# Effect of Mobile-Phase Strength in Separations of Mono- and Disaccharides

## Application

### Food Analysis

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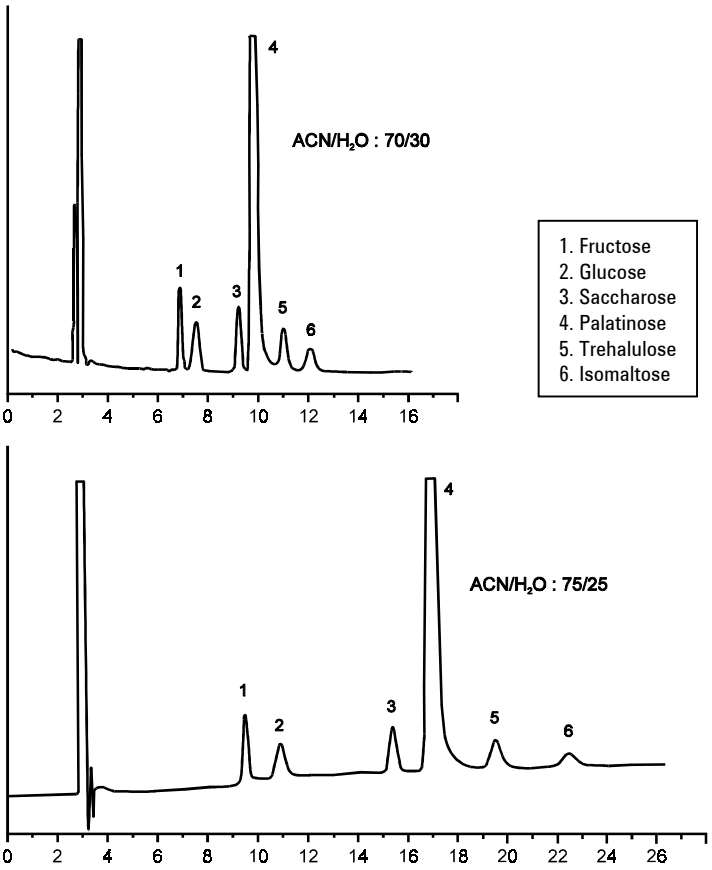
Sugars are important component of many foodstuffs derived from plant and animal sources Sugars are also of great clinical importance. They have traditionally separated by normal- phase on $NH_2$ bonded phases. Effect of mobile-phase solvent strength in these separations is demonstrated for various mono- and disaccharides.




1. Fructose
2. Glucose
3. Saccharose
4. Palatinose
5. Trehalulose
6. Isomaltose

**Conditions:**
**ZORBAX $NH_2$ (4.6 x 250 mm) (Agilent P/N: 880952-708)**
**Mobile Phase: ACN : $H_2O$, as indicated**
**1 mL/min, Detect. = Refractive Index**

### *Highlights*

- *Good resolution of various mono- and disaccharides is obtained using a ZORBAX NH2 column.*
- *Retention of sugars increases with increasing organic content in the mobile phase.*

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