

## Methoddevelopment Andvalidation Of Semaglutide Using Rp-Hplc

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### ABSTRACT

#### SEAGLUTIDE

A simple, Accurate, precise method was developed for the Estimation of the Semaglutide in API form. Chromatogram was run through inertsil ODS C18 (250 x4.6mm, 5 $\mu$ ). Mobile phase containing Methanol : Water in the ratio 70:30 was pumped through column at a flow rate of 1.0 ml/min in the room temperature. Optimized wavelength selected was 274 nm. Retention time of Semaglutide was found to be 3.237mins . %RSD of the Semaglutide was found to be 0.9 . LOD, LOQ values obtained from regression equations of Semaglutide was 0.57 ,1.74 respectively. Regression equation of Semaglutide is  $y = 18599.8434x + 276.2281$ . Retention times were decreased and run time was decreased, so the method developed was simple and economical that can be adopted in regular Quality control test in Industries.

**Key Words:** SEMAGLUTIDE,METHANOL,RP-HPLC.

### I. INTRODUCTION

(RS)-1-{4-[2-

Isopropoxyethoxy)methyl]phenoxy}-3-(isopropylamino)propan-2-ol. It is an anti-diabetic medication used for the treatment of type 2 diabetes and chronic weight management. It acts like human glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP-1) such

that it increases insulin secretion, thereby increasing sugar metabolism. It is distributed as a metered subcutaneous injection in a prefilled pen or as an oral form. One of its advantages over other antidiabetic drugs is that it has a long duration of action, thus, only once-a-week injection is sufficient. Semaglutide is a glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonist. It increases the production of insulin, a hormone that lowers the blood sugar level. It also appears to enhance growth of  $\beta$  cells in the pancreas, which are the sites of insulin production. It also inhibits glucagon, which is a hormone that increases blood sugar. It additionally reduces food intake by lowering appetite and slows down digestion in the stomach. In this way it reduces body fat.

The main aim of the thisprocess investigation is to develop an accurate, precise, sensitive, selective, reproducible and rapid analytical technique for theEstimation of Semaglutide in active pharmaceutical ingredient. The objectives is to validate the method development:

Selectivity (Specificity)

Precision

Accuracy

Linearity and Range

LOD and LOQ

Robustness and Ruggedness

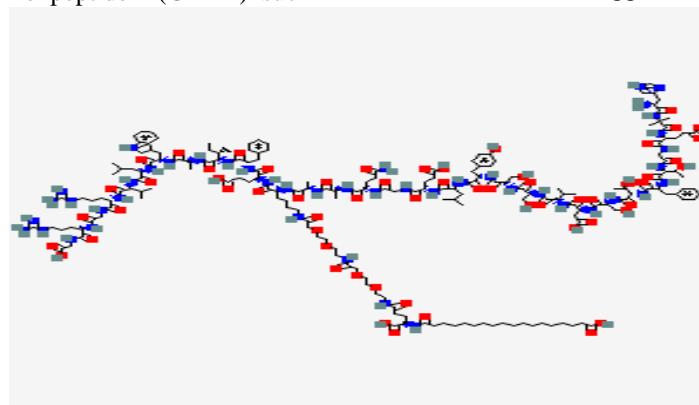


Fig 1. Structure of Semaglutide

## **II. MATERIALS AND METHODS**

Methods: Instruments-Instruments:

HPLC –Waters Model NO.2690/5 series Compact System Consisting of

Inertsil-C18 ODS column.

Electronic balance (SARTORIOUS)

Sonicator( FAST CLEAN)

Substances containing chemicals:

Methanol HPLC Grade.

Raw equipment(Unprocessed materials):

Semaglutide is working standard.

## **III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION:**

Preparation of Standard stock solutions:  
Accurately Weighed and transferred 10mg of Semaglutide drug in 10 ml Volumetric flask and add 7ml of Methanol and sonicate for 30 minutes. After 30 minutes add 3 ml of Methanol , makeup to the mark and sonicate for 5 to 10 minutes.

Preparation of Standard working solutions (100% solution): Take 1 ml of above 1000ppm stock solution in 10 ml of volumetric flask, make up to the mark with Methanol and sonicate .

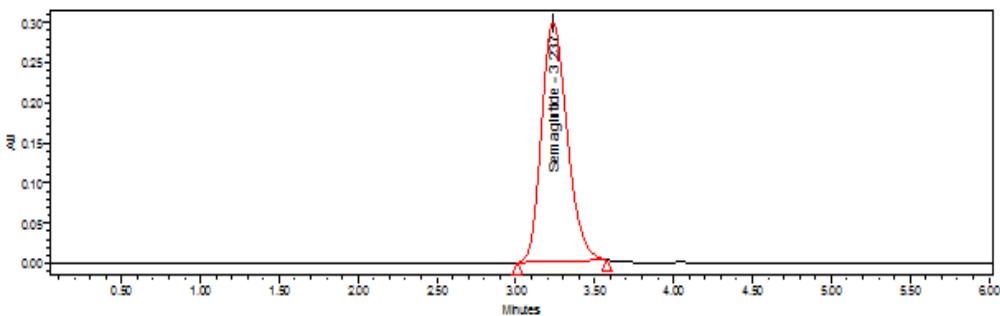
### **3.1 ADVANCED METHOD (OPTIMIZED METHOD)**

Mobile Phase: Methanol: Water (70:30)V/V.

Chromatographic conditions that have been optimized:

Parameters	Method
Stationary phase (column)	Inertsil -ODS C <sub>18</sub> (250 x 4.6 mm, 5 μ)
Mobile Phase	Methanol: Water (70:30)
Flow rate (ml/min)	1.0 ml/min
Run time (minutes)	5 min
Column temperature (°C)	Room temperature
Volume of injection loop (μl)	10 micro litres
Detection wavelength (nm)	274nm
Drug RT (min)	3.237min

Fig 7.1.1 Standard chromatogram



Inference: Got chromatogram at a Rt of 3.237 for standard 7.1.1

S.NO	Name of the peak	Retention time(min)
1	Semaglutide	3.237

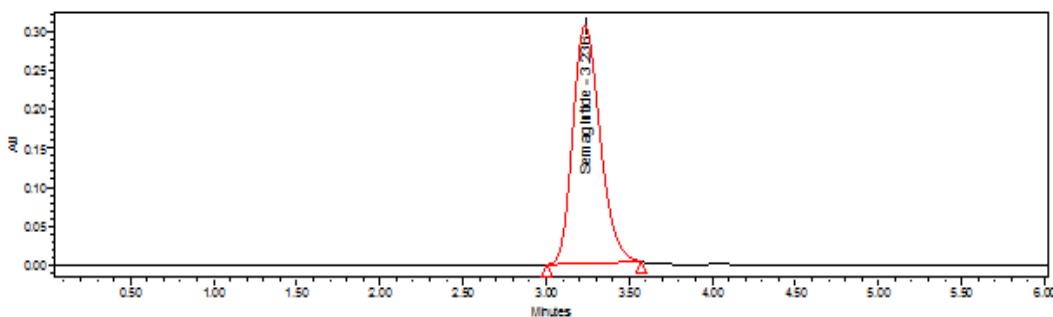
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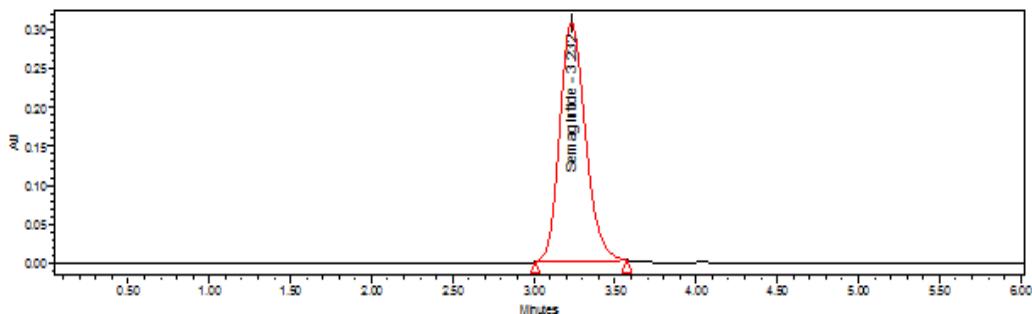
#### 7.2 PRODUCTS FOR THE SYSTEM(SYSTEM SUITABILITY):

TABLE 7.2.1: Data of System Suitability

Injection	RT	Peak Area	USP Plate count	USP Tailing
1	3.236	674753	10953.609752	1.153539
2	3.235	674261	10951.014286	1.155271
3	3.232	675298	10003.278630	1.157740
4	3.236	679221	10986.906427	1.159499
5	3.232	688636	10946.878423	1.152820
Mean	3.23422	678433.8	10768.34	1.155774
SD	0.00228	6031.135	-----	-----
% RSD	0.066247	0.888979	-----	-----

Fig: 7.2.1 System suitability chromatograms (standards )





Inference: Standard Chromatogram-1 System Suitability.

Inference: For standard Chromatogram-2, a suitable system is required.

DESCRIPTION(SPECIFICITY):

Fig 7.3.1 Blank Chromatograph

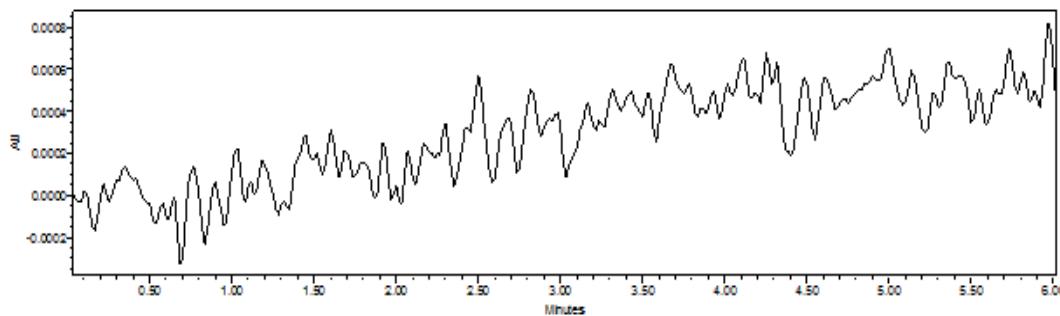
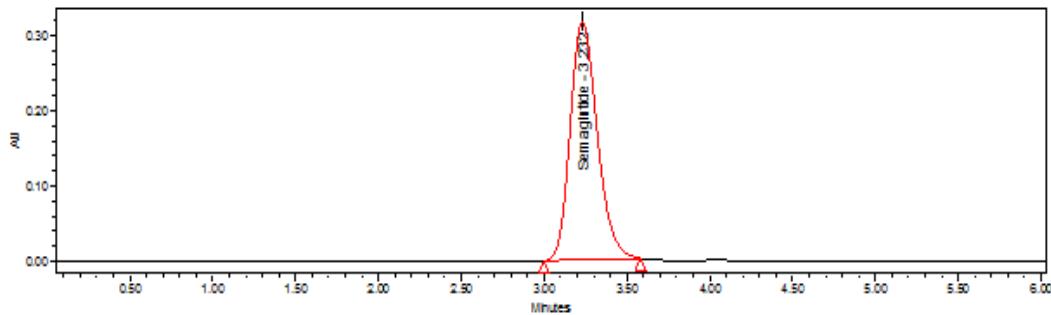


Fig 7.3.2: Chromatogram Standard



Inference: Got a peak for std at an Rt of 3.232min

7.4 PREQUIRE(PRECISION):

7.4.1 Repetition(Repeatability):

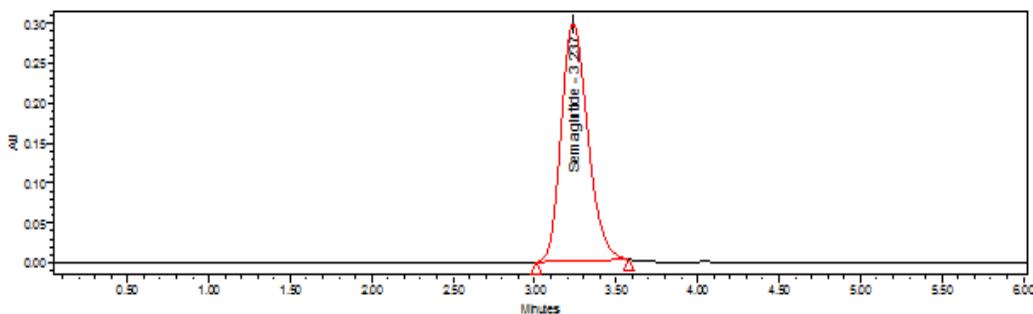
(a) Precise system(System precision):

TABLE-2: Data of Repeatability (System precision)

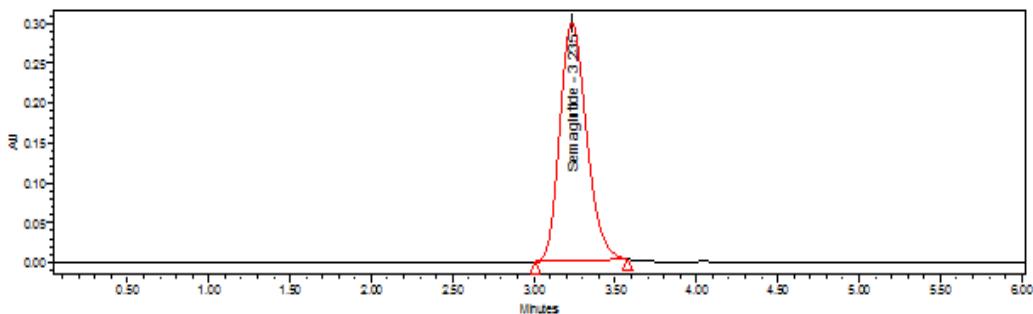
Concentration 40ppm	Injection	Peak Areas of Semaglutide	%Assay
	1	674753	98.66
	2	674261	99.30
	3	675298	101.53
	4	679221	100.53
	5	688636	99.98

Statistical Analysis	Mean	678433.8	100.00
	SD	6031.135	1.107678
	% RSD	0.888979	1.10

Fig 7.4.1 Detailed chromatograms of systems



Inference: Precision chromatograph devices (standard-1)

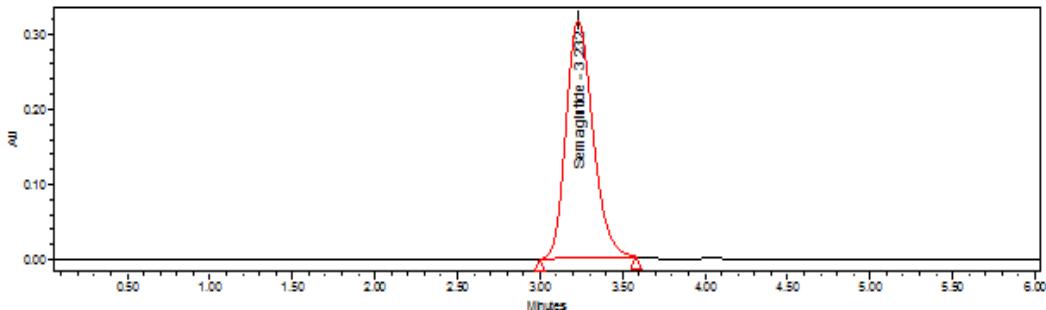


7.5 (b)Method precision:

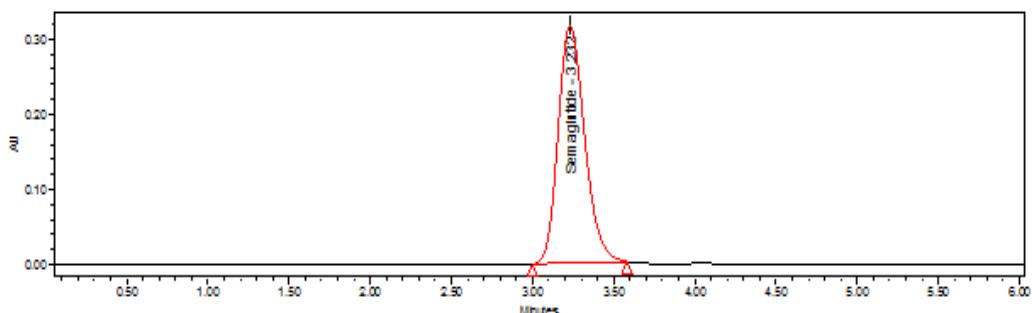
TABLE-7.5.1: Data of Repeatability (Method precision)

Concentration 40ppm	Injection	Peak Areas of Semaglutide	% Assay
	1	633495	98.55
	2	635992	98.88
	3	639828	99.40
	4	639098	99.30
	5	648289	100.53
Statistical Analysis	6	631322	98.28
	Mean	637312	99.278
	SD	5988.879	0.827236
	% RSD	0.0891	0.83

Fig 7.5.1: Repeatability chromosomes (Repeatable Chromatograms)



Inference: Chromatograph with high repeatability (Standard-1)

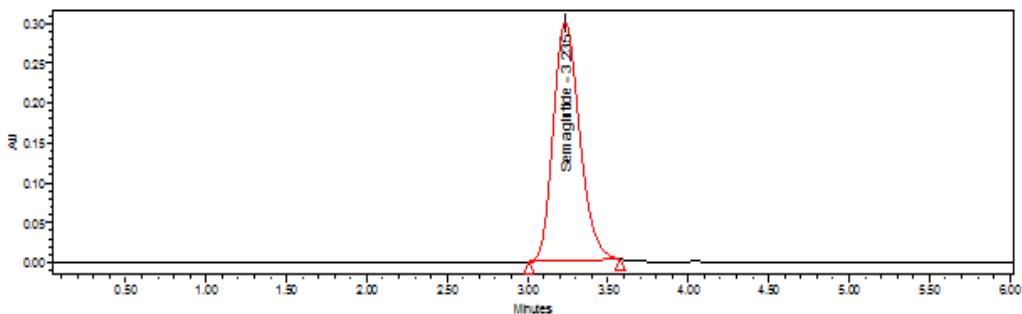


#### 7.6 Intermediate precision:

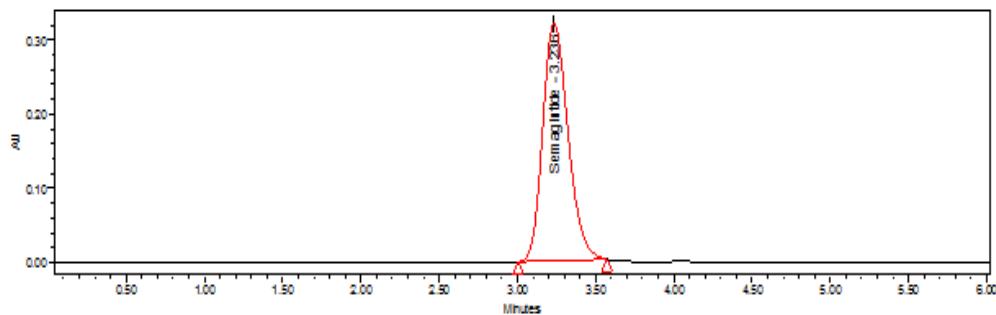
Table 7.6.1 Data of Intermediate precision (Analyst 2)

	Injection	Peak Areas of Semaglutide	% Assay
Concentration 40ppm	1	636792	99.99
	2	634360	99.66
	3	655696	101.53
	4	644147	99.98
	5	644127	99.97
	6	652525	101.10
Statistical Analysis	Mean	644607.8	100.37
	SD	6392.59	0.753536
	% RSD	1.183	0.75

Fig 7.6.2: Chromatograms of Intermediate Precision



Inference: Chromatograph with a medium precision.1

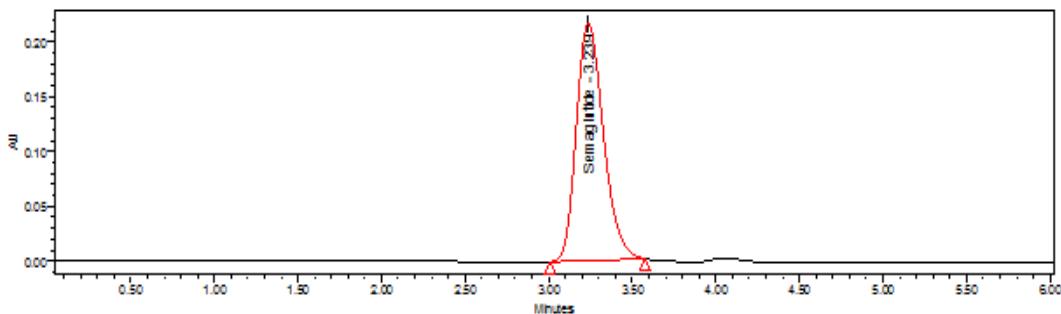


## 7.7 Resilience (ACCURACY)

TABLE 7.7.1: Data of Accuracy

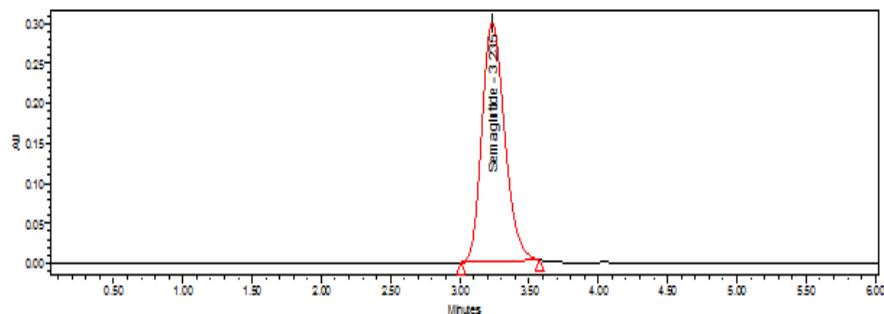
Concentration % of spiked level	Amount added (ppm)	Amount found (ppm)	% Recovery	Statistical Analysis of % Recovery	
50% Injection 1	20	20.04	100.22	MEAN	100.06
50% Injection 2	20	19.97	99.85		
50% Injection 3	20	20.02	100.11	%RSD	0.18
100 % Injection 1	40	40.01	100.02	MEAN	100.04
100 % Injection 2	40	40.05	100.14		
100% Injection 3	40	39.98	99.96	%RSD	0.091
150% Injection 1	60	60.08	100.14	MEAN	100.02
150% Injection 2	60	59.97	99.96		
150% Injection 3	60	59.98	99.98	%RSD	0.09

Fig 7.7.1 :Chromatographic precision (50 percent)

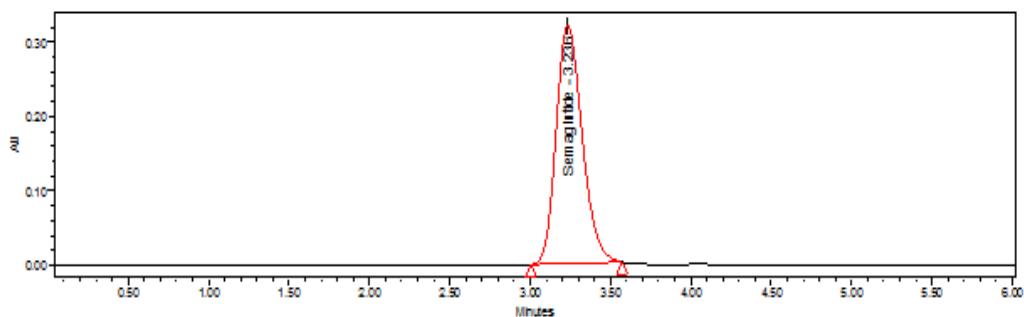


Inference: Standard 1 chromatogram

Fig 7.7.2: Chromatograms with extreme accuracy (100 per cent)

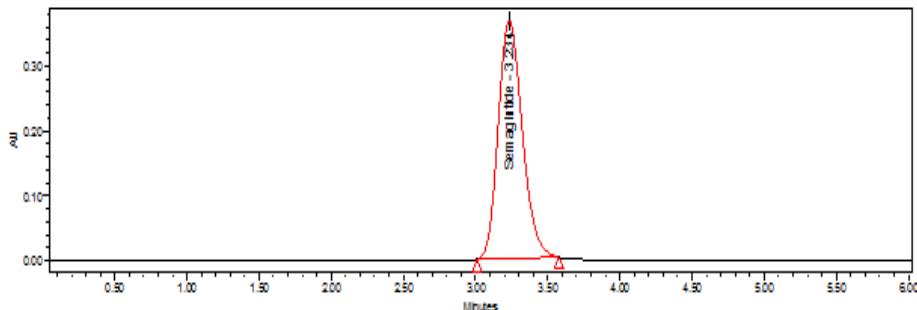


Inference: Standard 1 chromatogram



Inference: Standard 2 chromatogram

Fig 7.7.3: Chromatograms are used to ensure precision (150 per cent)



Inference: Standard 1 chromatogram

#### 7.8 Variability (LINEARITY):

TABLE 7.8.1: Data of Linearity

Concentration (ppm)	Average Area	Statistical Analysis	
0	0	Slope	18600
20	632546	y-Intercept	276.2
30	658296	Correlation Coefficient	1
40	694400		
50	730308		
60	916282		
70	9402046		

#### 7.8.2 Linearity plot (Concentration Vs Response)

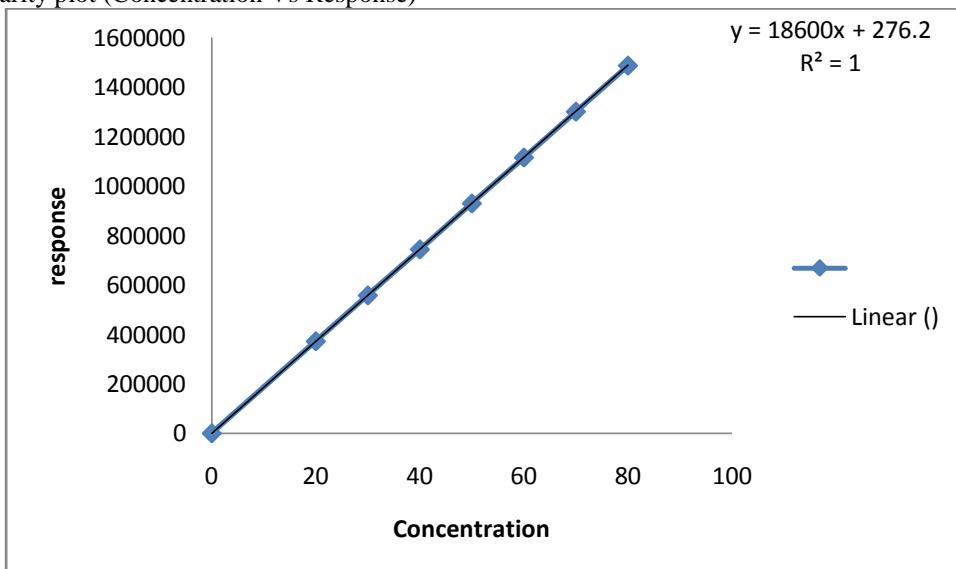
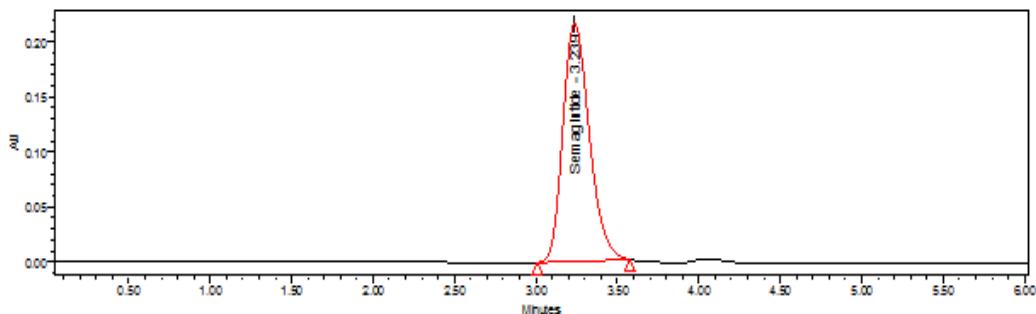
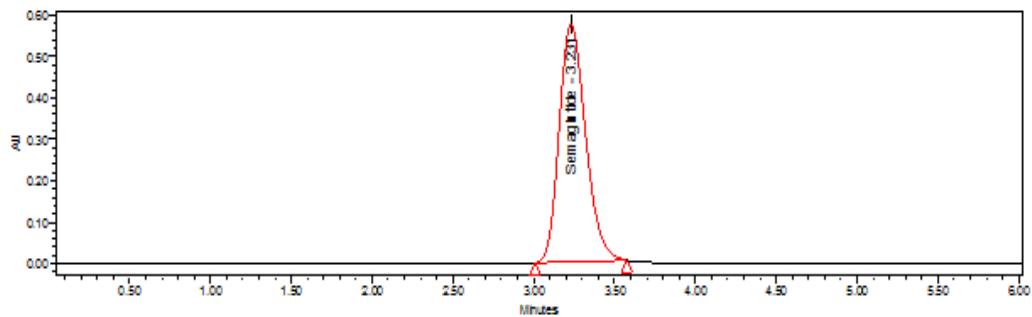


Fig:7.8.1 The chromatograms at 20 ppm are as follows:



Inference: The standard chromatogram of 20 ppm

Fig 7.8.4: There are chromatograms available. 70 parts per million



Inference: The standard chromatogram of 70 ppm

#### 7.9 Ruggedly(Ruggedness):

Variability from system to system (System to System variability):

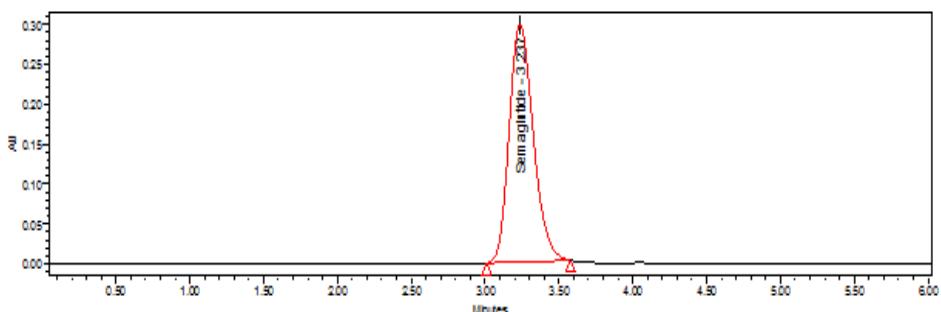
TABLEMENT: 7.9.1

Data on System Variability

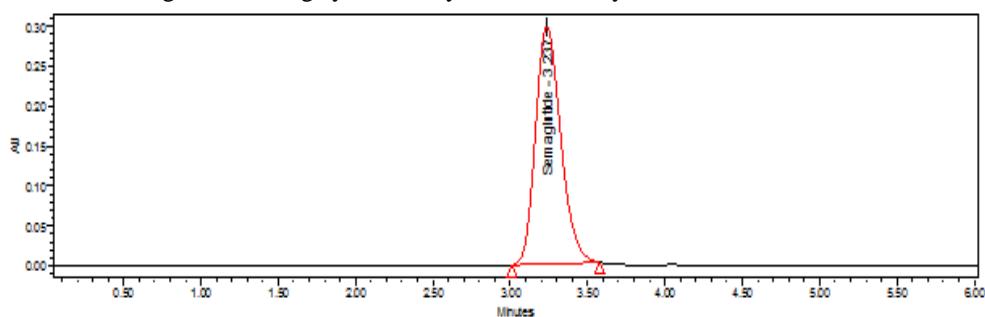
System-2

S.NO:	Peak area	Assay % of Semaglutide
1	634360	98.65
2	634098	98.63
3	635696	98.86
4	633289	98.52
5	634147	98.63
6	633495	98.55
Mean	634180.8	98.64
%RSD	0.019	0.12

Fig 7.9.1 System to system variability chromatograms



Inference: std- 1 chromatogram showing system-to-system variability



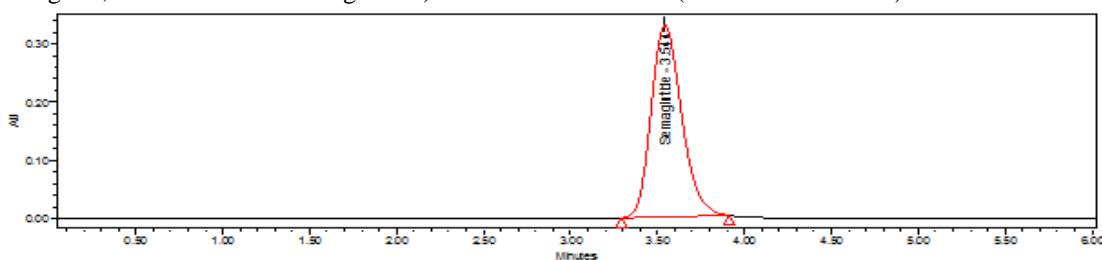
Inference: std- 2 chromatogram showing system-to-system variability

#### 8. Resiliency (Robustness):

TABLE: 8.1 There's proof that flux rate variability has an impact

Flow 0.8 ml	Std Area	Tailing factor	Flow 1.0 ml	Std Area	Tailing factor	Flow 1.2 ml	Std Area	Tailing factor
620286	1.322089		634322	1.604878		602077	1.285372	
619282	1.331920		635792	1.584354		601854	1.319385	
621337	1.296438		634360	1.543805		602403	1.292055	
620456	1.315454		635696	1.568590		603421	1.304561	
620765	1.326551		633147	1.559986		602465	1.294621	
Avg	620425	1.31849	Avg	634663.4	1.572323	Avg	602444	1.299199
SD	754.0018	0.013728	SD	1100.917	0.023367	SD	599.8833	0.013223
%RSD	0.086	1.04	%RSD	0.184	1.48	%RSD	0.09	1.01

Fig 8.1, Robustness chromatogram a) Variation in flow rate (for 0.8 ml/min flow) has an effect.



Inference: Standard for robustness chromatogram – 1

9. LOD AND LOQ (LIMIT OF DETECTION AND LIMIT OF QUANTITATION):  
From the linearity plot the LOD and LOQ are calculated:

$$LOD = \frac{3.3\sigma}{S}$$

$$\text{LOD} = \frac{3.3 \times 3244.904}{18600} = 0.57$$

$$LOQ = \frac{10\sigma}{S}$$

$$\text{LOQ} = \frac{10 \times 3244.904}{18600} = 1.74 = 18600$$

#### IV. CONCLUSION

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