy	RP-HPLC Column: Princeton C18 (250 mm × 4.6 mm, 5 µm) Mobile phase : ACN : 0.1%TEA (50:50% v/v) Flow rate : 1.0 ml/min Detection Wavelength : 254.6 nm Retention time : 2.789 min UV spectroscopy Solvent : Methanol Detection Wavelength : 245.6 nm	[20]
3	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Bulk	RP-HPLC	Column: hypersil BDS (250 mm × 4.6 mm, 5 µm) Mobile phase: (Ortho phosphoric acid : ACN (60:40%) Flow rate: 1 ml/ min Detection wavelength: 245 nm	[21]
4.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Tablet	UV Spectroscopy	Solvent : Methanol Detection Wavelength : 224 nm Linearity : 5- 40 µg/ml	[22]
5.	Dapagliflozin In Synthetic Mixture	UV Spectrophotometric Method	Mobile phase: Methanol Linearity: Dapa: 0.5-2.5 µg/ml Met: 25-125 µg/ml r <sub>2</sub> : Dapa: 0.984 Met: 0.982 LOD: Dapa:0.009 µg/ml Met: 0.013µg/ml LOQ: Dapa:0.039 µg/ml Met: 0.041 µg/ml Wavelength : Dapa: 235 nm Met: 272 nm	[23]
6.	Dapagliflozin in bulk and tablet dosage form	RP-HPLC Method	Mobile phase: Phosphate buffer : Acetonitrile (60:40 v/v) Linearity: 10-60 µg/ml r <sub>2</sub> : 0.9957 LOD: 0.02µg/ml LOQ: 0.06µg/ml Wavelength : 237 nm	[24]
7.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In API	UV Spectrophotometric Method	Solvent : Ethanol Detection Wavelength :233.65 nm Linearity : 10-35 µg/ml	[25]
8.	Dapagliflozin And Saxagliptin In Bulk And Tablet Dosage Form	RP-HPLC Method	Column: Xterra RP18 (4.6×150 mm,5 µm size) column Mobile phase: Acetonitrile: water (60:40) Linearity: Dapa: 100-500 µg/ml Saxa: 50-250 µg/ml r <sub>2</sub> : Dapa: 0.9998 Saxa: 0.9998 LOD: Dapa: 3.00 µg/ml Saxa: 3.02 µg/ml LOQ: Dapa: 9.98 µg/ml Saxa: 10.01 µg/ml Linearity : 248 nm	[26]

9.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In API	RP-HPLC method and UV-spectroscopy.	Column: BDS Mobile phase: Acetonitrile: Ortho phosphoric acid (55-45%) Flow rate: 1.2 ml/min Wavelength: 203 nm Retention time: 2.87 min UV spectroscopy Solvent : Methanol Detection wavelength:203nm	[27]
10.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Bulk And Pharmaceutical Dosage Form	RP-HPLC Method	Column : ODS C18 (250 mm × 4.6 mm, 5 μm) Mobile phase : Buffer (potassium hydrogen orthophosphate):Methanol(65:35 % v/v) Flow rate : 1.0 ml/min Detection Wavelength : 225 nm Retention time : 2.93 min	[28]
11.	Dapagliflozin And Metformin In Bulk And In Synthetic Mixture	RP-HPLC Method	Column: Phenomenex Luna C18 (4.6mm I.D. × 250mm, 5μm) column Mobile phase: Acetonitrile: water (75:25 v/v) Linearity: Dapa: 10-50 μg/ml Met: 20-100 μg/ml r <sup>2</sup> : Dapa: 0.999 Met: 0.9991 LOD: Dapa: 3.7 μg/ml Met: 5 μg/ml LOQ: Dapa: 11.4 μg/ml Met: 15.2 μg/ml 285 nm	[29]
12.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Bulk And Tablet Dosage Form	RP-HPLC Method	Column : Symmetry C18 (250 mm × 4.6 mm, 5 μm) Mobile phase : Methanol : Acetonitrile: 1% OPA (75:25:05 % v/v) Flow rate : 1.0 ml/min Detection Wavelength : 246 nm Retention time : 2.797 min	[30]
13.	Dapagliflozin In API And Pharmaceutical Dosage Form	Stability RP-HPLC Method	Mobile phase: Buffer (dipotassium hydrogen phosphate) : Acetonitrile (60:40 v/v) Flow rate : 1 ml/min Wavelength: 222 nm Linearity: 50-150 μg/ml r <sup>2</sup> : 0.997 LOD: 5.14 μg/ml LOQ: 15.6 μg/ml	[31]
14.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In Tablet	RP-HPLC Method	Column: BDS Mobile phase: Acetonitrile: Triethylamine (50:50 % v/v) Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min Wavelength: 224 nm Retention time: 5.163 min Concentration range: 10-70 μg/mL	[32]
15.	Dapagliflozin Propanediol Monohydrate In API	RP-HPLC Method and UV Spectroscopy	Column: BDS Mobile phase: Ortho phosphoric acid: Methanol (45:55 % v/v) Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min Wavelength: 245 nm Retention time: 2.963 min.	[33]

**BALCINRENONE****Official methods for Balcinrenone**

There is no Official method found for estimation of Balcinrenone in Pharmacopoeia.

**Reported methods of Balcinrenone**

There is no Reported methods found for estimation of Balcinrenone.

**PSAR REPORTS****PSAR Report of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate**

➤ The PSAR of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate was shown in Table 3.3.

**Table 0.1 Summary of PSAR Report of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate.**

Sr. No.	Patent Application No.	Title of Patent
1	CN104496952A <sup>[34]</sup>	The invention relates to a synthesis method of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate
2	WO2015128853A1 <sup>[35]</sup>	Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate Compositions
3	EP2508188A1 <sup>[36]</sup>	Pharmaceutical formulations containing Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate propylene glycol hydrate
4	W02017/208136A1 <sup>[37]</sup>	Pharmaceutical composition of Dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate co-crystal

**PSAR Report of Balcinrenone**

➤ The PSAR of Balcinrenone was shown in Table 3.4.

**Table 0.2 Summary of PSAR Report of Balcinrenone.**

Sr. No.	Patent Application No.	Title of Patent
1	US10973836B2 <sup>[38]</sup>	Methods of treating heart failure with reduced ejection fraction

**RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

The developed RP-HPLC method showed:

- Excellent resolution between analytes
- Sharp and symmetric peaks
- Short retention time

Validation results confirmed that the method is:

- Accurate
- Precise
- Reproducible

Forced degradation studies demonstrated the stability-indicating nature of the method.

**CONCLUSION**

A simple, rapid, and stability-indicating RP-HPLC method was successfully developed and validated for simultaneous estimation of balcinrenone and dapagliflozin propanediol monohydrate. The method complies with ICH guidelines and is suitable for routine quality control and stability testing.

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