

METHOD: IDENTIFICATION OF GHB IN A LIQUID

1. SAMPLE REQUIRED

UNKNOWN LIQUID

2. SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS

A. FOURIER TRANSFORM INFRARED SPECTROMETER

3. REAGENTS REQUIRED

A. GHB COLOR TEST REAGENT (50 % H_2SO_4 + .25% CrO_3)

4. PROCEDURES

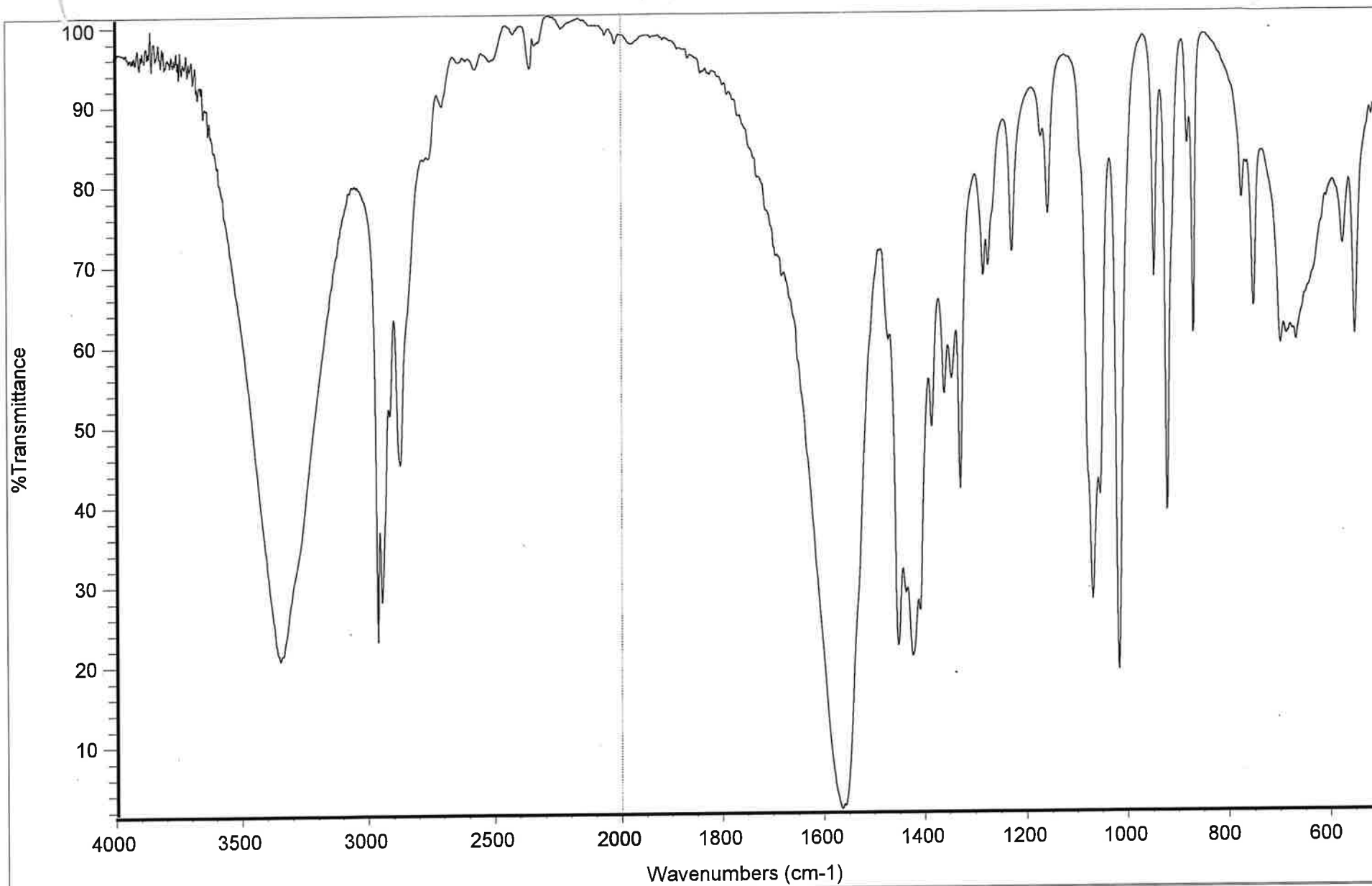
- A. PUT DROP OF LIQUID IN SPOT PLATE AND ADD 3 DROPS OF GHB TEST REAGENT. ALSO DO A NEGATIVE SPOT TEST USING ONLY GHB COLOR TEST REAGENT AND AN ADDITIONAL NEGATIVE TEST USING A DROP OF DI H_2O AND ADDING 3 DROPS OF GHB TEST REAGENT. A POSITIVE TEST WILL TURN A GREENISH COLOR AND EVENTUALLY WILL TURN A PALE BLUE. A NEGATIVE TEST WILL STAY BRIGHT ORANGE.
- B. IF COLOR TEST IS NEGATIVE, PROCEED UNDER THE ASSUMPTION THAT GHB IS NOT PRESENT. IF COLOR TEST IS POSITIVE, TAKE AN ALIQUOT OF THE SUSPECTED SAMPLE AND PLACE IN A MORTAR. DRY WITH HIGH HEAT UNTIL **TOTALLY DRY**. LET MORTAR COOL COMPLETELY BEFORE ANALYZING.
- C. PERFORM A FOURIER TRANSFORM INFRARED (FTIR) EXAMINATION ON THE RESULTING MATERIAL DRIED IN THE MORTAR, BEING SURE TO THOROUGHLY GRIND AND SCRAPE THE MORTAR BEFORE PREPARING A KBR DISK OF THE SAMPLE AND SCANNING THE % TRANSMITTANCE BETWEEN THE WAVE NUMBERS OF 4000 TO 500 (CM^{-1}) ON A FTIR. RETAIN THE RECORDED SPECTRUM.
- D. COMPARE THE SPECTRA TO THE STANDARD GHB SPECTRUM IN THE STANDARDS BOOK. IF THERE IS NOT SUFFICIENT RESOLUTION OF THE QUESTIONED SAMPLE, DRY THE SAMPLE MORE AND REPEAT.
- E. IDENTIFICATION OF GHB WILL BE BASED UPON THE INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE RECORDED SPECTRA. AN ACCEPTABLE INFRARED SPECTRA OF GHB IS CONSIDERED CONFIRMATION OF ITS PRESENCE.

5. PREPARATION OF REAGENTS

- A. GHB COLOR TEST REAGENT - TAKE 50 ML CONCENTRATED H_2SO_4 AND ADD 50 ML DI H_2O . ADD .25 GRAMS OF CrO_3 AND MIX THOROUGHLY.

6. NOTES

- A. IF SUSPECTED GHB IS IN A POWDER FORM, DO A COLOR TEST ON THE POWDER, THEN PERFORM A NEAT FOURIER TRANSFORM INFRARED (FTIR) EXAMINATION ON AN ALIQUOT OF THE POWDER BY PREPARING A KBR DISK OF THE SAMPLE AND SCANNING THE % TRANSMITTANCE BETWEEN THE WAVE NUMBERS OF 4000 TO 500 (cm^{-1}) ON A FTIR. RETAIN THE RECORDED SPECTRUM.
- B. IF GHB IS SUSPECTED, AN ALIQUOT OF THE LIQUID MAY BE MIXED WITH AN EQUAL PORTION OF MEOH AND INJECTED ON THE GC/MS USING THE GHB PROGRAM (INJECTION PORT TEMPERATURE - 250°C , TEMPERATURE RAMP FROM 60°C TO 280°C AT 70° PER MINUTE). IF GHB IS PRESENT, IT WILL CONVERT TO THE LACTONE IN THE HEATED INJECTION PORT AND PRESENT A PEAK WITH A BASE PEAK OF 42 AND A MOLECULAR ION PEAK OF 86 (SEARCH ON TBI_STD.L). A MODERATELY CONCENTRATED SAMPLE MUST BE USED IN ORDER TO SEE THE LACTONE.
- C. IF THE ALIQUOT OF THE SUSPECTED SAMPLE WILL NOT DRY TOTALLY, MEOH CAN BE ADDED TO THE ALIQUOT WITH KBR AND GROUND UP THOROUGHLY AND THEN DRIED WITH HIGH HEAT UNTIL DRY.

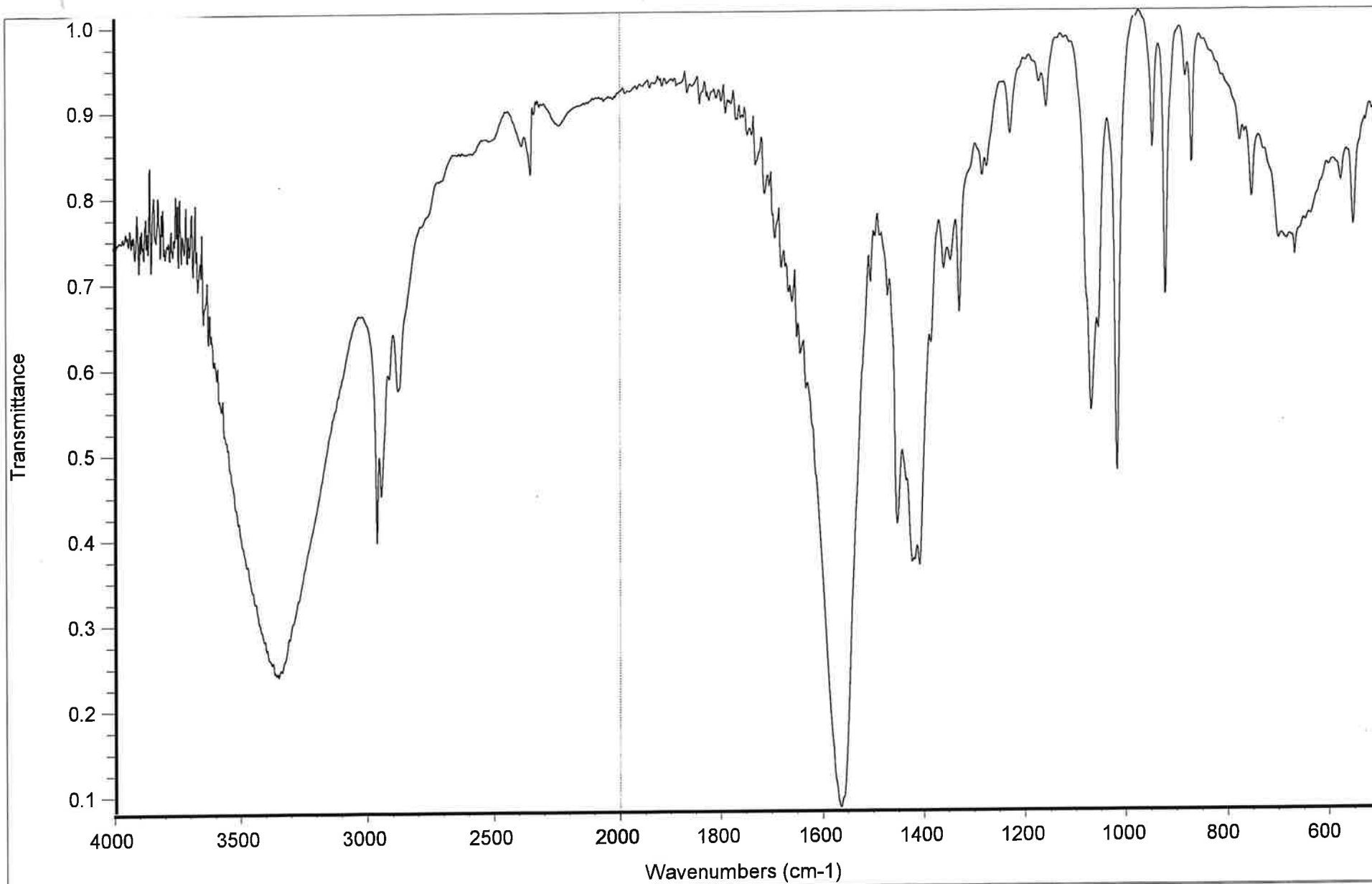


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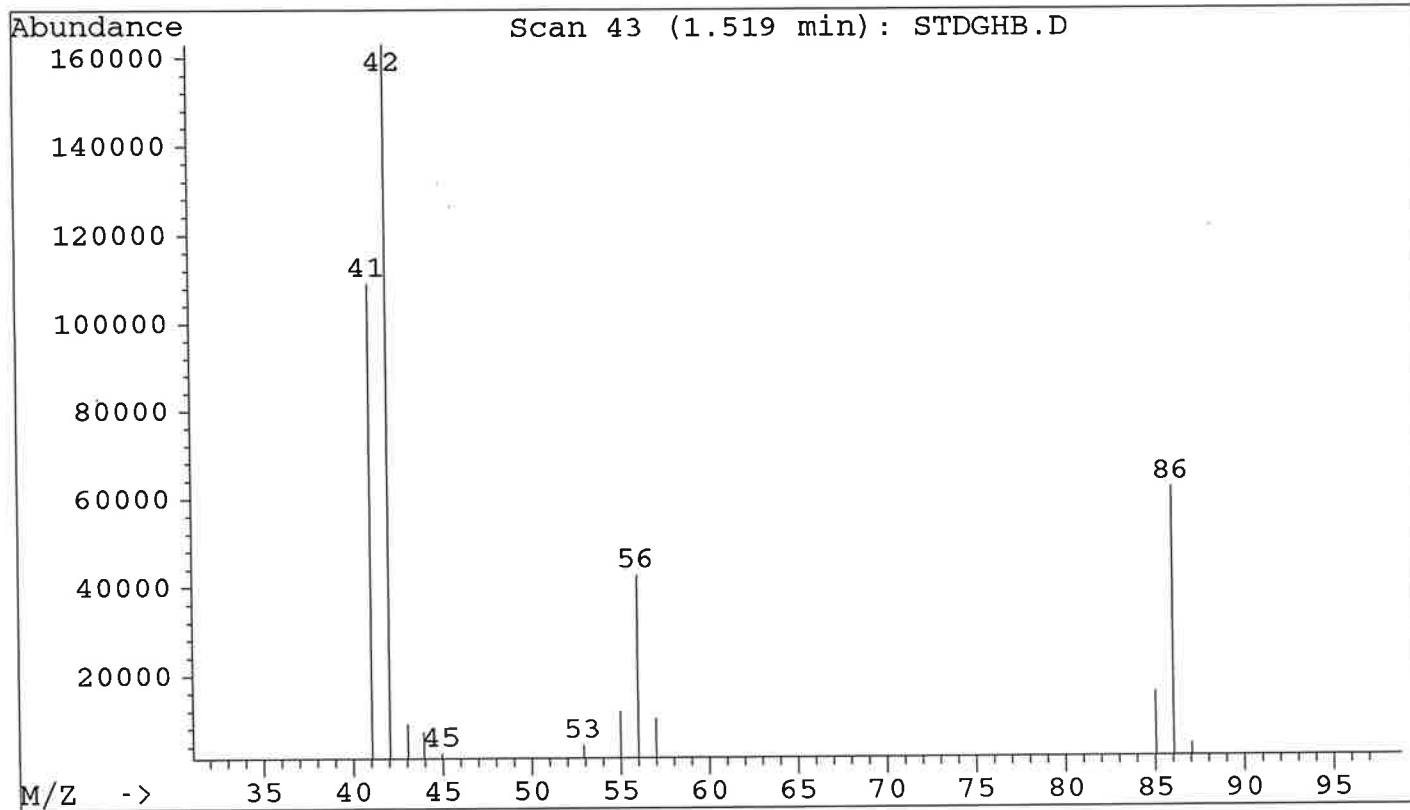
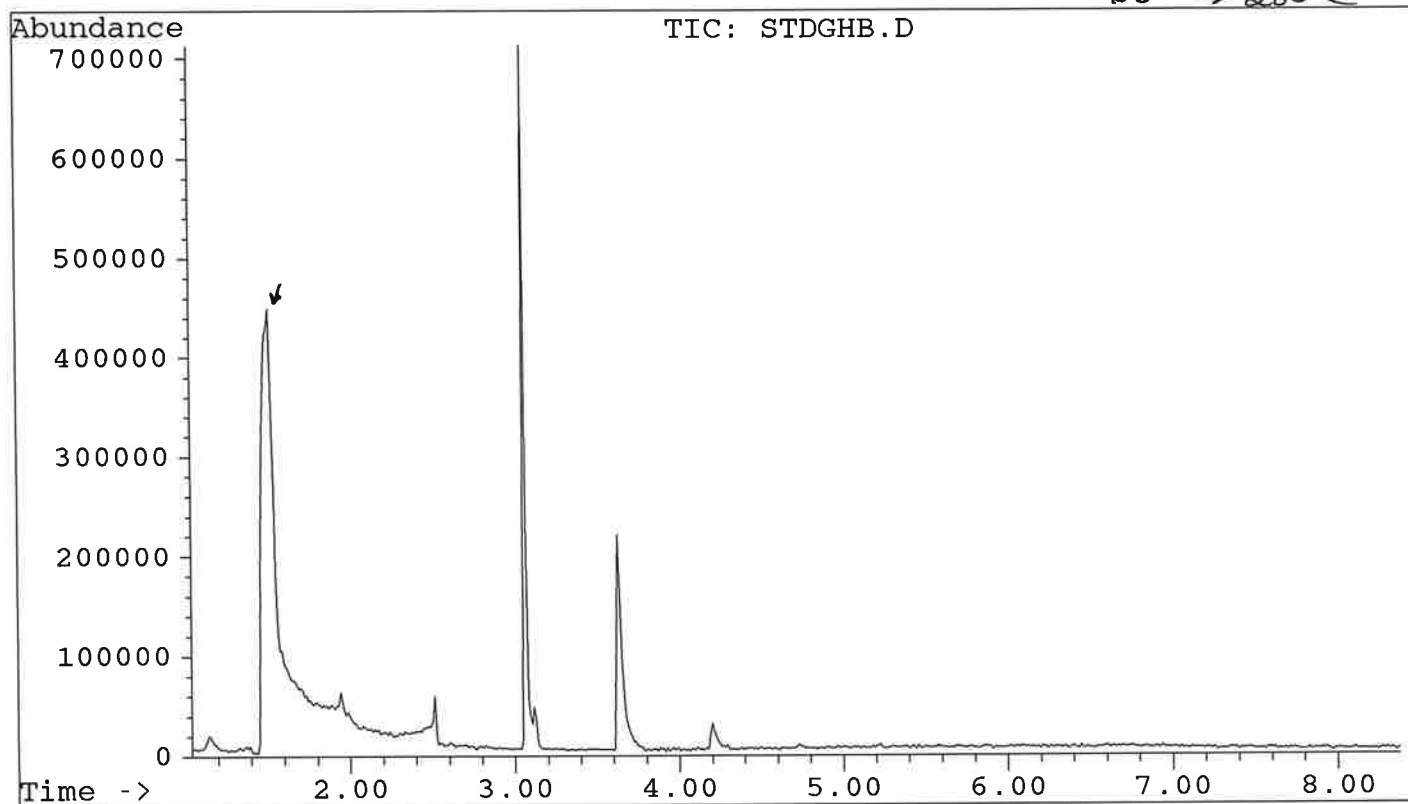
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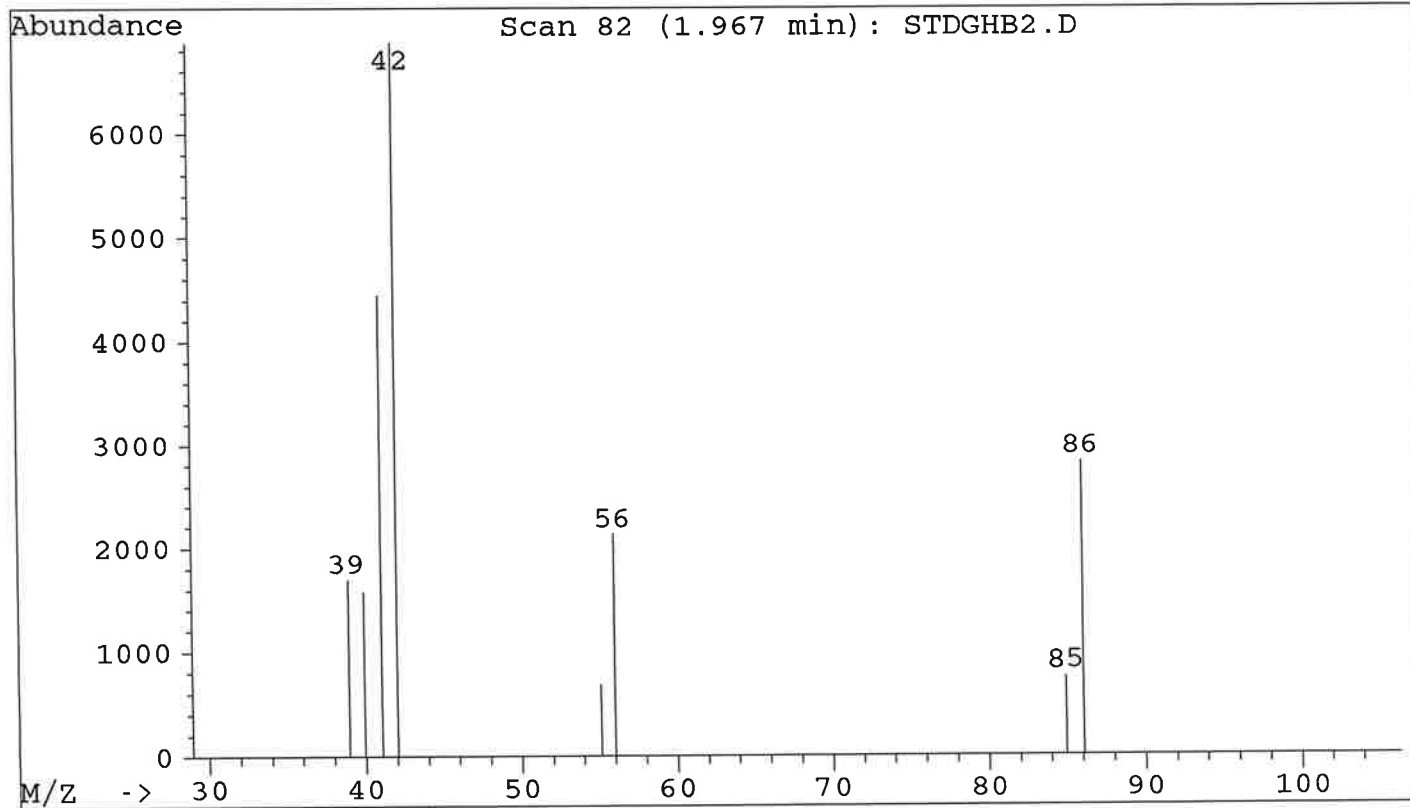
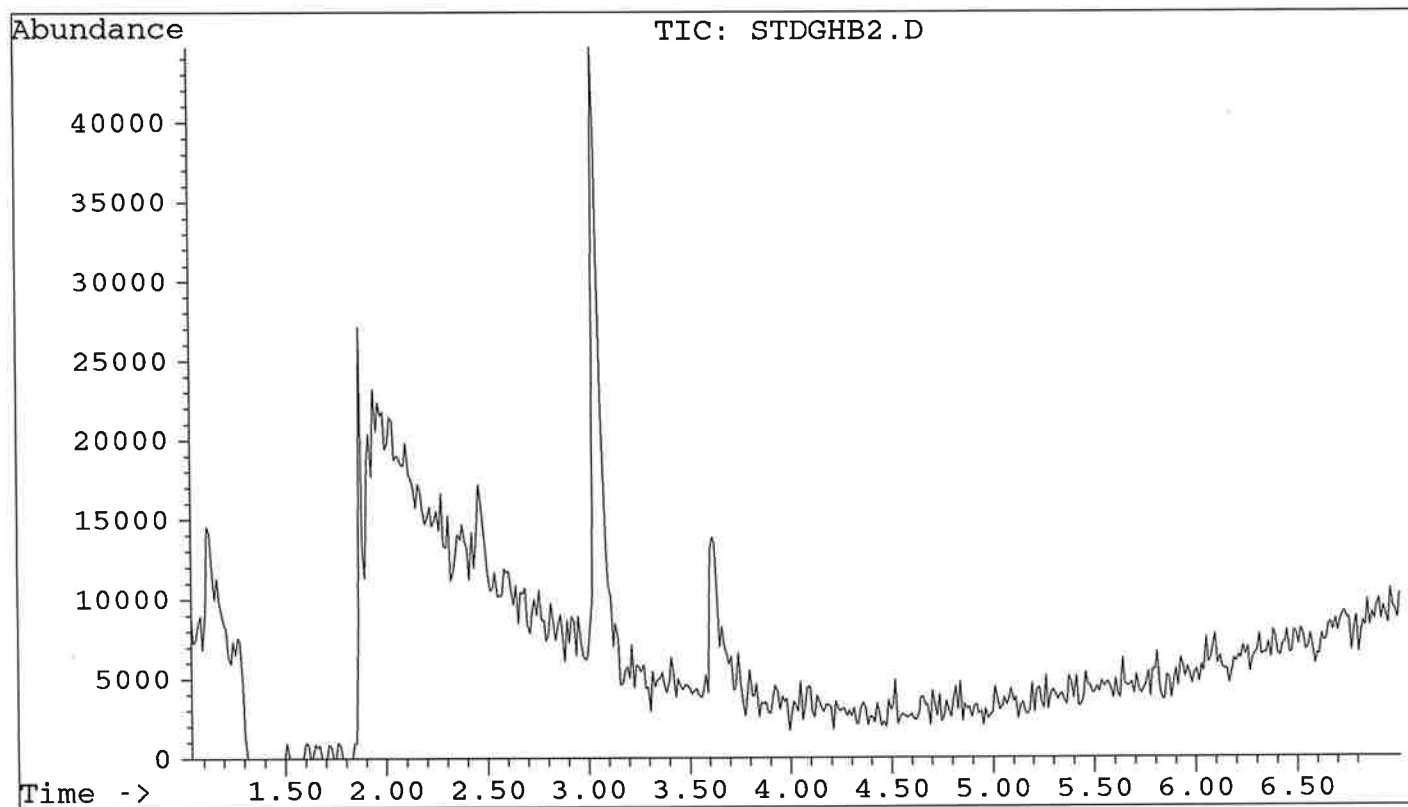
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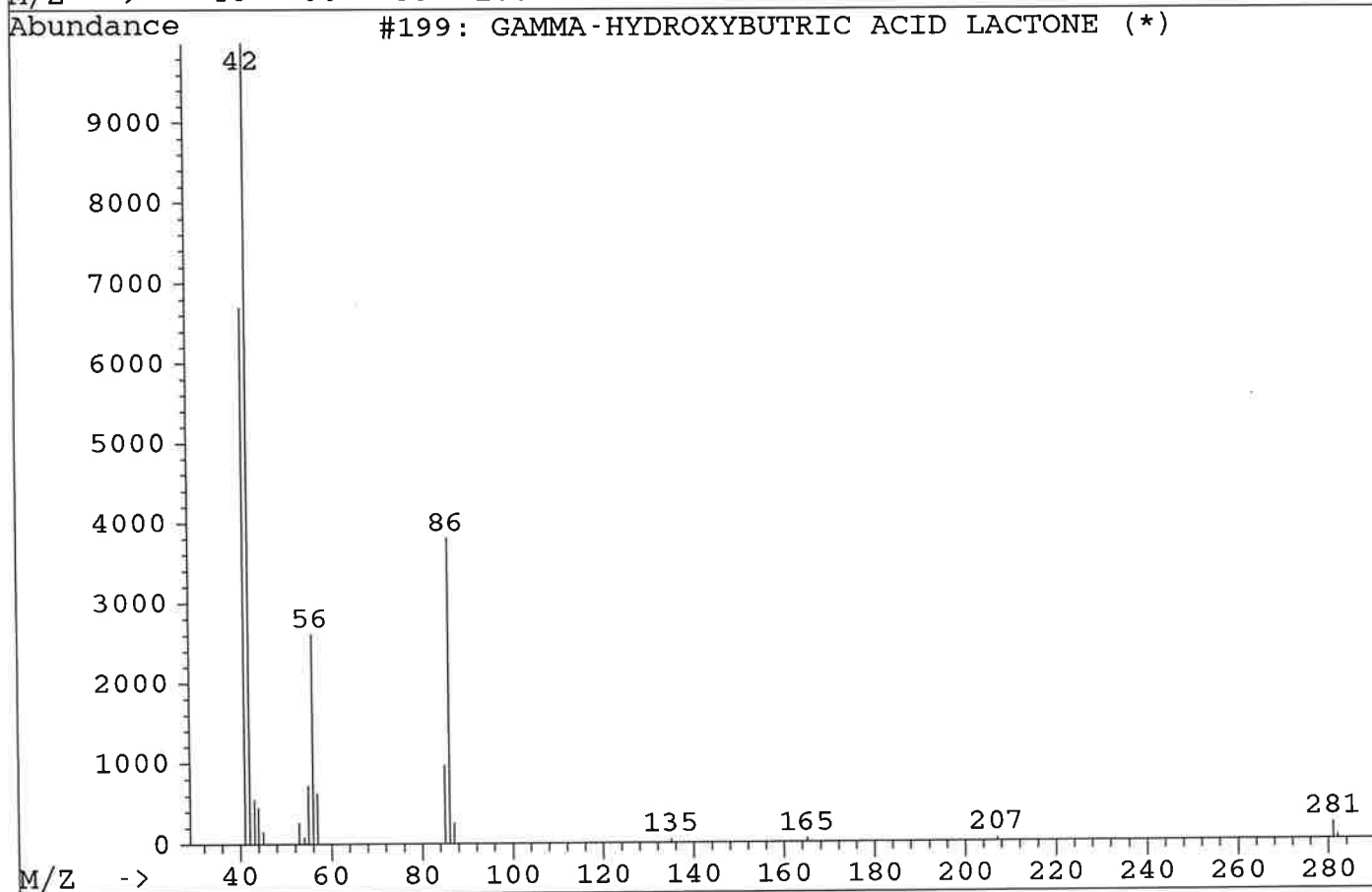
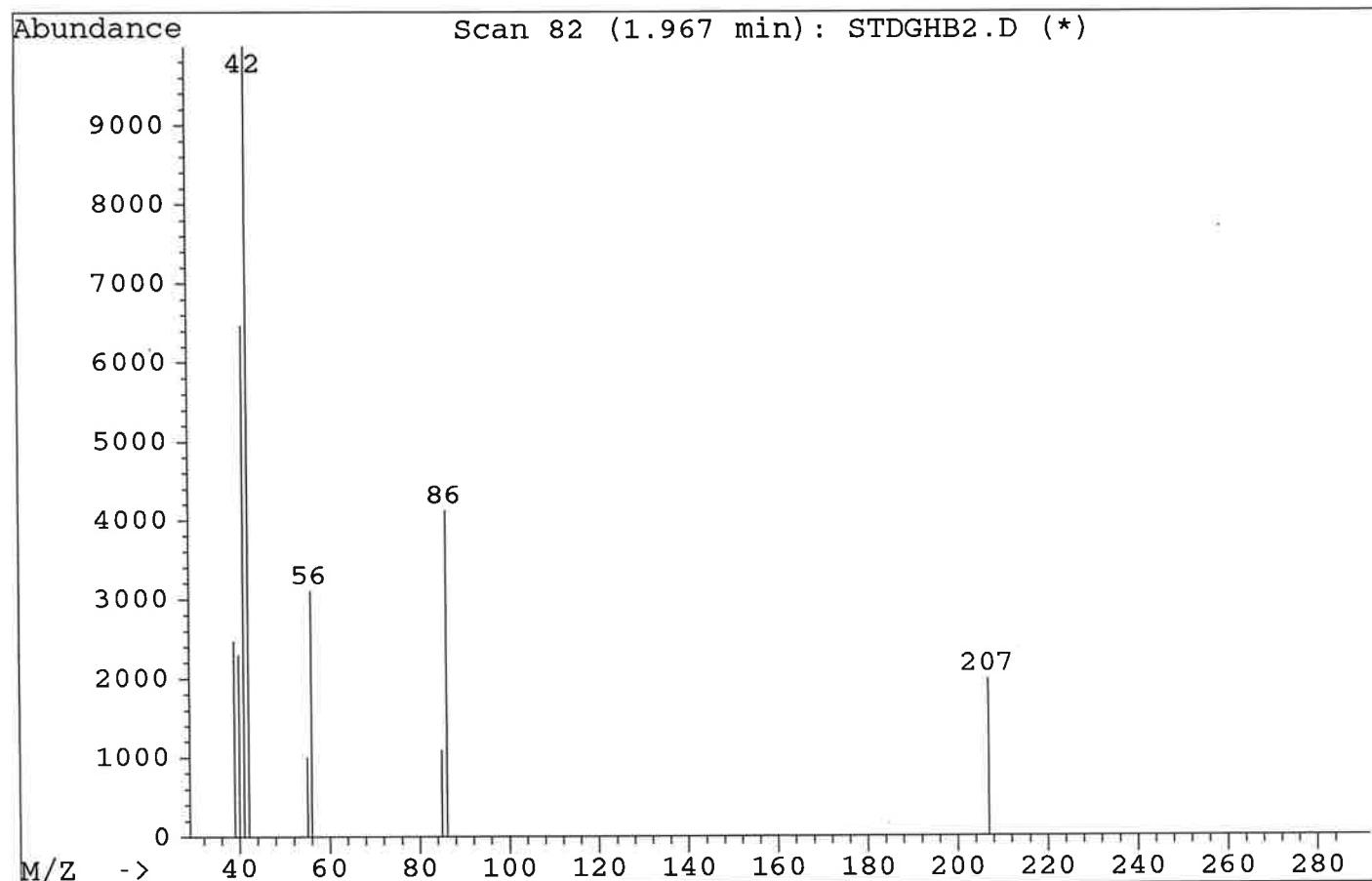


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GHB Color Test

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INTRODUCTION

It has been reported, the usual color tests performed in the laboratory yield no results for GHB¹. If the laboratory's normal operating procedure is to stop analysis after negative results on color tests, UV, and TLC, then a sample of GHB would go undetected.

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Chromic Acid reagents were prepared with different concentrations of H_2SO_4 and CrO_3 : Reagent 1; 5M H_2SO_4 saturated with CrO_3 , Reagent 2; 50% H_2SO_4 and 0.25% CrO_3 , Reagent 3; 50% H_2SO_4 , 0.25% CrO_3 , and 0.25% $AgNO_3$. Solutions of 10,000, 14,000, 20,000, and 40,000 ppm of GHB (.75, 1, 2, and 3.5 teaspoons/8 oz. H_2O respectively) were prepared. The GHB sodium salt and the dilutions were placed in a spot plate. Next, two or three drops of reagent were added and the color developed.

DISCUSSION

All reagents performed well with GHB sodium salt. Reagent 1 worked best for the solutions of GHB, followed by Reagent 2, and finally Reagent 3. The time for the color to develop was related to the concentration of the reagent. Silver nitrate in Reagent 3 was to act as a catalyst, but appeared to have little effect on time for the color to develop.

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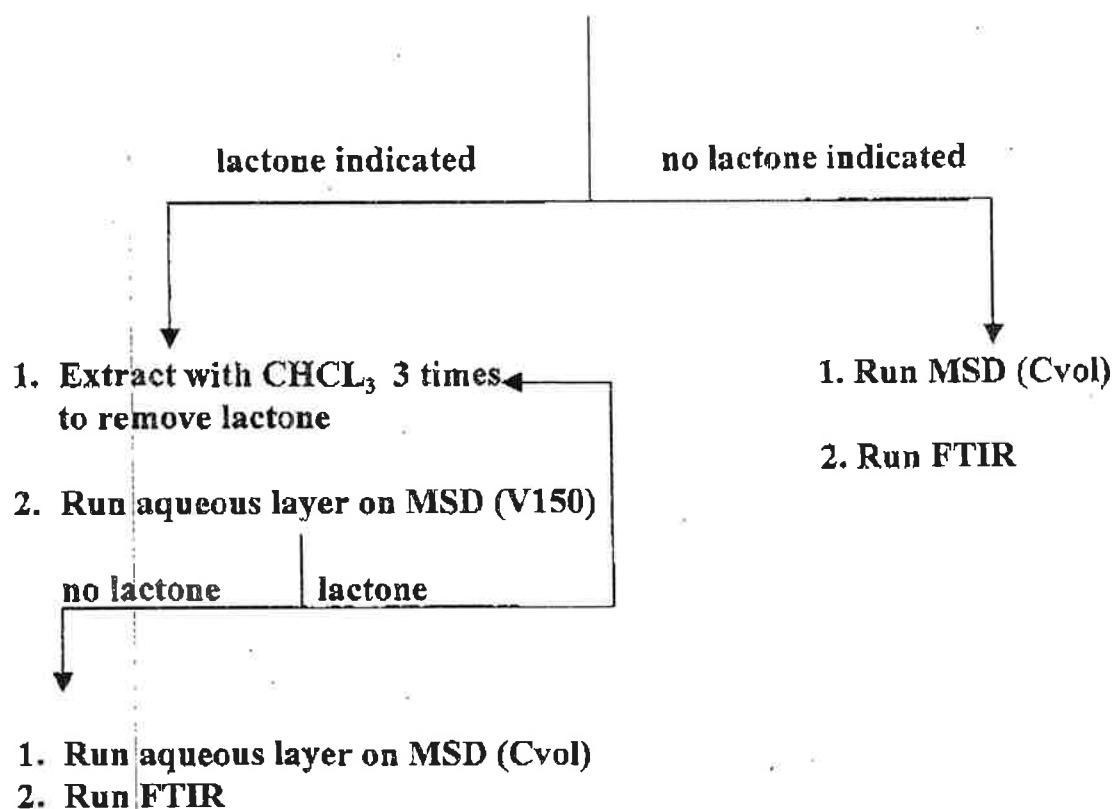
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GHB ANALYSIS

1. Check pH
 - most aqueous GHB solutions are pH 5-7
 - do not attempt to adjust the pH because GHB easily converts to butyrolactone under low acidic conditions
2. Add 2 drops to an autosampler vial and dilute with MeOH
3. Run on MSD V150 and C1
 - C1 = a temperature program that screens for a wide range of controlled substances ex. 80°(1)-325°(1.6) 50°/min
 - V150 = a GC program (on a MS) which is appropriate for volatile samples and has a low injection port temperature ex. 50°(.1)-150°(1.6) 50°/min with inj. port temp. = 150°C



LAB NOTES:

The following notes and GHB analysis flow chart are only an aid provided to you based on our encounters with GHB samples. If you choose to screen your samples using a volatile program method with a reduced injection port temperature and with a higher injection port temperature, I strongly recommend you purchase standards and perform these analyses on your own instrumentation. Hopefully you will make the same observations and draw the same conclusions that we have.

We used three methods on the GC-MS for screening these samples:

C1 $\equiv$ general screen for controlled substances
80°(1)-325°(1.6) 50°/min

Cvol $\equiv$ a GC program (on a MS) which is
appropriate for volatile samples
50°(.1)-150°(1.6) 50°/min with inj. port
temp. = 250°C

V150 $\equiv$ same as Cvol but with reduced inj. port
temp. = 150°C

You should be following the flow chart as you are reading these notes!!!

- First attempt to air dry your sample and see if you can get crystals. You may use low heat but remember that butyrolactone will volatilize. If you can get

crystals, you can simply screen with the MSD using a volatiles program and a general screen and proceed directly to the FTIR. The problem is when your sample contains butyrolactone or GHB in the process of converting to butyrolactone (a mixture).

- **pH of 5-7 is required for GHB to be stable in an aqueous solution**
- **A presumptive examination for the presence of GHB and butyrolactone is accomplished by diluting two drops of the sample with ~1 ml of MeOH and running the sample on a GC-MS**
- **Analyze the sample using one general screening and one method designed to detect highly volatile compounds but with a reduced injection port temperature (150°C)**
- **Our temperature experiments revealed that GHB will not convert to butyrolactone at the low injection port temperature of 150°C. If butyrolactone is indicated it must already be present in the unknown sample.**
- **If butyrolactone is indicated, remove it from the unknown sample by extracting with CHCl_3 or a similar solvent. If butyrolactone is not indicated, perform the appropriate analyses as indicated on the flow chart. When you run your unknown sample on the MSD using a volatiles program with a higher injection port temperature (250°C) a higher concentration of butyrolactone should be observed. This will indicate that any GHB in your sample has been converted to butyrolactone by the higher temperature.**

- **Analyze the aqueous layer from your extraction again using a volatiles program with a lower injection port temperature (150°C). If no butyrolactone is indicated, proceed with the final steps in the flow chart otherwise repeat extraction until the sample is sufficiently cleaned up.**
- **The aqueous layer can be easily recrystallized using an appropriate heat source (an oven set at 100°C , hot plate etc.)**
- **GHB is extremely hygroscopic so work quickly when making KBr pellets. It is helpful to add MeOH to the mixture of your KBr and sample in a mortar, place it on a hotplate and use a N₂ stream to drive any moisture from your pellet.**
- **Good Luck!!! Call SCLA Frank Davis or CLA Beth Spence if you need any further assistance**

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IR - ultimate id.

want 2 test

use gc/ms

you see the lactone on MS if
injection port is above 150
The GHB makes the lactone in
the port.

Inject from dissolved in EtOH or MeOH
1. Run sample temp program from
50°C → 250°C with injector
temp @ 150°C if you see lactone
it is a natural component
of the sample. If you don't
see lactone Assume No
Lactone is in sample.
broad peak.

2. If don't see lactone next
run @ injector temp of
265 - you will see
Lactone.

When established whether lactone
is in sample (it forms readily
in samples)

use extraction procedure to
separate lactone from GHB

do CHCl_3 extraction several
times to get rid of the
lactone. you can follow it
by GC.

when you get rid of lactone
evaporate on a watch glass with
mild warming - get white crystals
for IR.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF GHB

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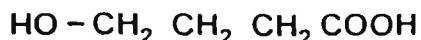
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SUMMARY

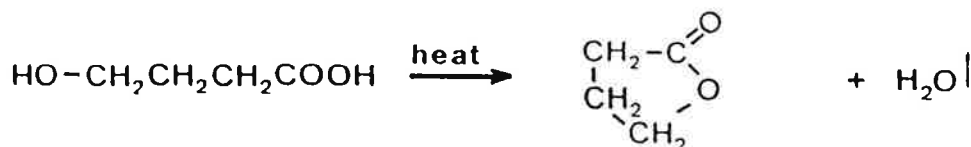
Gamma hydroxy butyrate ("GHB") is discussed in terms of its history of use and abuse, present legal status, and its identification by means of infrared spectroscopy and the mass spectrum of its lactone as well as its derivative with bis-(trimethylsilyl) trifluoroacetamide (BSTFA).

INTRODUCTION

Gamma hydroxy butyrate or "GHB", CAS Registry # [502-85-2], is a rather simple molecule:



Other common names include Gamma Hydroxybutyric Acid, Sodium Oxybate, Gamma Hydroxybutyrate Sodium, Gamma-OH, 4-Hydroxy Butyrate, Gamma Hydrate, and Somatomax PM.¹ In powder or tablet form, it is usually sold as the sodium salt, which is a white powder with a melting point between 145-146 C.² It may also be encountered in the form of its lactone, CAS Registry # [96-48-0], which is a liquid boiling between 204-205 C.³



GHB is not currently listed in any schedule of the Controlled Substances Act, but its only legal use in the United States is under specific Food and Drug Administration (FDA) exemption for research.¹ Additionally, the sale of GHB has been banned in California and Florida. In Europe it has been used to induce sleep as an adjunct to anesthesia. It can't be used by itself as an anesthetic since it has no pain relieving properties.

The first reported instances of abuse of GHB in the United States appear to have been in San Francisco in August of 1990¹, when the San Francisco Bay Area Regional Poison Control Center notified the regional office of the FDA and the California Department of Health Services of several acute poisonings. As of 12 March 1991 at least seventy⁴ instances had been reported in several states including California, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, Minnesota, Arizona, Ohio, Texas, and Virginia.¹

On 12 March 1991 the Justice Department and the FDA announced indictments against two men who operated a health club in the San Francisco Bay Area.⁴ They were charged with producing and distributing GHB. Indictments were also brought against three individuals associated with Amino Discounters Ltd. of Tucson who were charged with the illegal manufacture of GHB and its distribution under the false label of Biosky Research Group, San Francisco, a fictitious business. They were also charged with five counts of introducing the drug into interstate commerce and failing to provide adequate directions for the drug's use on the container label.⁴

GHB has been promoted for body builders, as a sleep aid, and for weight control. The rise in popularity of GHB may be connected to the market recall in November 1989 of L-tryptophan which had been promoted as a food supplement and sleep promoter.^{1,5} GHB is produced by the body and is not required nutritionally. It is metabolized to carbon dioxide and water.¹ GHB is normally taken orally, 1/2 to 3 teaspoons dissolved in water, although it has also turned up in the Atlanta area in a "cocktail" mixed with amphetamines and called Max.⁶ Symptoms of

GHB abuse include vomiting, drowsiness, seizures, and loss of consciousness. Symptoms occur within an hour and usually go away in the next few days, and the severity and duration of symptoms are dose related and are potentiated if GHB is taken with alcohol or other CNS depressants.¹ Although no deaths have been reported, 14 individuals have been hospitalized and about an equal number required hospital treatment after taking GHB.⁴

EXPERIMENTAL

Preliminary Testing

No reaction was obtained with several reagents commonly used in preliminary drug testing. These included Marquis, Scott, Ehrlich's, Liebermann's, and 5% AgNO_3 . When the sodium salt is dissolved in a few drops of distilled water there is a slight rise in pH, but this is generally true for salts of weak acids. The crystals of the sodium salt do not fluoresce under short or long wave ultraviolet light (UV), nor does the aqueous solution absorb in the UV region.

Infrared Spectroscopy

Figure 1 shows the infrared (IR) spectrum of the sodium salt of GHB prepared as a KBr disc. The standard was obtained from Aldrich (4-hydroxybutyric acid, sodium salt, page 720 Aldrich 90-91 catalog, # H2,222-1). The IR spectrum may also be found in The Aldrich Library of Infrared Spectra, edition III, 1981, page 326 spectrum H2222-1.

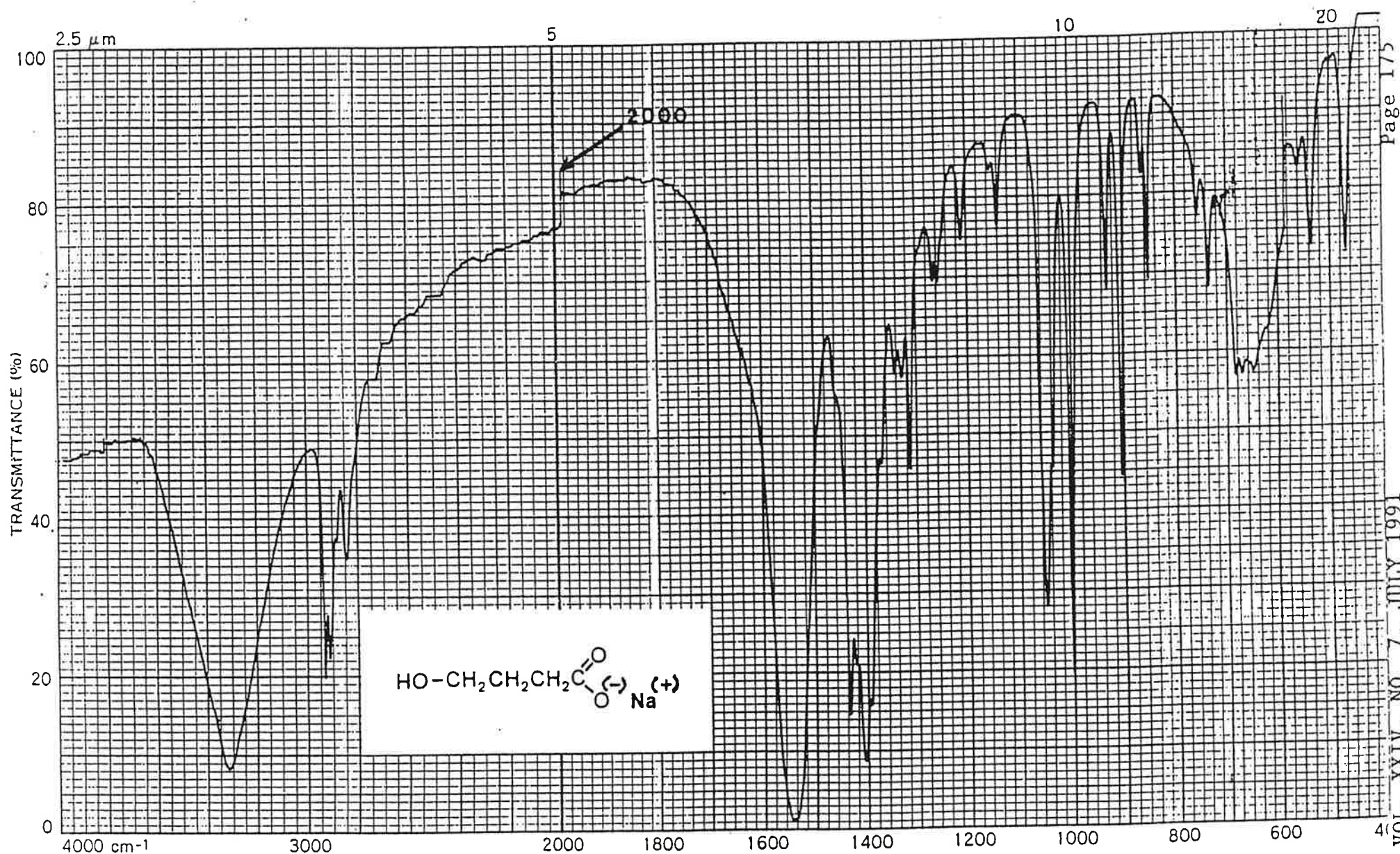


Figure 1. Infrared spectrum of 4-hydroxybutyric acid, sodium salt, in KBr disc.

Mass Spectrum

Figure 2 shows the mass spectrum, the total ion chromatogram, and the relative abundance of the most prominent ions of the lactone of GHB, gamma-butyrolactone. The lactone was produced from the Aldrich standard of the sodium salt of GHB by adding a few drops of concentrated hydrochloric acid to the powder, heating it gently in a bunsen flame, and collecting the distillate.

Figure 3 shows the total ion chromatogram and the mass spectrum of the bis-(trimethylsilyl) trifluoroacetamide (BSTFA) derivative of GHB. Derivatization conditions were the same as those reported by Sun for the BSTFA derivatization of LSD.⁷

GC/MS Conditions

Instrument system: Hewlett-Packard 5980 gas chromatograph with Hewlett-Packard 5890 mass selective detector.

Column: HP-1 (crosslinked methyl silicone), 25 m x 0.2 mm x 0.33 um film.

Column head pressure: 7 to 10 PSI. Helium carrier gas.

Injection port temp: 250 C.

Oven temp: (lactone) 70 C (1 min) at 20 C/min to 300 C (hold 3 min); (BSTFA derivative) 100 C (1 min) at 20 C/min to 300 C (hold 7 min).

Transfer line temp: 280 C.

Injection volume: trace (lactone), 1 uL (BSTFA derivative); split injection, solvent delay 3 min.

EMVolts: 2200.

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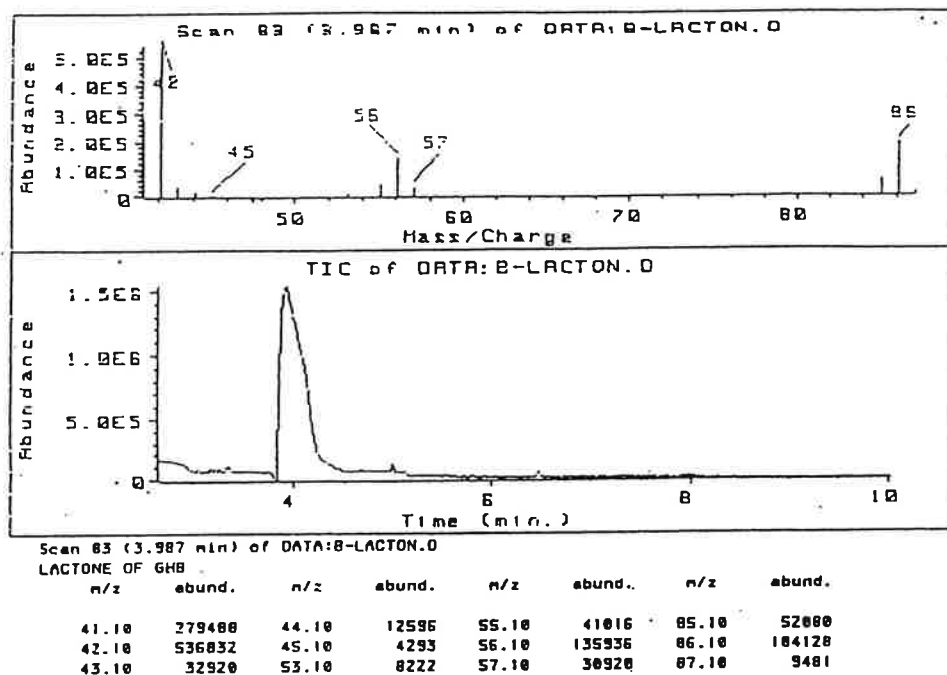


Fig. 2. Mass spectrum, total ion chromatogram, and the relative abundance of the most prominent ions of gamma-butyrolactone, the lactone of GHB.

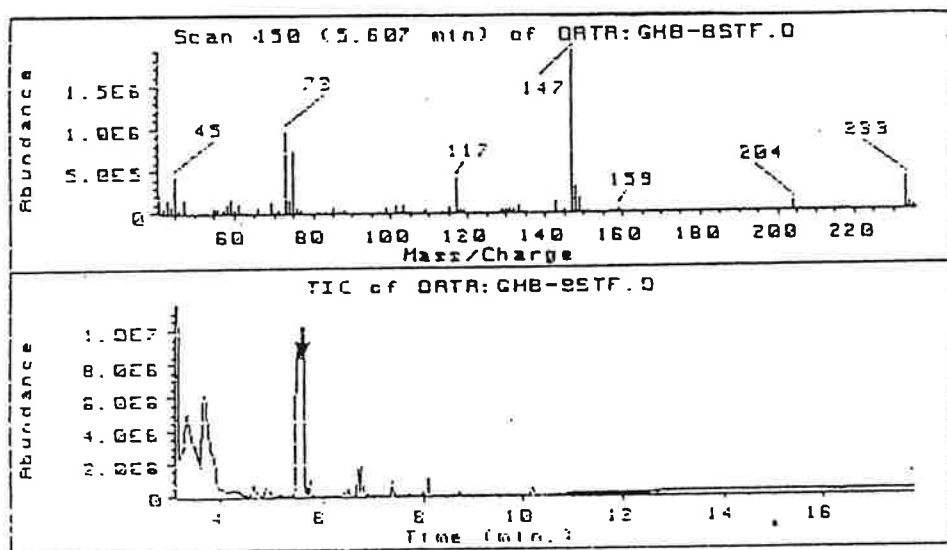
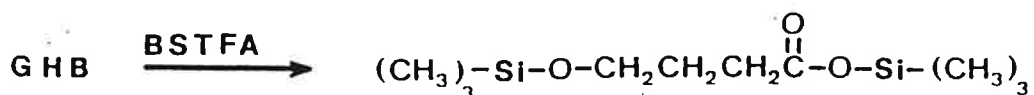


Fig. 3. Mass spectrum and total ion chromatogram of the BSTFA derivative of GHB.

DISCUSSION

Treatment of the sodium salt of GHB with BSTFA will result in a silyl replacement of both the alcohol group hydrogen and the sodium atom on the acid group:



The resulting product has a molecular weight of 248 amu but is not seen under the above conditions. Poole⁸ reports that "the molecular ions of TMS ethers are often weak or absent with the $[\text{M}-15]^+$ ion obtained by cleavage of a methyl to silicon bond (in part) being more prominent. This ion can be used to define the molecular weight, provided that it is not mistaken for the molecular ion itself." Thus, the peak at 233 m/e in Fig. 3 is the $[\text{M}-15]^+$ peak and is indicative of GHB. The ionization voltage on the Hewlett-Packard 5970 mass selective detector is fixed at 70 eV, but those with other GC/MS systems may be able to see the molecular ion if they lower the ionization voltage to around 10-20 eV.⁸ Poole adds that "the ion m/e 73 is prominent in virtually all TMS spectra" and he attributes it to $[(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{Si}]^+$. He attributes the peak at 147 m/e to $[(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{Si}-\text{O}-\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3]^+$ and states: "the ion m/e 147 is common in polyhydroxy TMS compounds containing two or more TMS groups either on adjacent carbon atoms or brought near each other through expulsion of the central portion of the molecule." Therefore, the 73 and 147 m/e ions are consistent with the expected mass spectrum of the GHB BSTFA derivative but, by themselves, are not useful for identification purposes.

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To GBI Chemists:

Reference: gamma-hydroxybutyric acid (GHB)

Also known as:

Gamma hydrate
Gamma hydroxybutyrate (sodium salt)
Gamma-OH
4-Hydroxybutanoic acid
4-Hydroxybutyrate
Sodium oxybate (sodium salt)
Somatomax PM

And may be known as:

"G"

Enclosed is some information on GHB. Several law enforcement agencies have been inquiring about this drug.

Note: It would be very easy to miss this compound. There is no UV absorption. The GC/MS conditions are as follows:

30 degrees isothermal or 50 degrees isothermal depending upon the length of the GC column.

GAMMA-HYDROXYBUTYRIC ACID is controlled under Schedule I (Georgia law) as of 3-4-94.

Gamma-hydroxybutyric acid

EXTRACTION AND NMR ANALYSIS:

Dissolve sample in D2O and place in a separatory funnel. Add CHCl₃. Shake. Discard CHCl₃. (This contains the Gamma-butyrolactone.) Wash several more times with CHCl₃, discarding the organic layer.

Run NMR analysis on the D2O solution.

TLC ANALYSIS:

TLC system: 9:1 Ethanol:concentrated NH₄OH

Location: Spray with 5% Ferric Chloride solution (pinkish-orange color) or use an Iodine Tank

GC/MS ANALYSIS:

Put the sample in about 8 ml of CHCl₃ and add five drops of acetic anhydride. Let stand on the steam bath until the volume is about 2 ml. (DO NOT LET THE SAMPLE GO TO DRYNESS!). Add about 1 ml of ETOH and let stand for 10 minutes. Add about 5 ml of 0.1N HCl and shake well. Remove CHCl₃ layer, filter and perform GC/MS analysis **immediately**. The sample will decompose with time or on drying completely down.

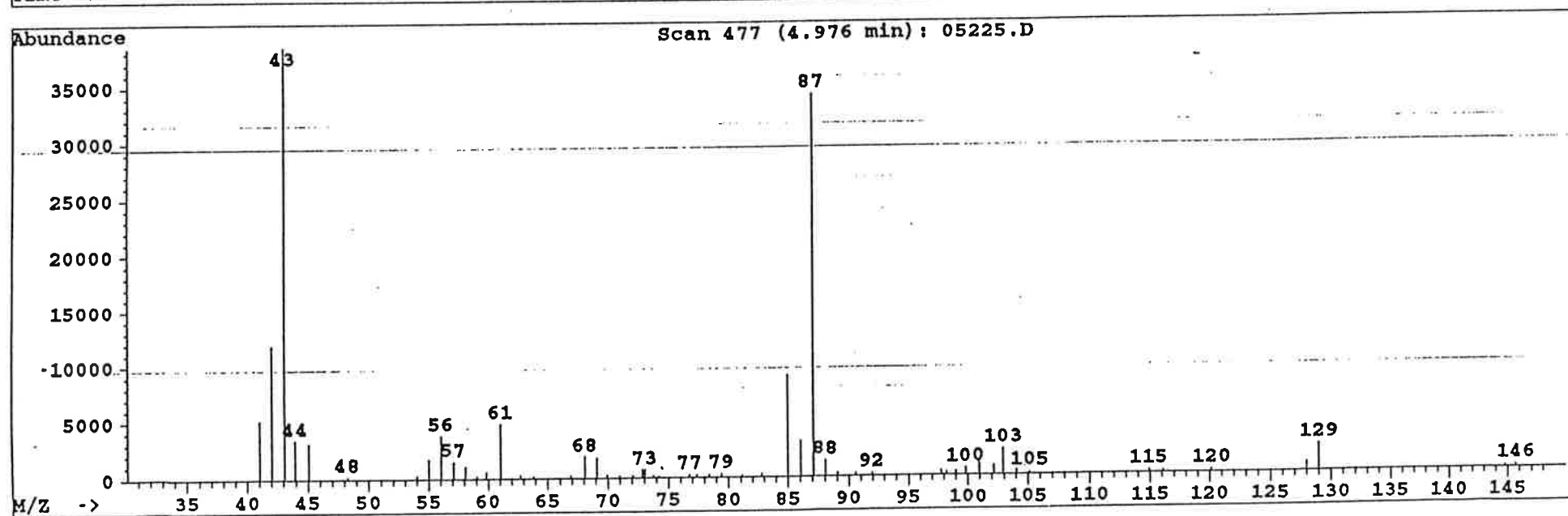
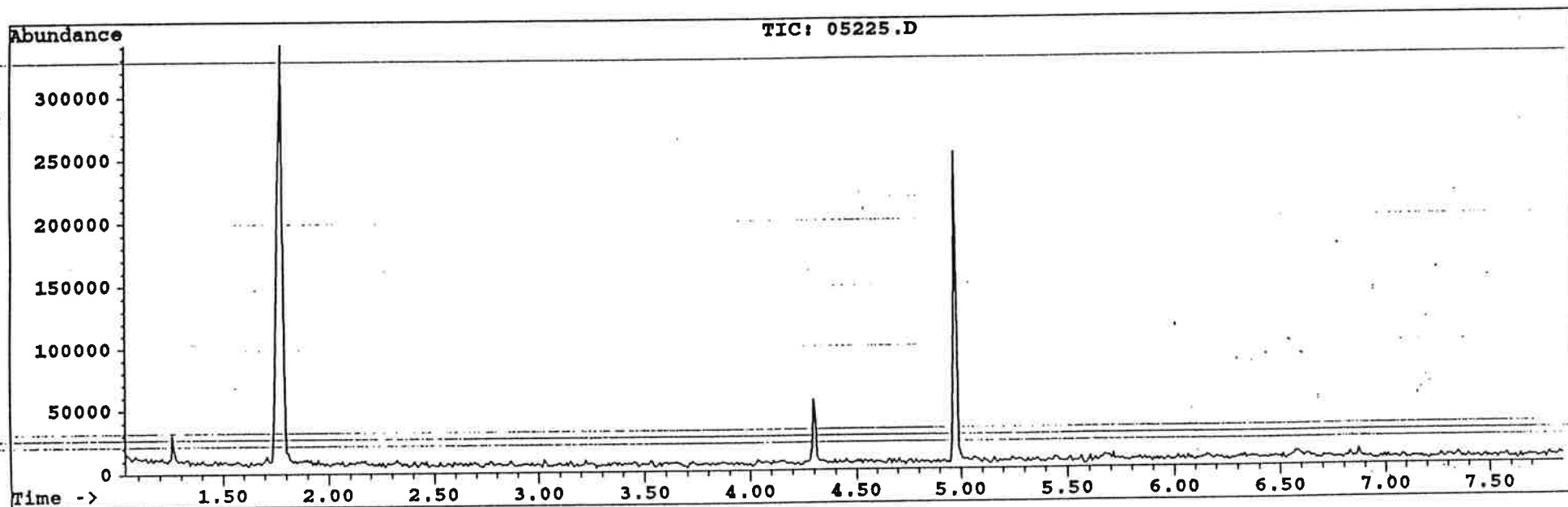
The GHBA acetate peak will appear about 3.5 minutes under the following conditions. The molecular weight of GHBA acetate is 146.

HP-Ultra 1 column, 12 meter, 0.2mm x 0.33 μ m film thickness

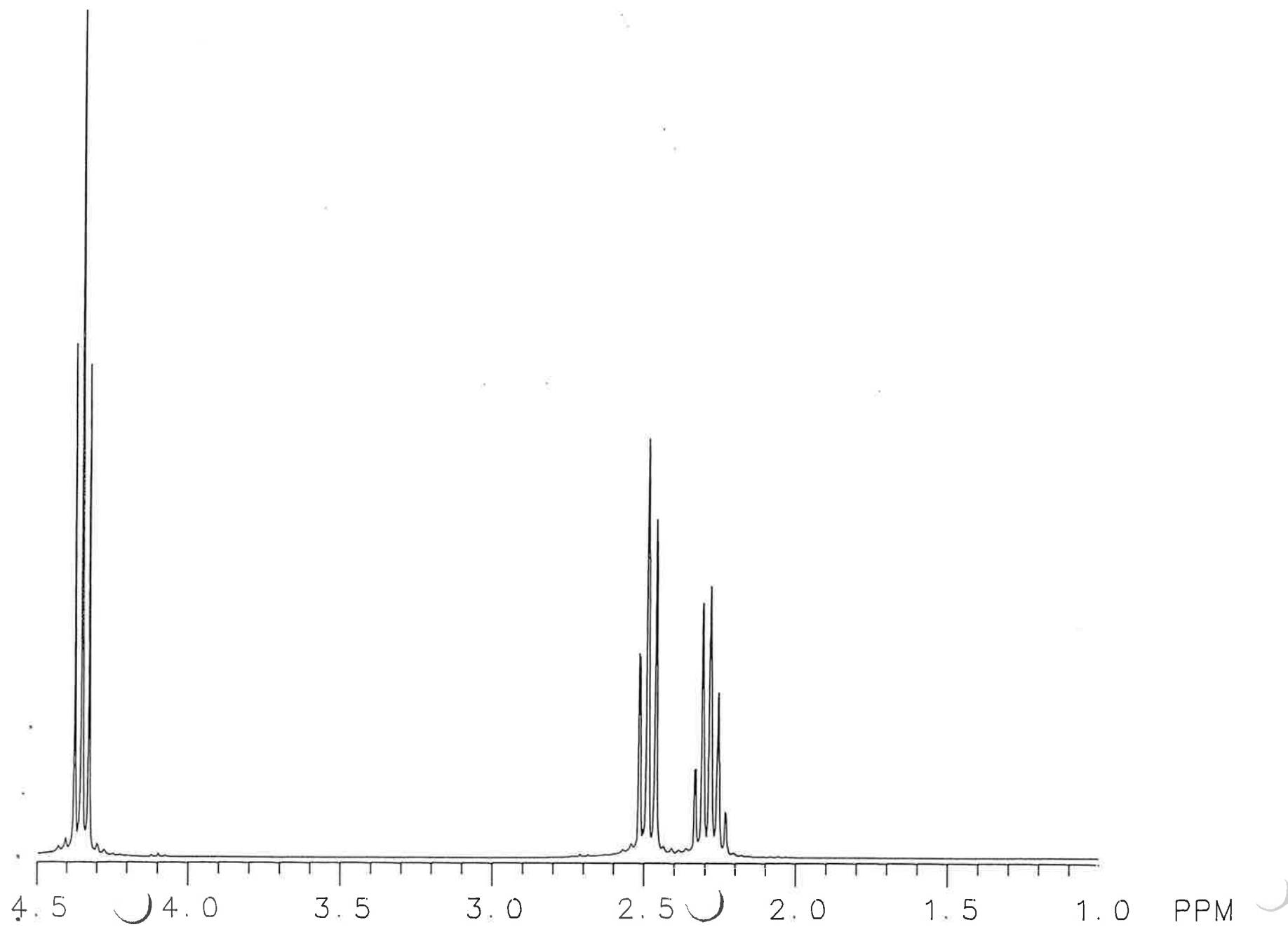
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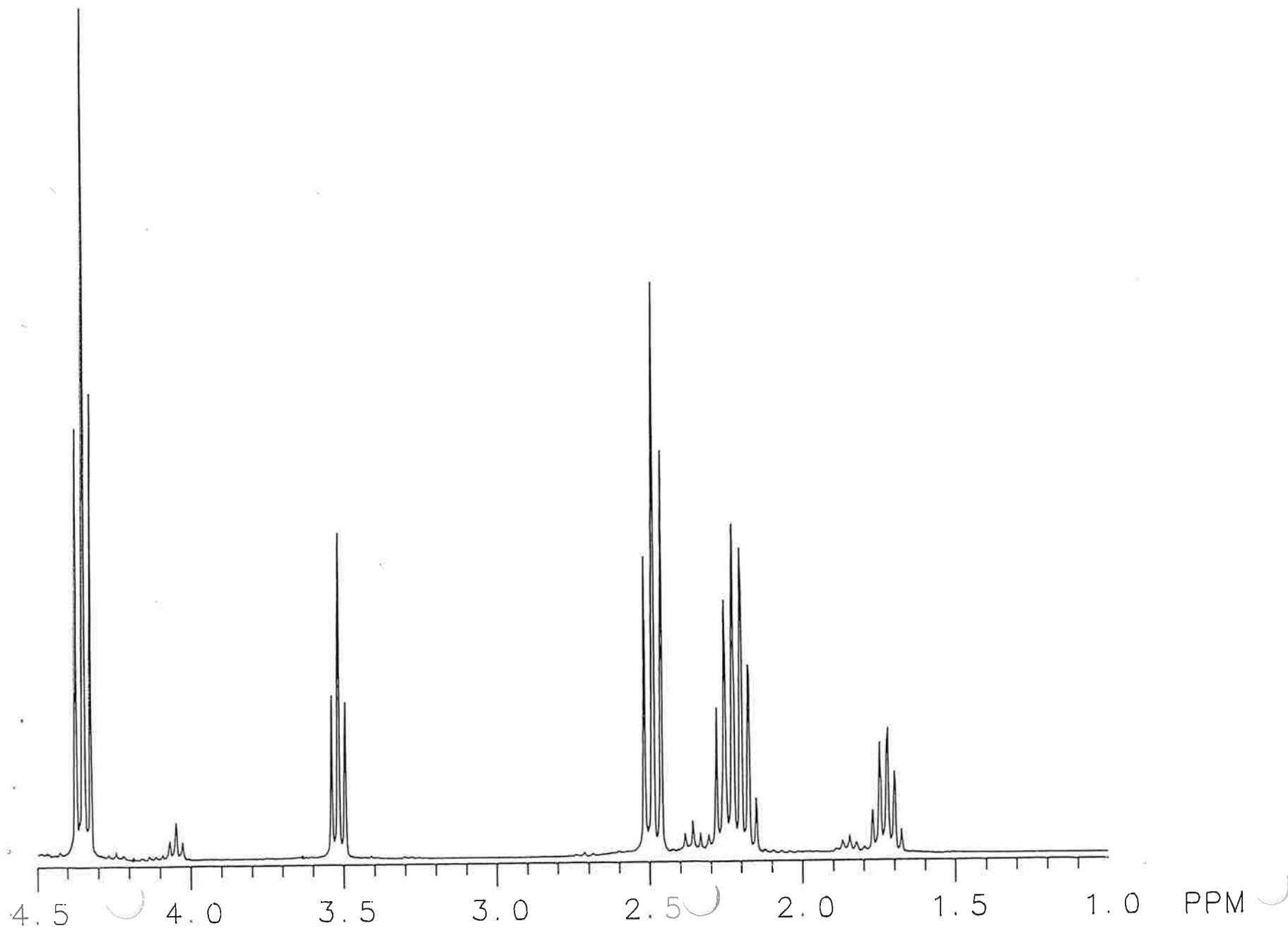
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Butyrolactone

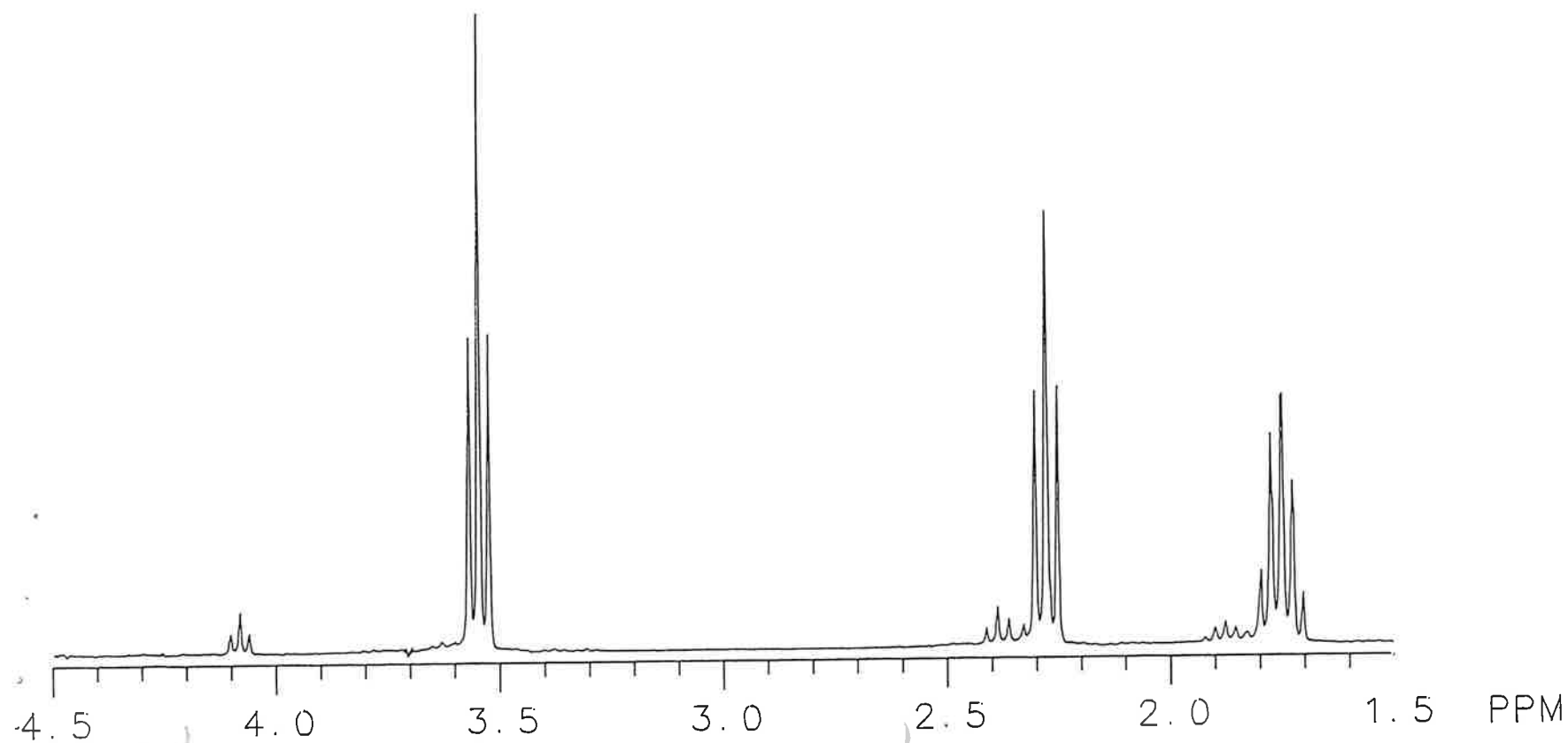


Blue Mixture



CHCl_3 ext (D_2O) Found.

↓
Threw away



GAMMA HYDROXY BUTYRIC ACID 113 SALT
IN D₂O

STORED AS GHBANA.001

1/18/95
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GHBANA.001

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GAMMA HYDROXYBUTYRIC ACID SODIUM

OPERATOR: 9

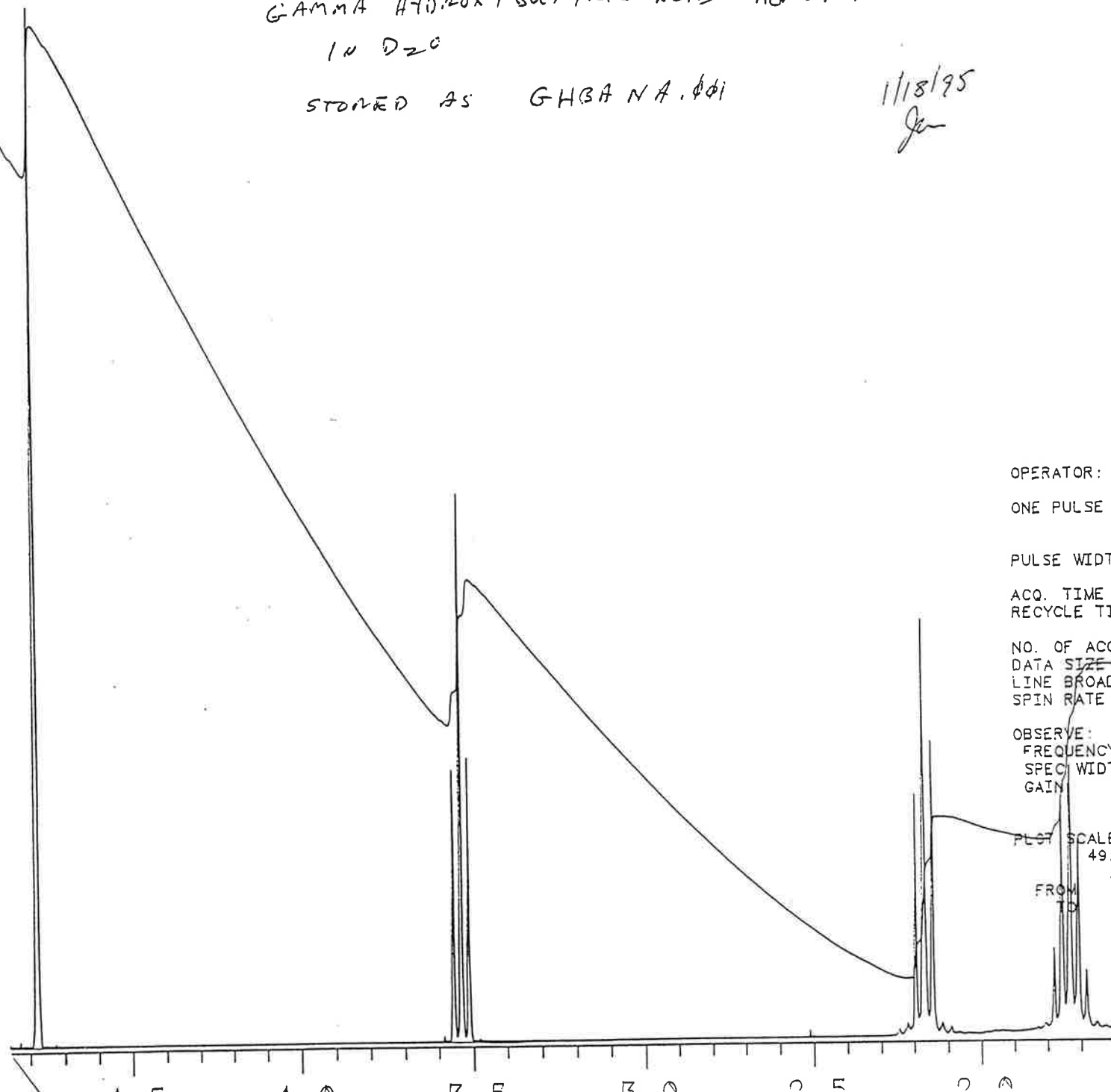
ONE PULSE SEQUENCE

PULSE WIDTH = 3.00 USEC
= 38 DEGREES
ACQ. TIME = 2.72 SEC
RECYCLE TIME = 3.71 SEC

NO. OF ACQS. = 8
DATA SIZE = 32768
LINE BROADNG = .00 HZ
SPIN RATE = 16 RPS

OBSERVE:
FREQUENCY = 300.151850 MHZ
SPEC WIDTH = 6024 HZ
GAIN = 56 *1

PLOT SCALE:
49.14 HZ/CM
.1637 PPM/CM
FROM 4.85
TO 1.58 PPM



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GH8 ANALYSIS (QUICK & SIMPLE)

PLACE 1/4 ML OF LIQUID IN TEST TUBE.
IF LIQUID IS HIGHLY VISCOUS — ADD EQUAL VOLUME WATER
WASH 3 TIMES CHCl_3 (DISCARD CHCl_3)
USING DISPOSABLE PIPET PLACE ONE DROP LIQUID ON WATCH GLASS
DRIVE OFF MOISTURE WHILE SCRATCHING LIQUID WITH POINT OF PIPET —
DO THIS WITH UL DRYER
DRY UNTIL ABSOLUTE DRYNESS
EXCESS CRYSTALS ON POINT OF PIPET MAY BE USED FOR NMR IN D_2O
RESIDUE OF CRYSTALS ON WATCH GLASS SHOULD BE TAKEN UP USING
SPATULA & KBR FOR FTIR ANALYSIS

GHB Test Samples

1/30/18 ~~PM~~
PMC

- #1 0.1 gram GHB in 10 mls. H_2O
- #2 0.14 gram GHB in 10 mls. H_2O
- #3 0.20 gram GHB in 10 mls. H_2O
- #4 0.40 gram GHB in 10 mls. H_2O
- #5 0.20 gram LACTOSE in 10 mls. H_2O
- #6 H_2O

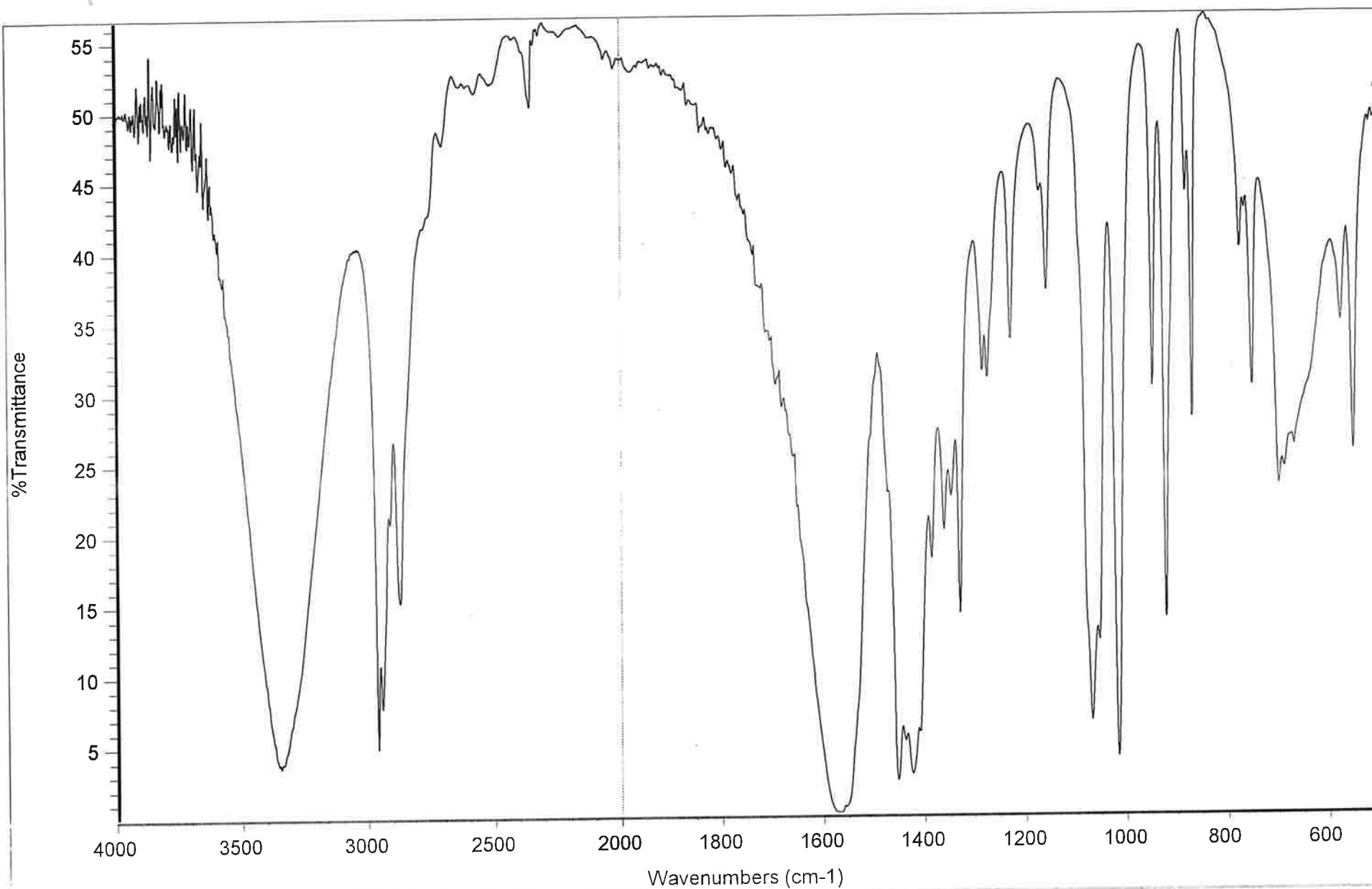
GHB Color Test Reagent - 50% H_2SO_4 and 0.25% CrO_3
50 mls. conc. H_2SO_4 into 50 mls. Dionized H_2O plus
0.25 grams of CrO_3

Color test Results:

	PW7	PMC	
#1	+	+	greenish → pale blue
#2	+	+	" "
#3	+	+	" "
#4	+	+	" "
#5	+	+	" "
#6	-	-	No color change

IR Results:

#1	10 dips exp. to dryness	+ GHB - PMC
#2	"	+ GHB - PW7
#3	"	+ GHB - PMC
#4	"	+ GHB - PMC / PW7
#5	"	+ Lactose - PW7

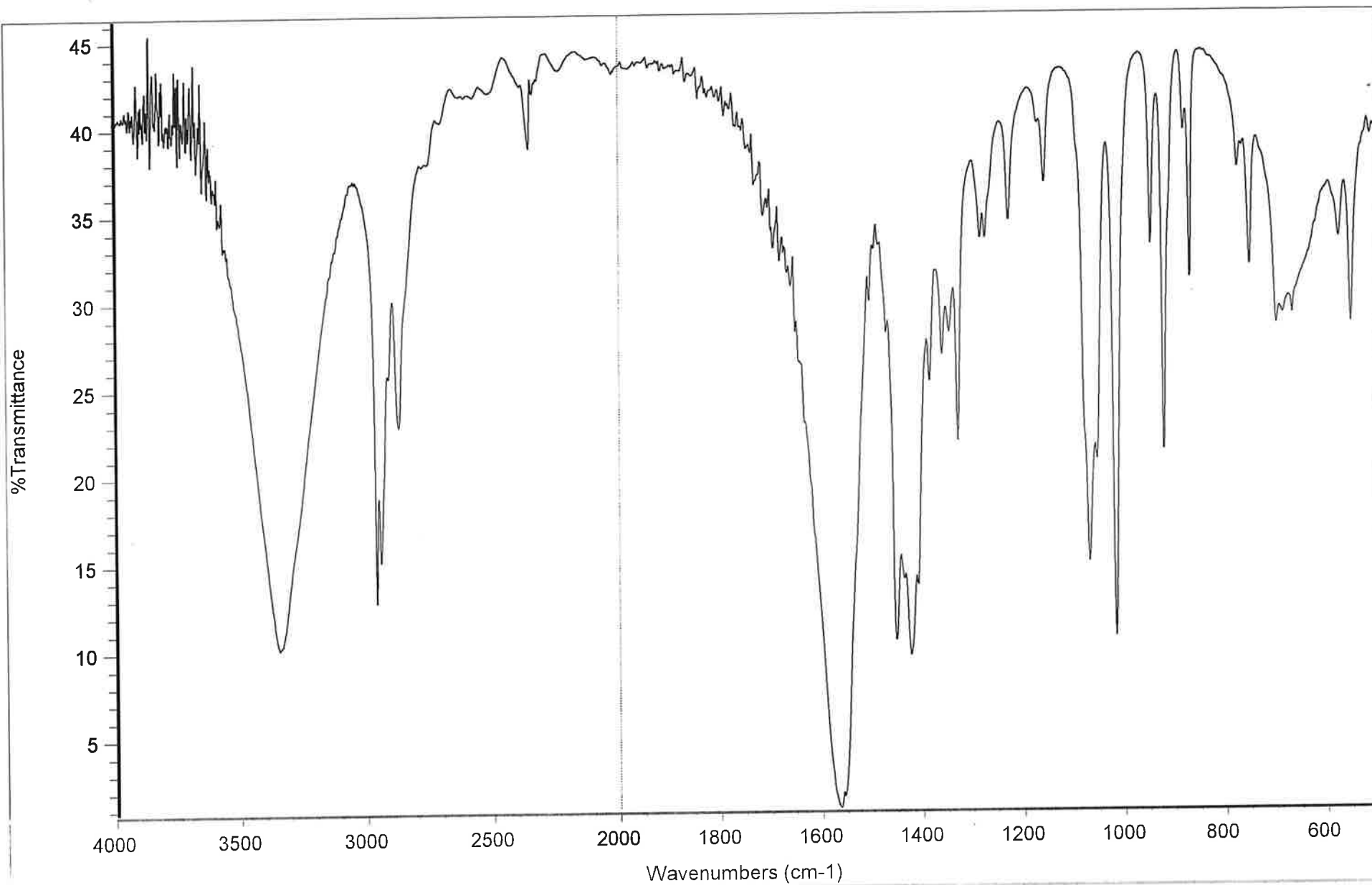


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#1 LIQUID SAMPLE DRIED - 10 DROPS - 20 MINUTES - PMC

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000

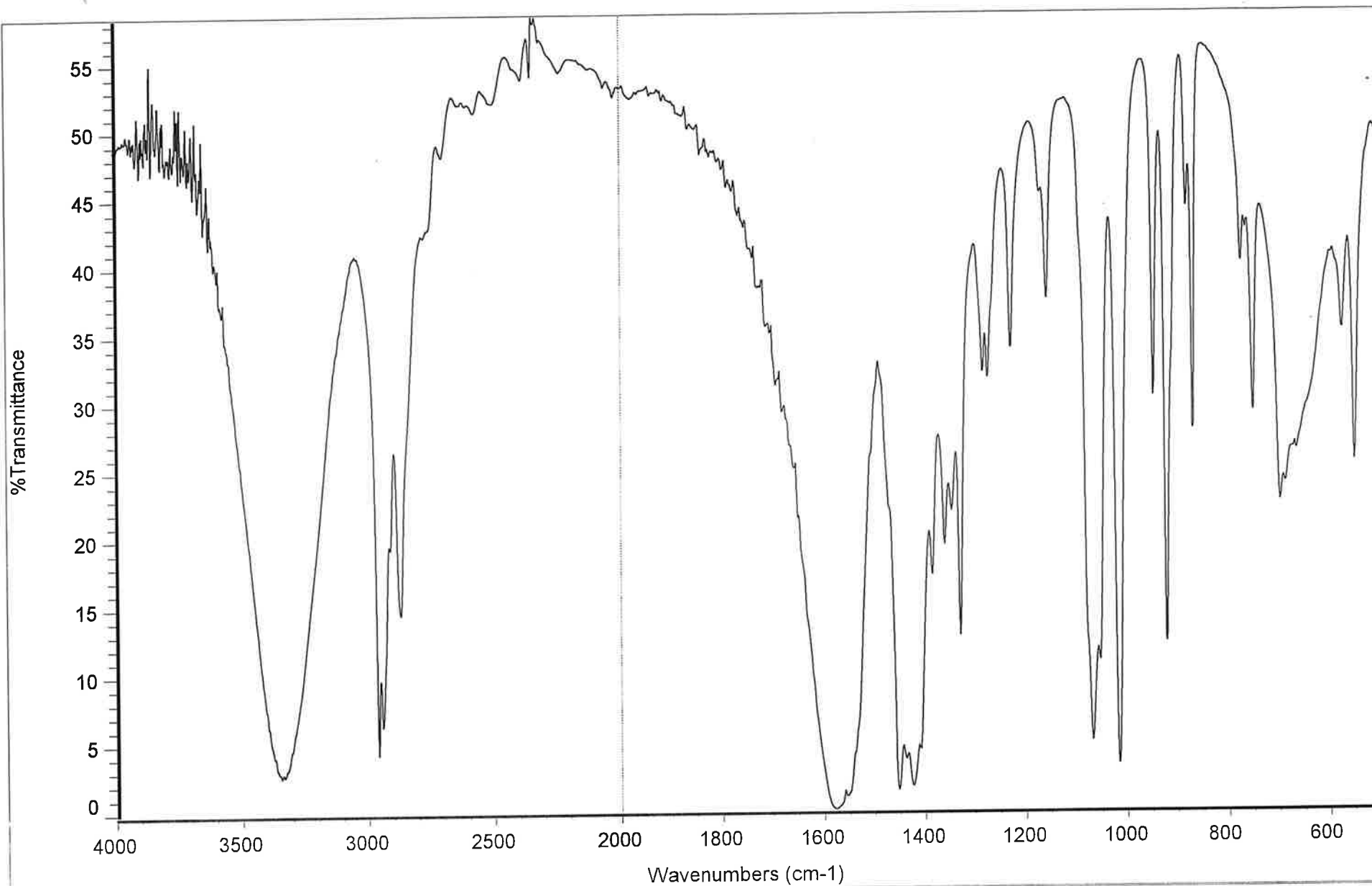


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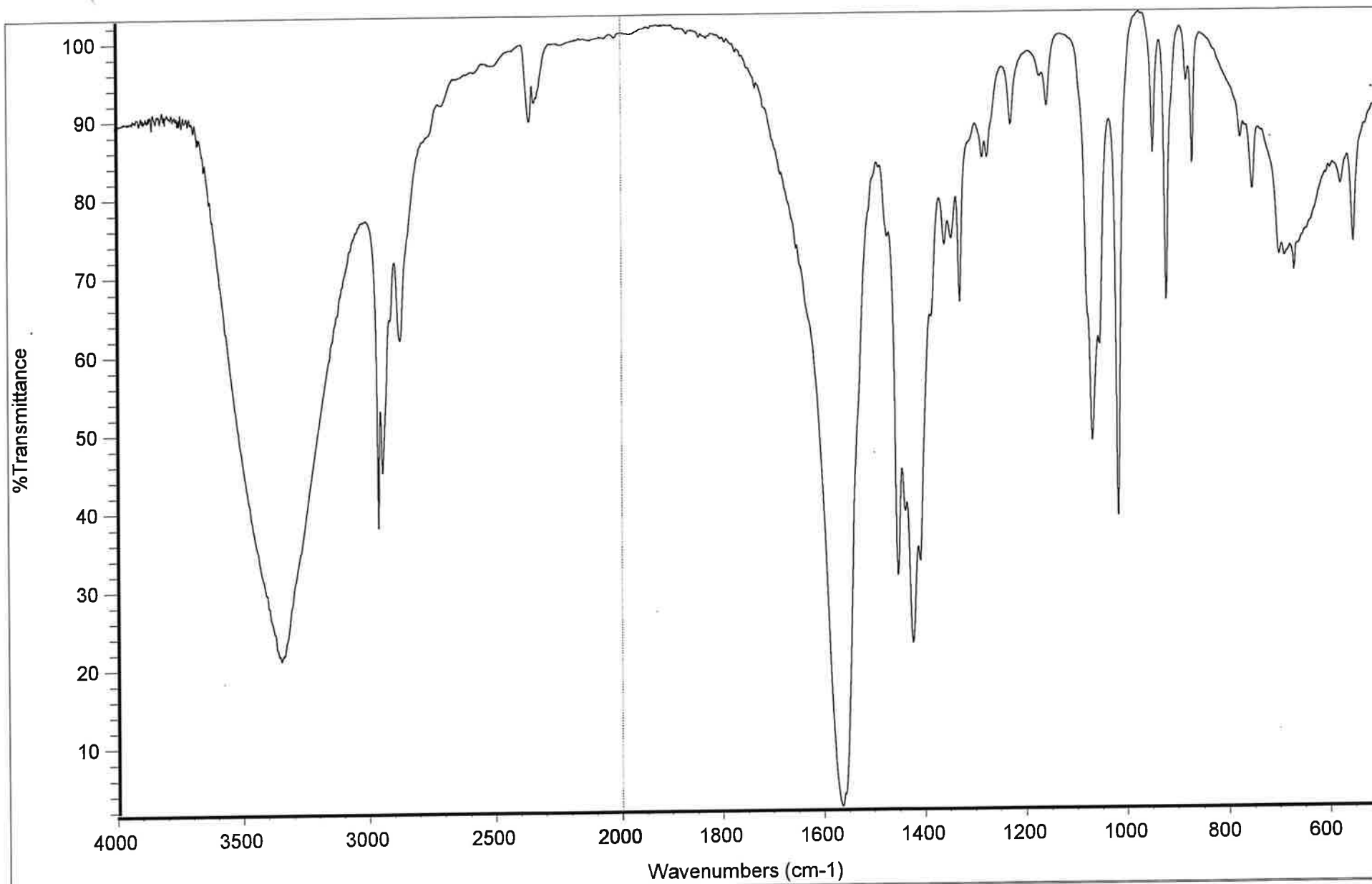


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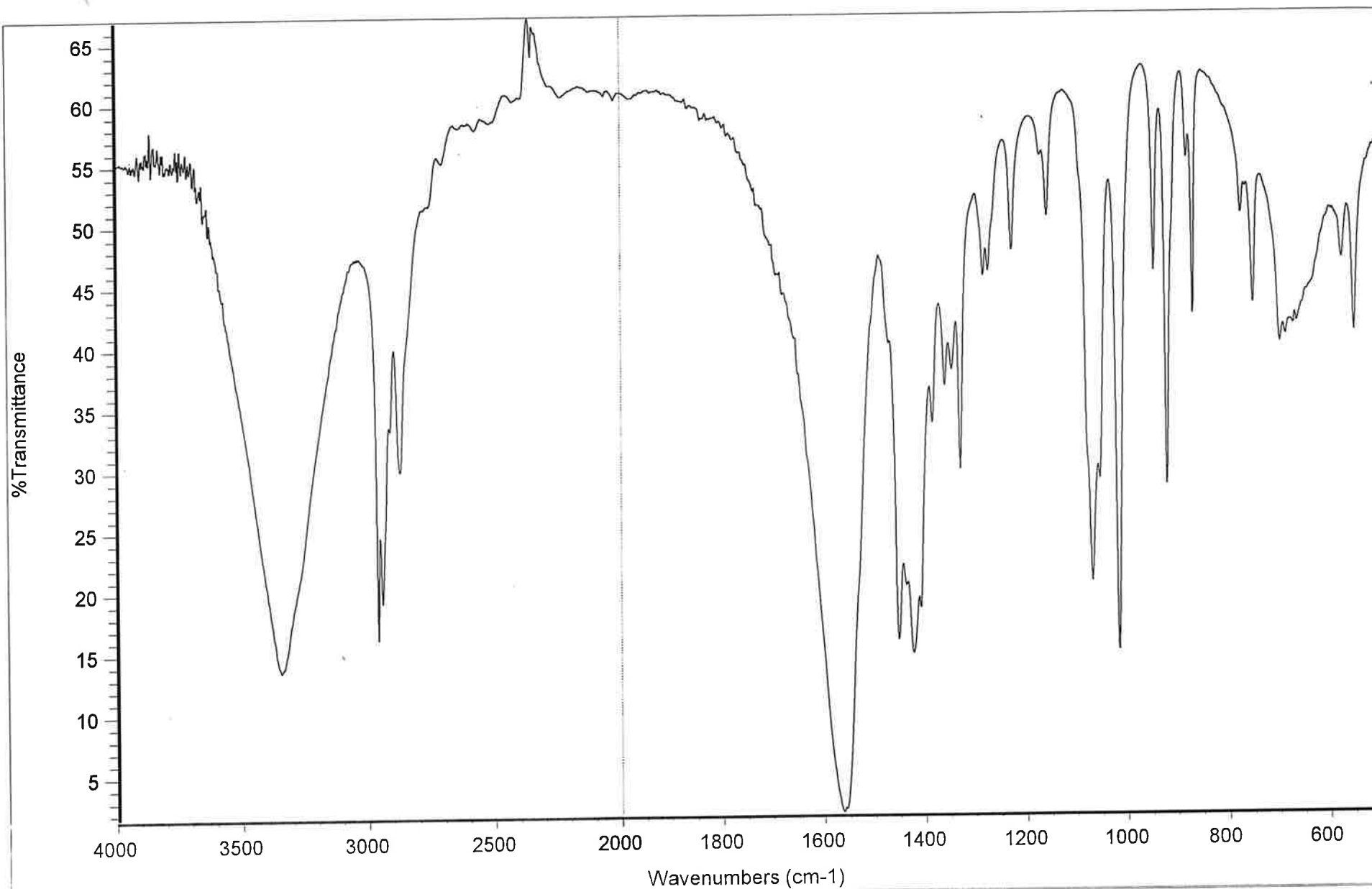


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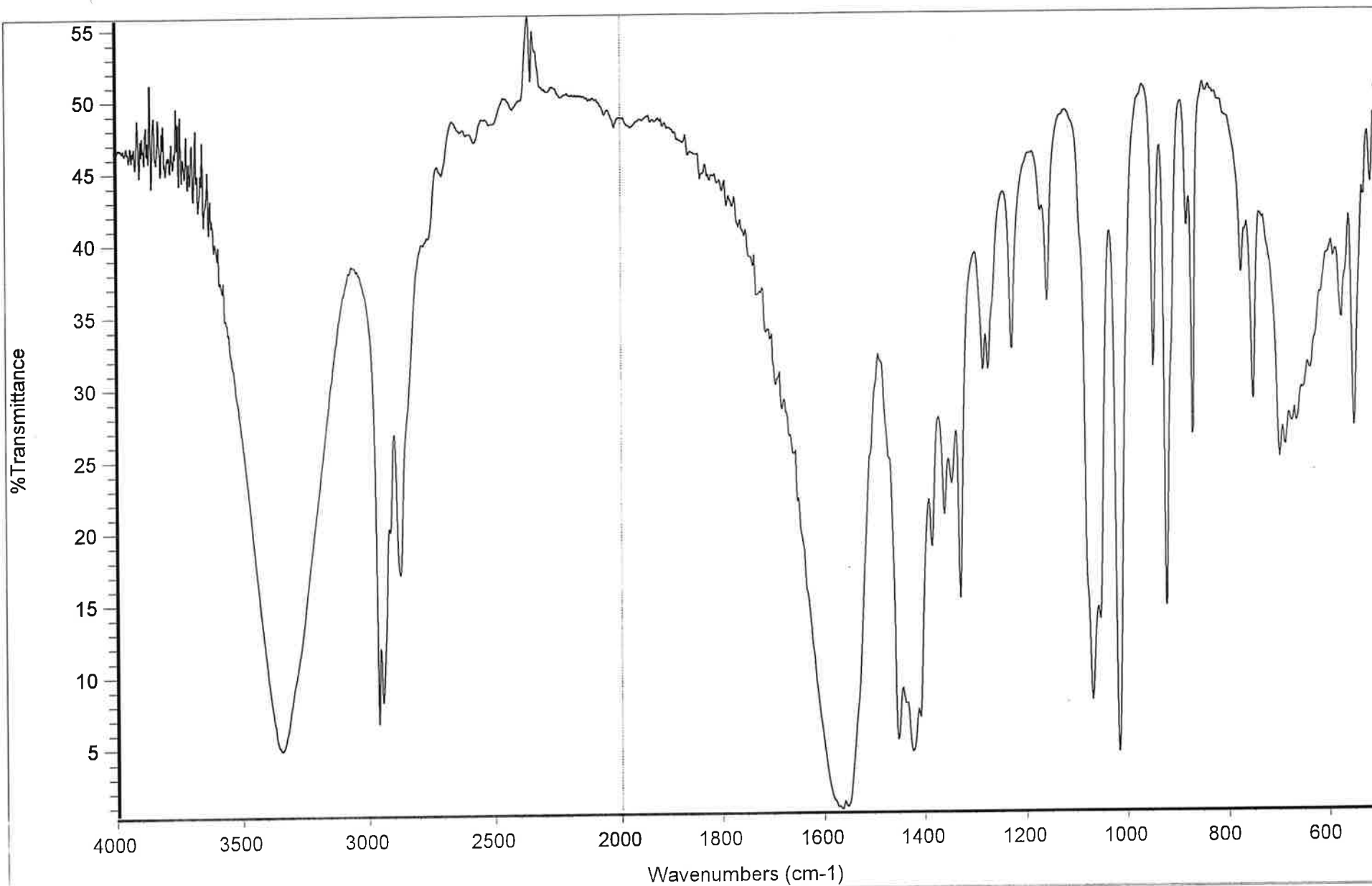


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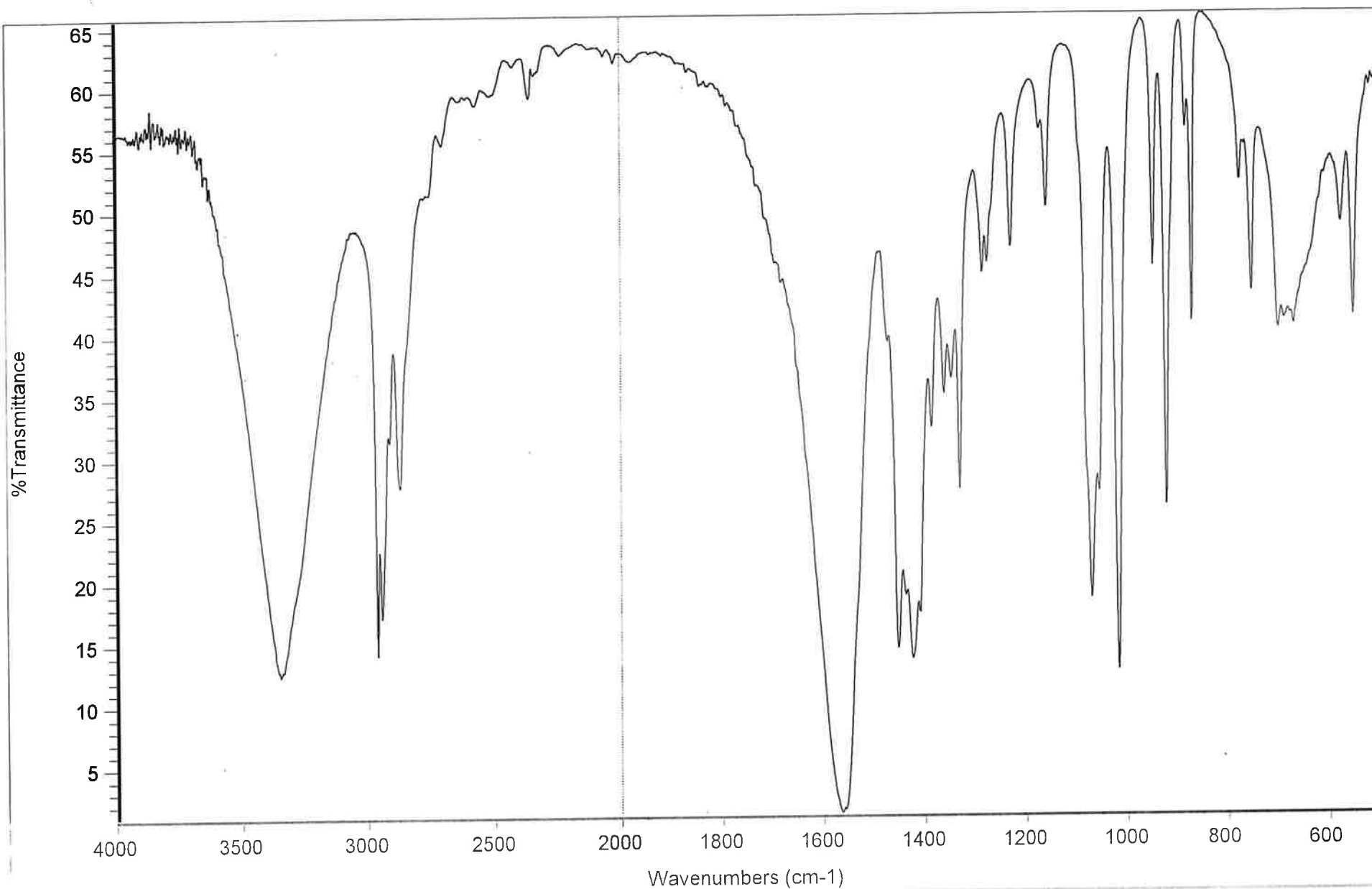


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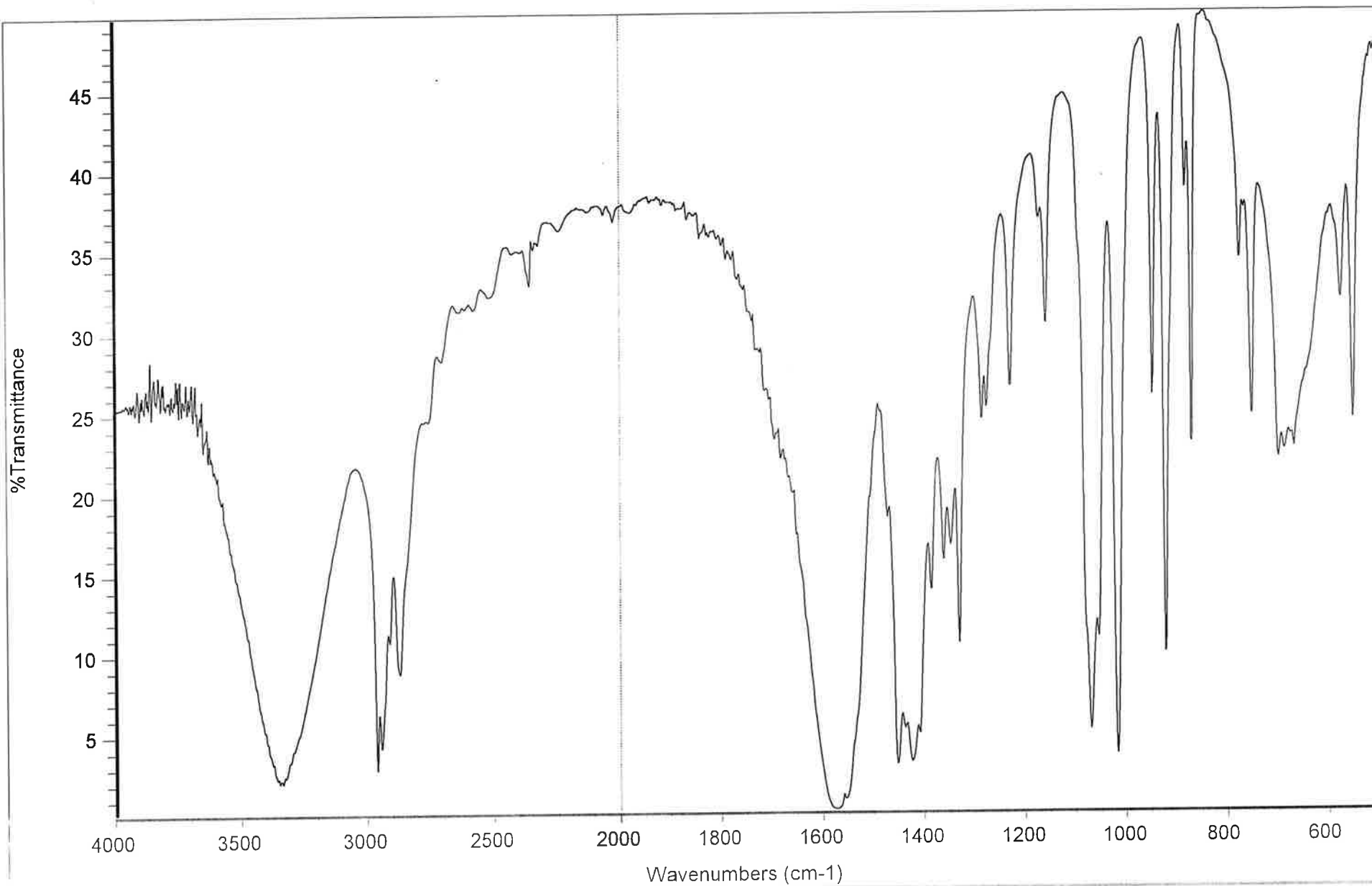


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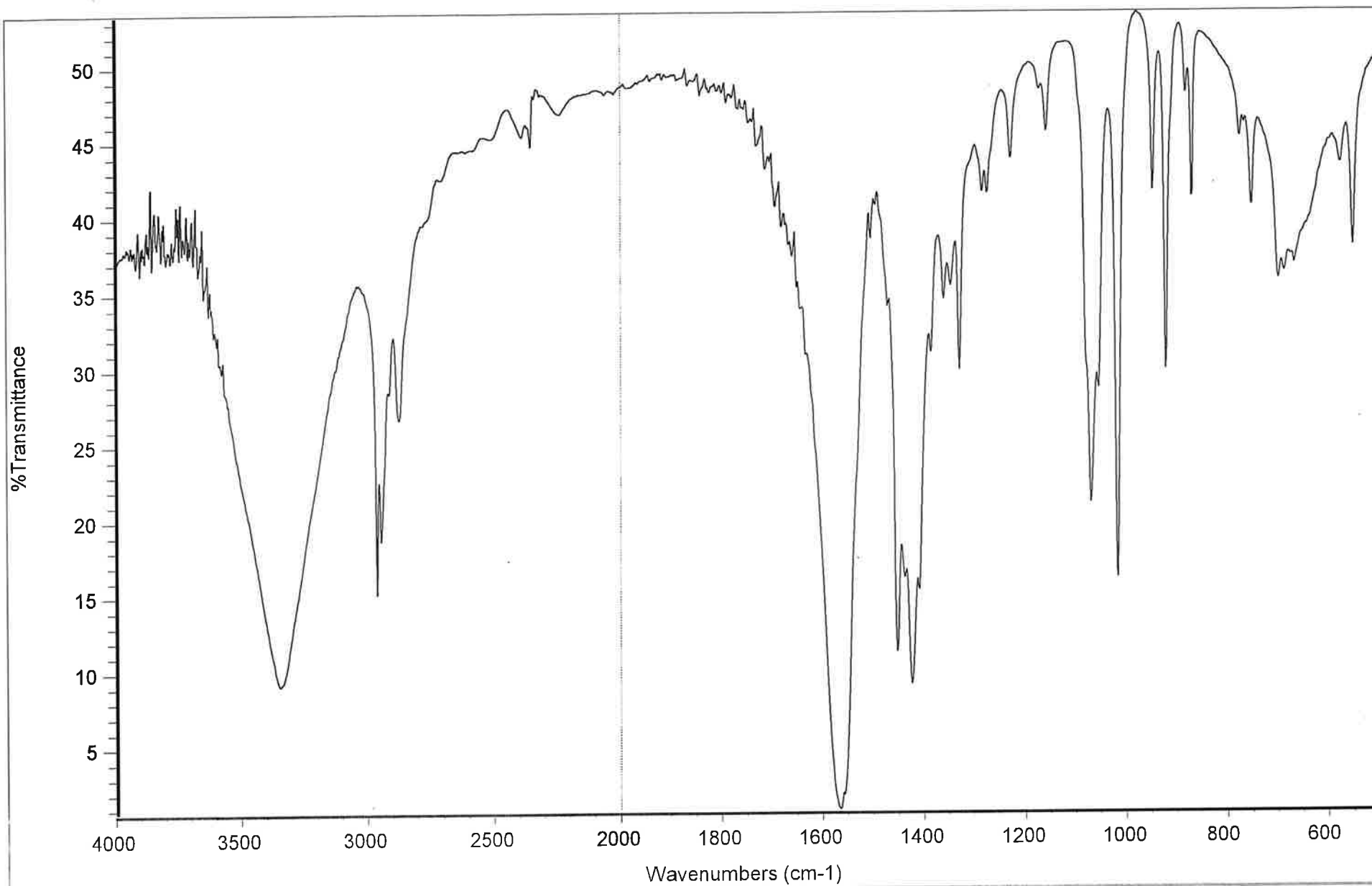


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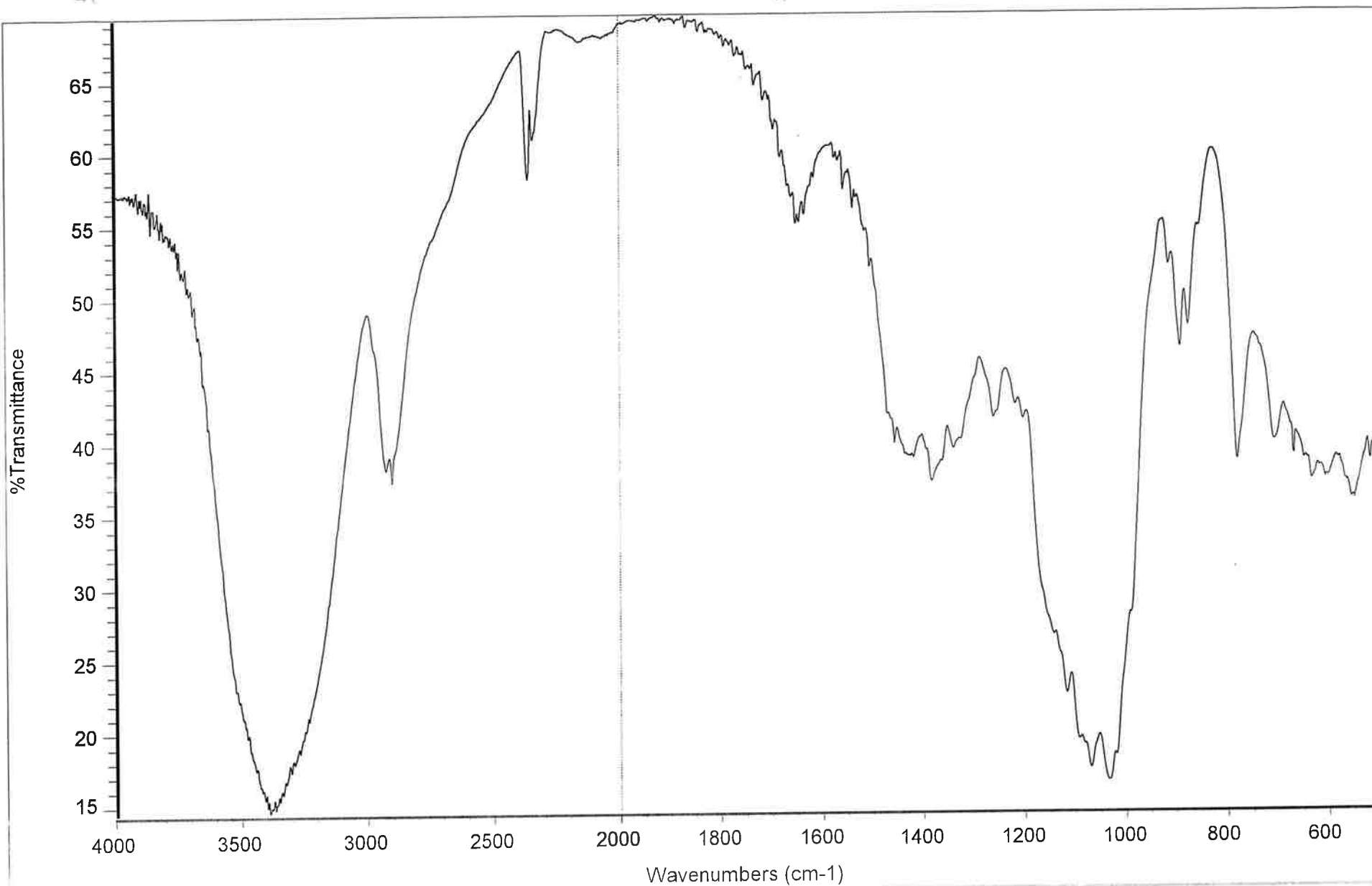


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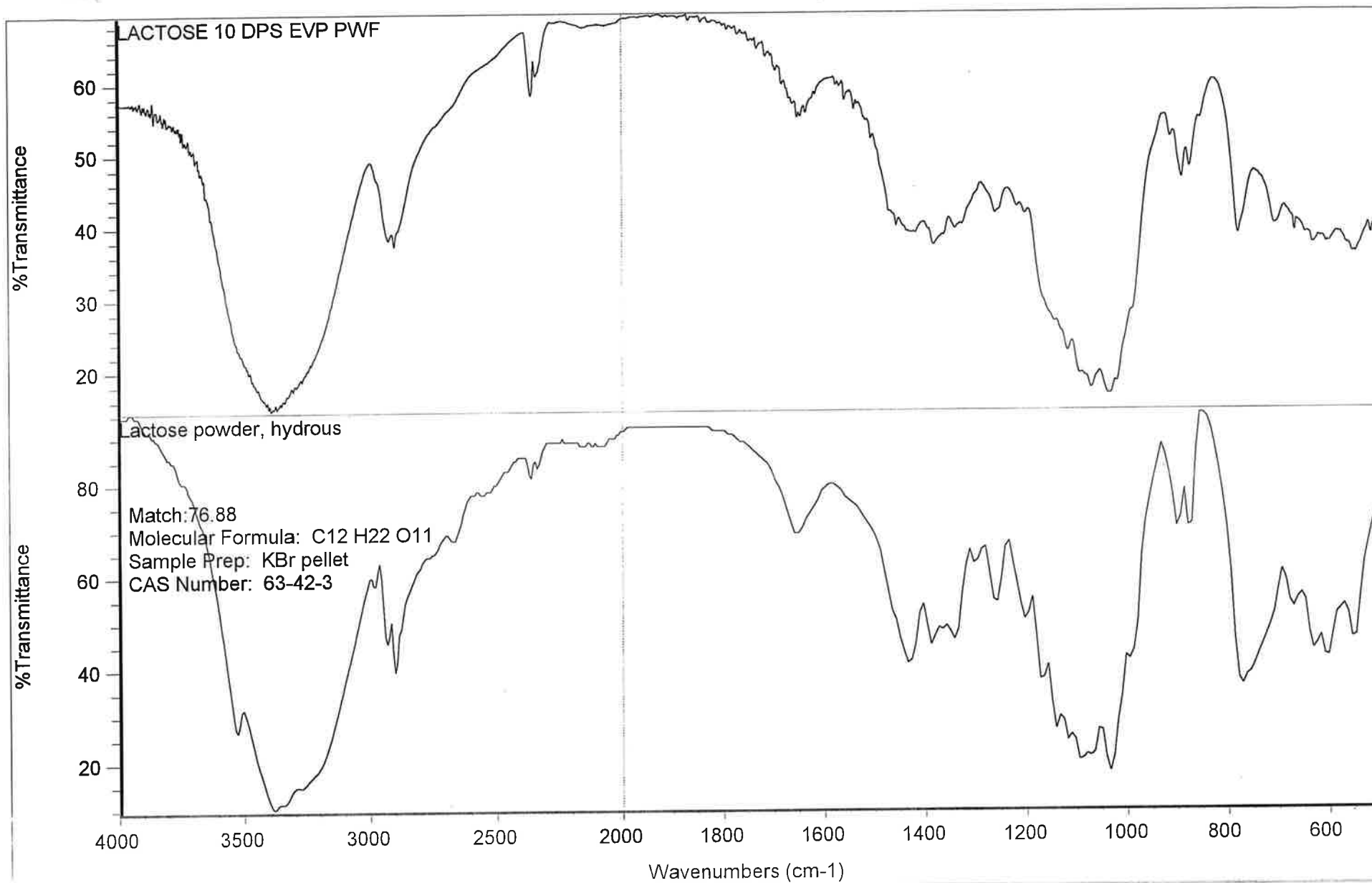


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LACTOSE 10 DPS EVP PWF

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000



Date: Unknown

Lactose powder, hydrous

Scans: 1

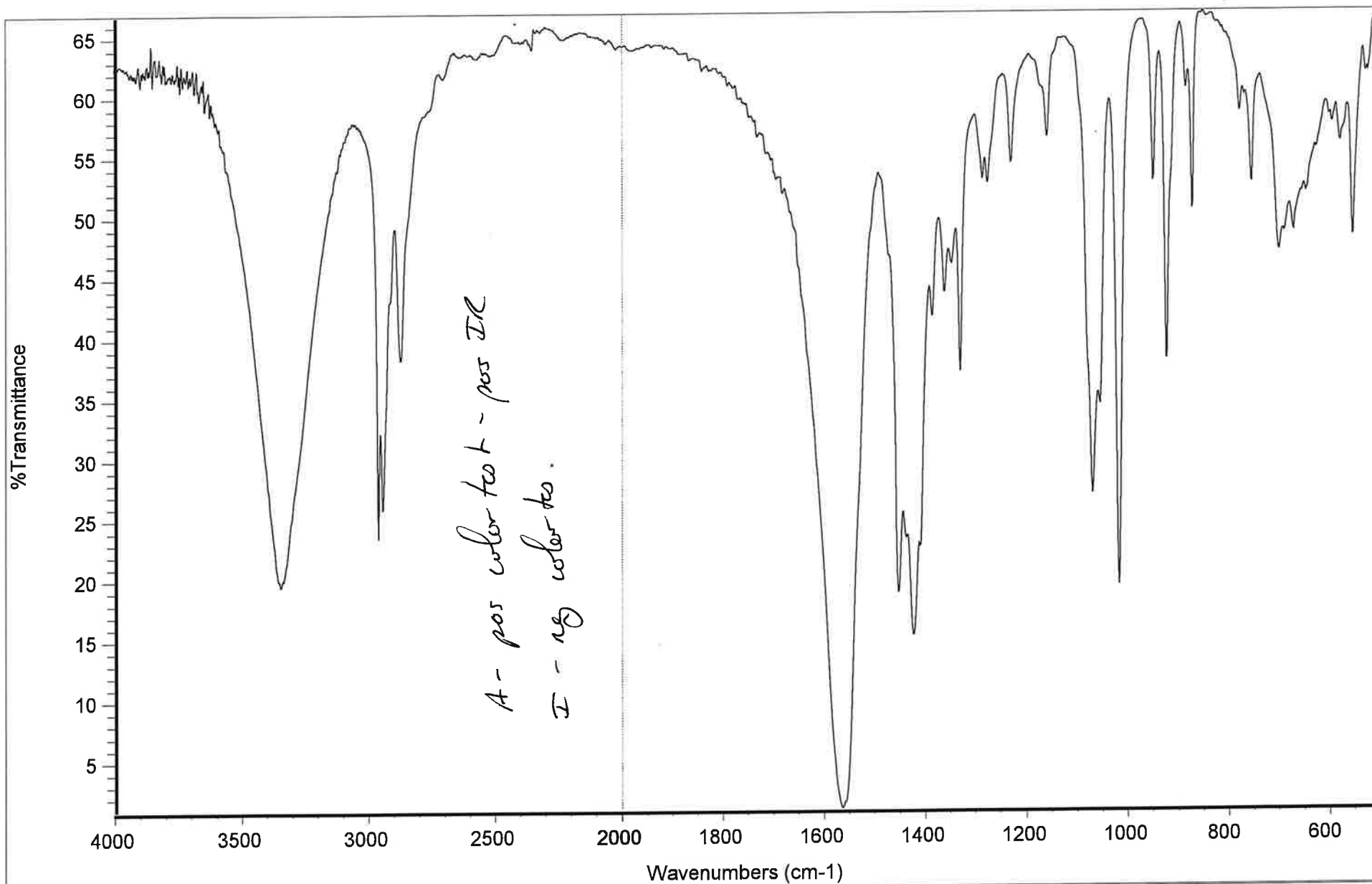
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Resolution: Unknown

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GHB	Procedure -	Test	Samples	Analyst	Results
	Substance				
A.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		WHS	GHB
B.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		PC	GHB
C.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		GG	GHB
D.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		GE	GHB
E.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		DS	GHB
F.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		DF	GHB
G.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		KC	GHB
H.	GHB 0.2g/10ml H ₂ O	25 dps		KL	GHB
I.	H ₂ O	25 dps		WHS	Neg
J.	H ₂ O	25 dps		PC	Neg
K.	N ₂ O	25 dps		GG	Neg
L.	H ₂ O	25 dps		GE	Neg
M.	H ₂ O	25 dps		DS	Neg
N.	H ₂ O	25 dps		DF	Neg
O.	H ₂ O	25 dps		KC	Neg
P.	H ₂ O	25 dps		KL	Neg
Q.	H ₂ O	25 dps		PF	neg
R.	GHB	25 dps		PF	GHB

Made by
PC



Date: Mon Feb 02 12:00:36 1998

TEST SAMPLE A NEAT DRIED DOWN WHS GHB

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000

WHS

(Patm Chaotie 1-30-98

GHB UNKNOWN'S

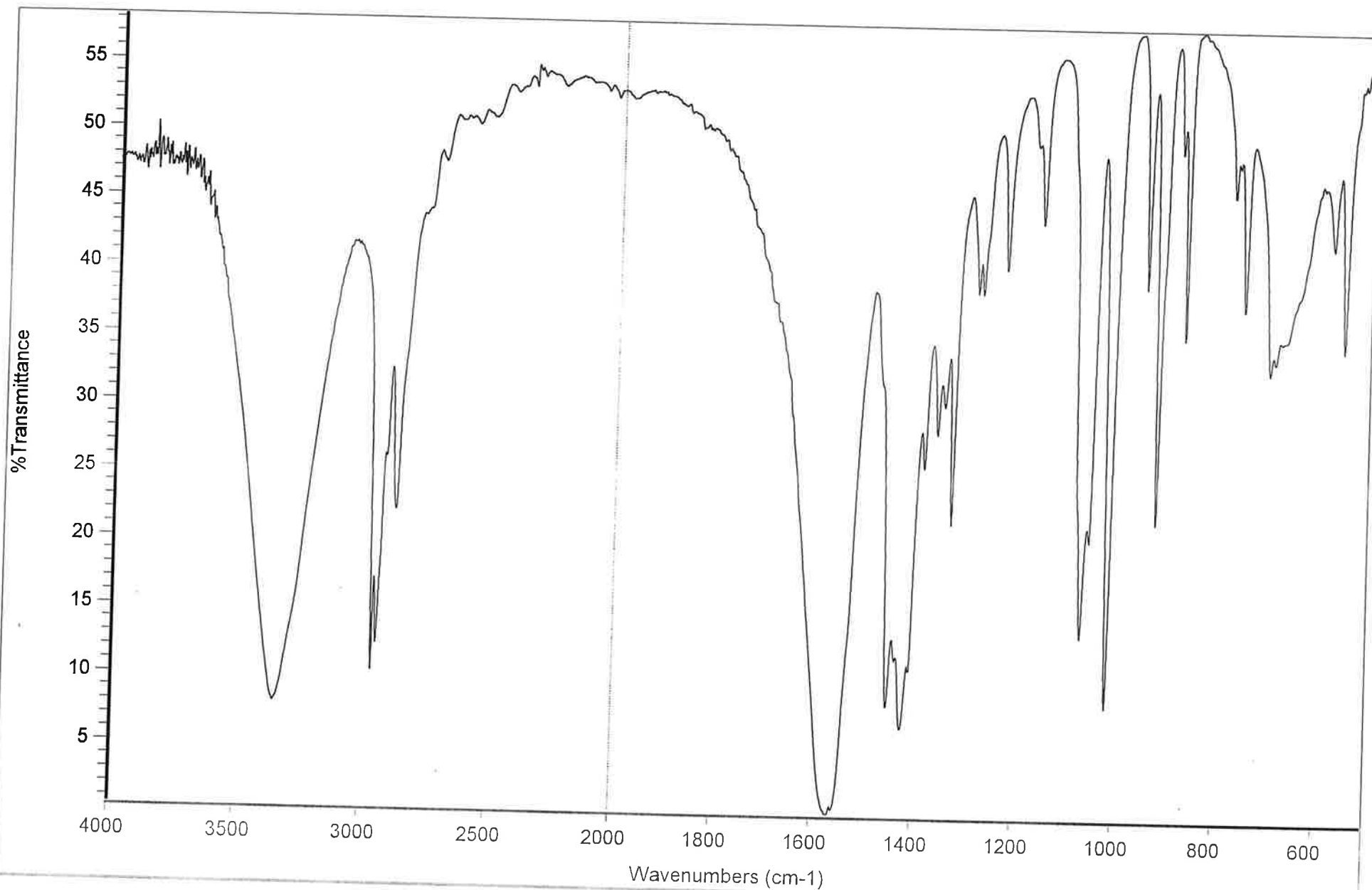
COLOR TEST

B - +

J - -

FTIR - pos GHB - 97.8 hit on Omnic

Patm Chaotie



Date: Fri Jan 30 13:25:41 1998

SAMPLE # B NEAT 10 DROPS PMC

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000

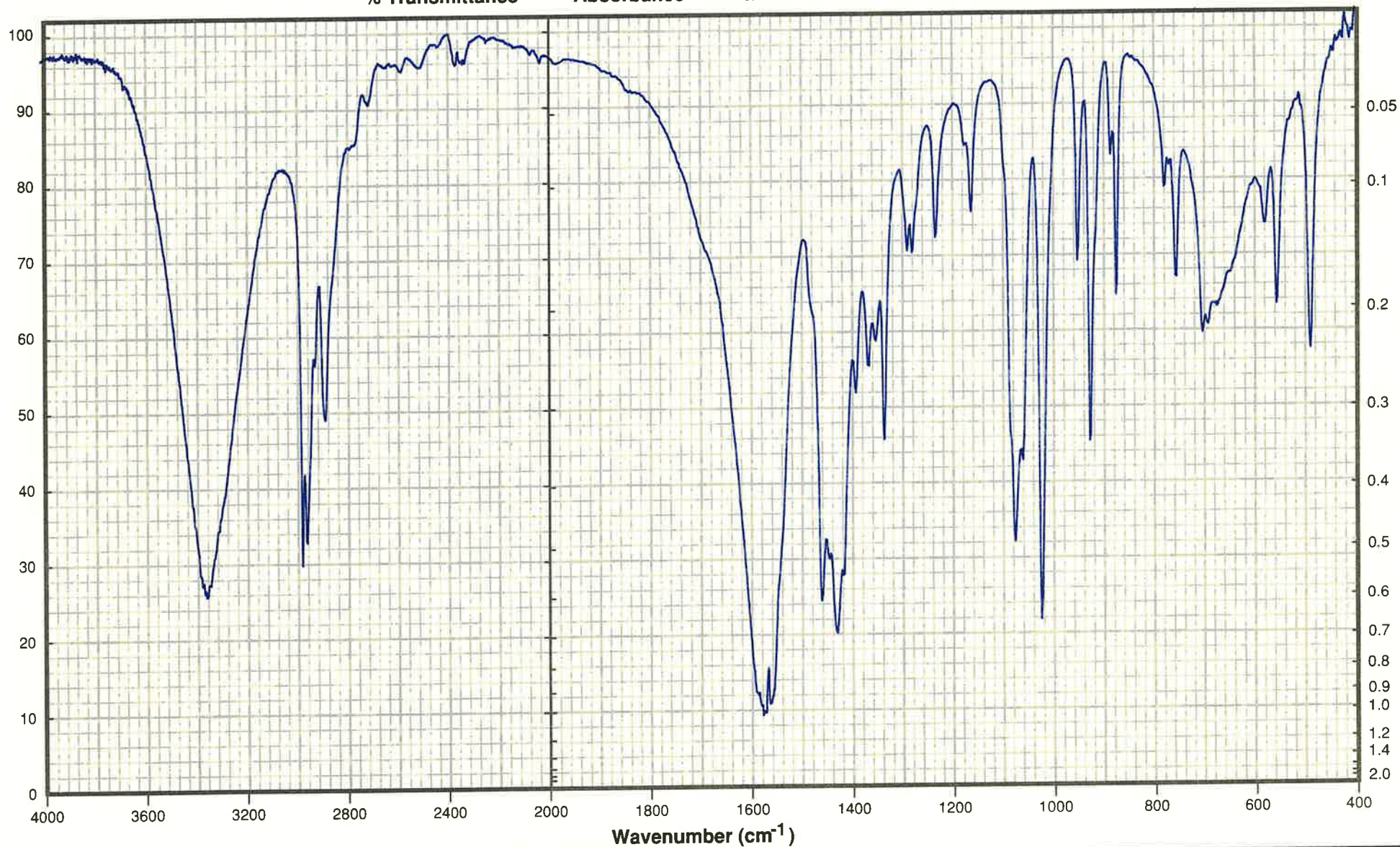
GHB

% Transmittance

Absorbance

GRAPHIC CONTROLS CORPORATION BUFFALO, NEW YORK

CHART NO. NAI 220-706900



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Filename			GHB		No. Scans 10
Date 30 Jan 98	Time 13:03:59				Operator

Glen Jay Glenn
Unknown Liquid Sample

Vial K

GHCTR: ⊖

IR: N/A

Blanks: ⊖ ⊖

No controlled substance detected

Vial C

GHCTR: ⊕

IR: ⊕

Blanks: ⊖ ⊖

GH

IV

Glen Jay Glenn
January 30, 1998

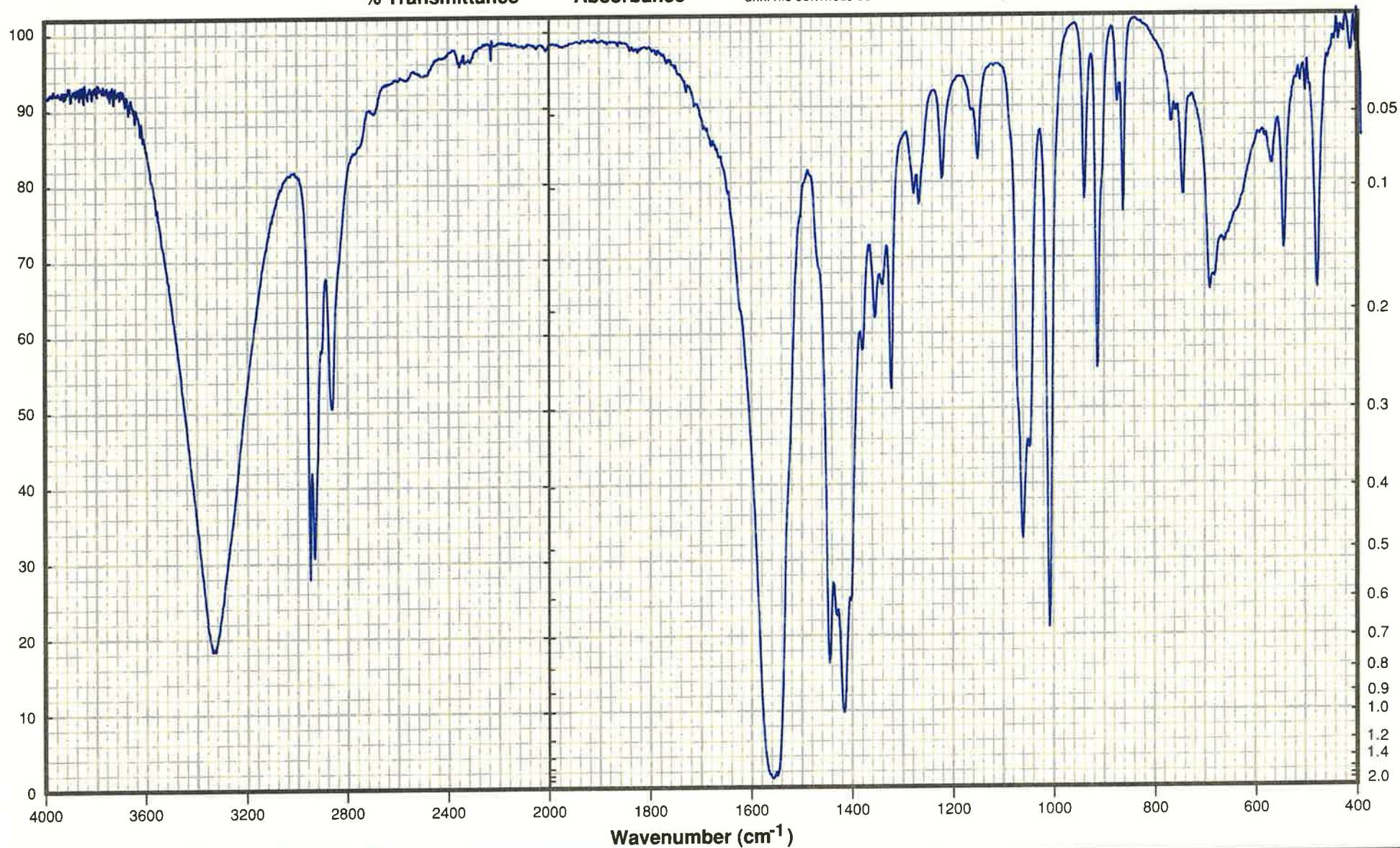
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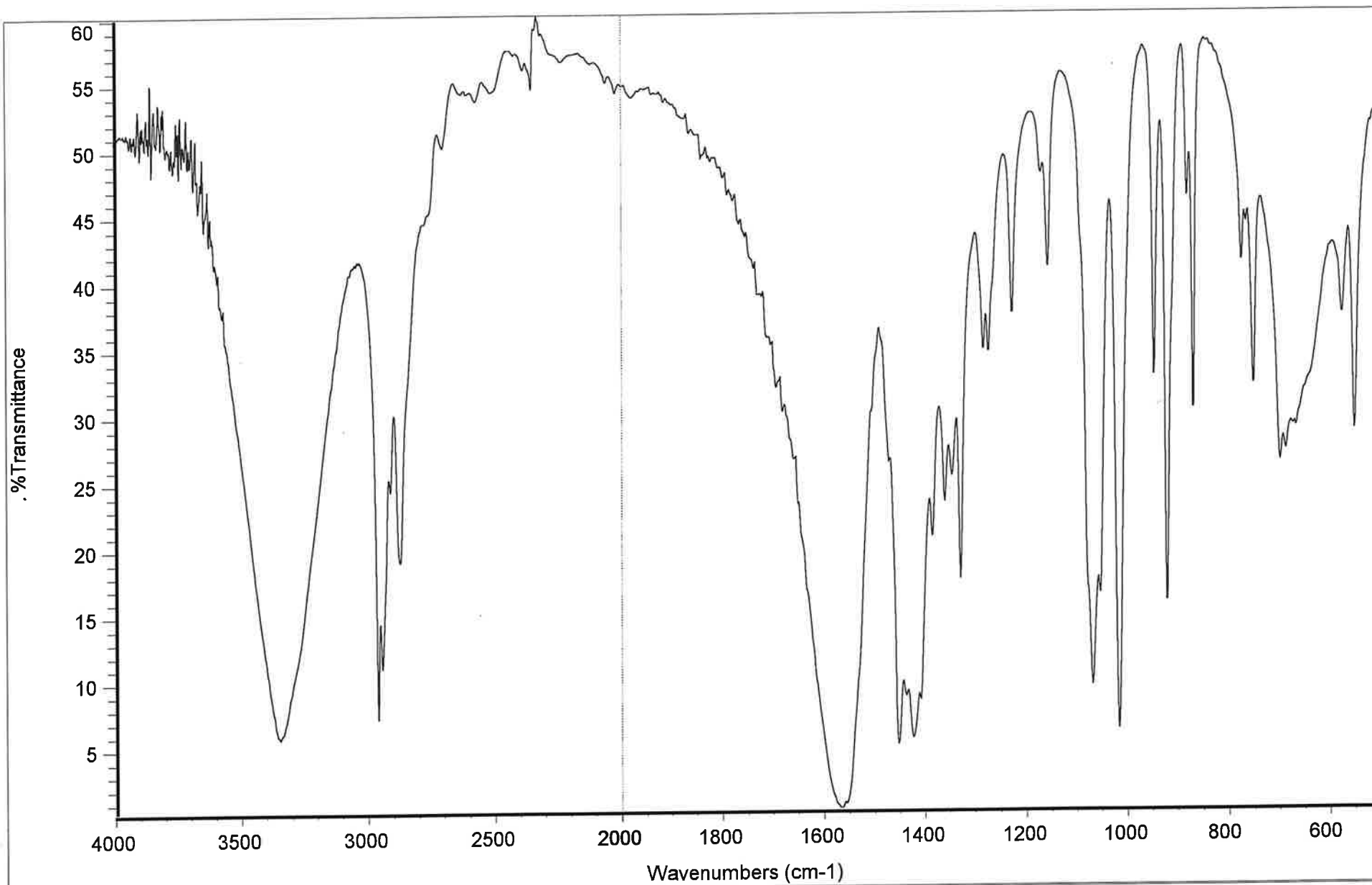
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Filename				No. Scans 10
Date 3 Jan 98	Time 16:58:42			Operator

SAMPLE (D) Positive Pale Blue

SAMPLE (L) Negative No color CHANGE

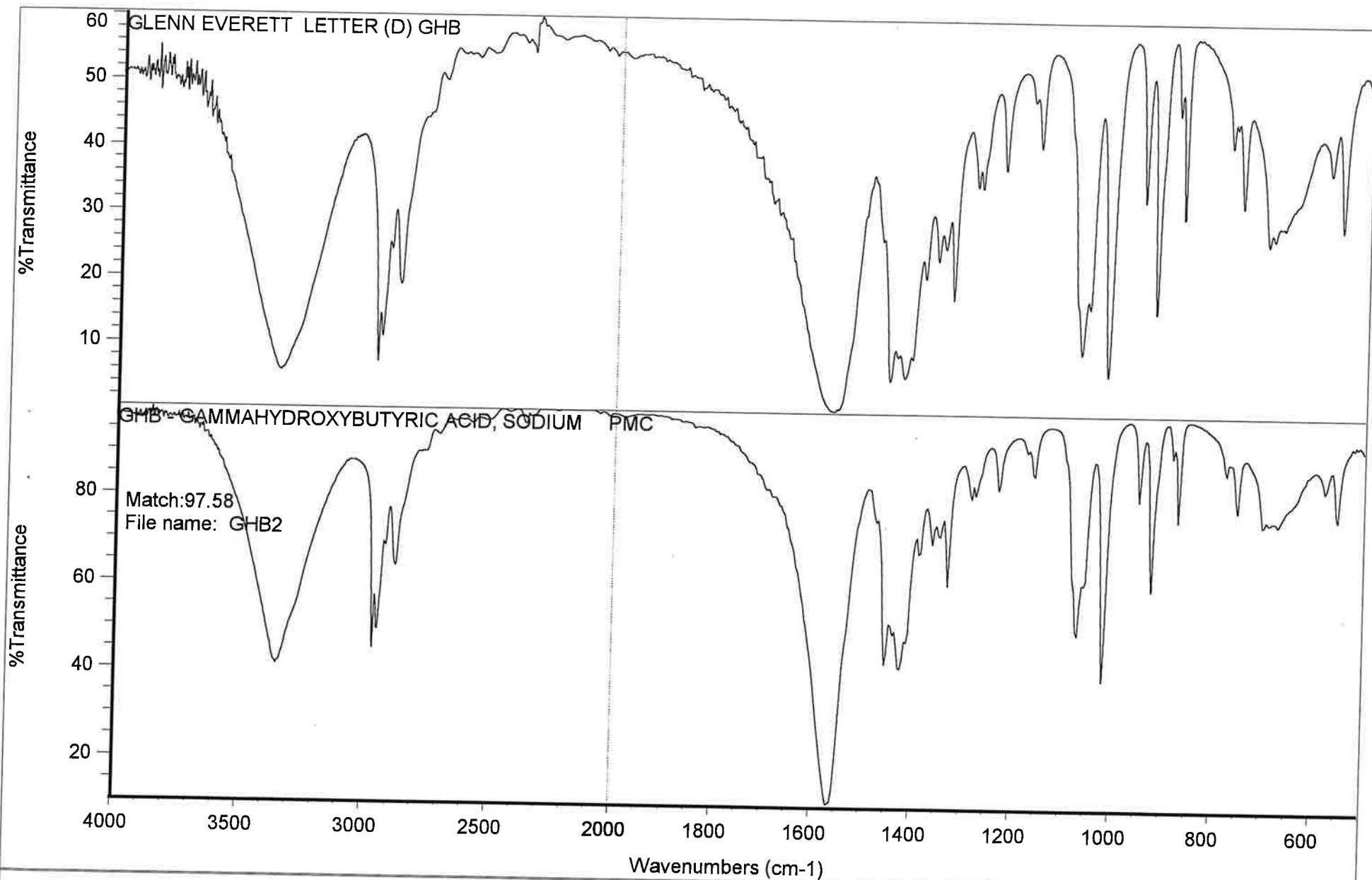


Date: Fri Jan 30 14:59:19 1998

GLENN EVERETT LETTER (D) GHB

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000



Date: Unknown

GHB - GAMMAHYDROXYBUTYRIC ACID, SODIUM PMC

Scans: 1

90100181

Resolution: Unknown

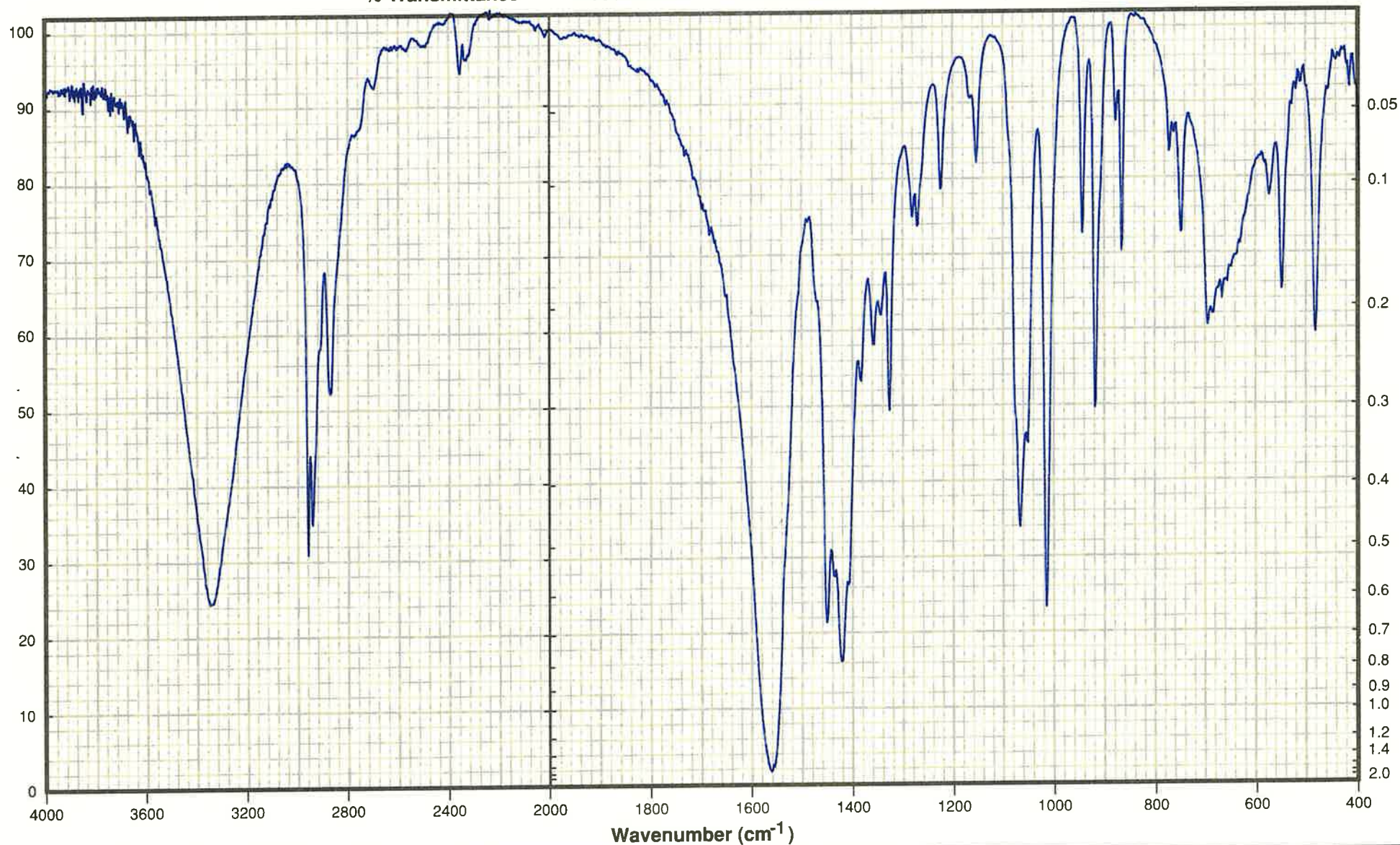
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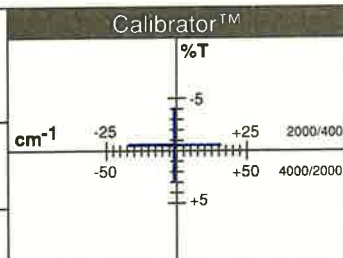
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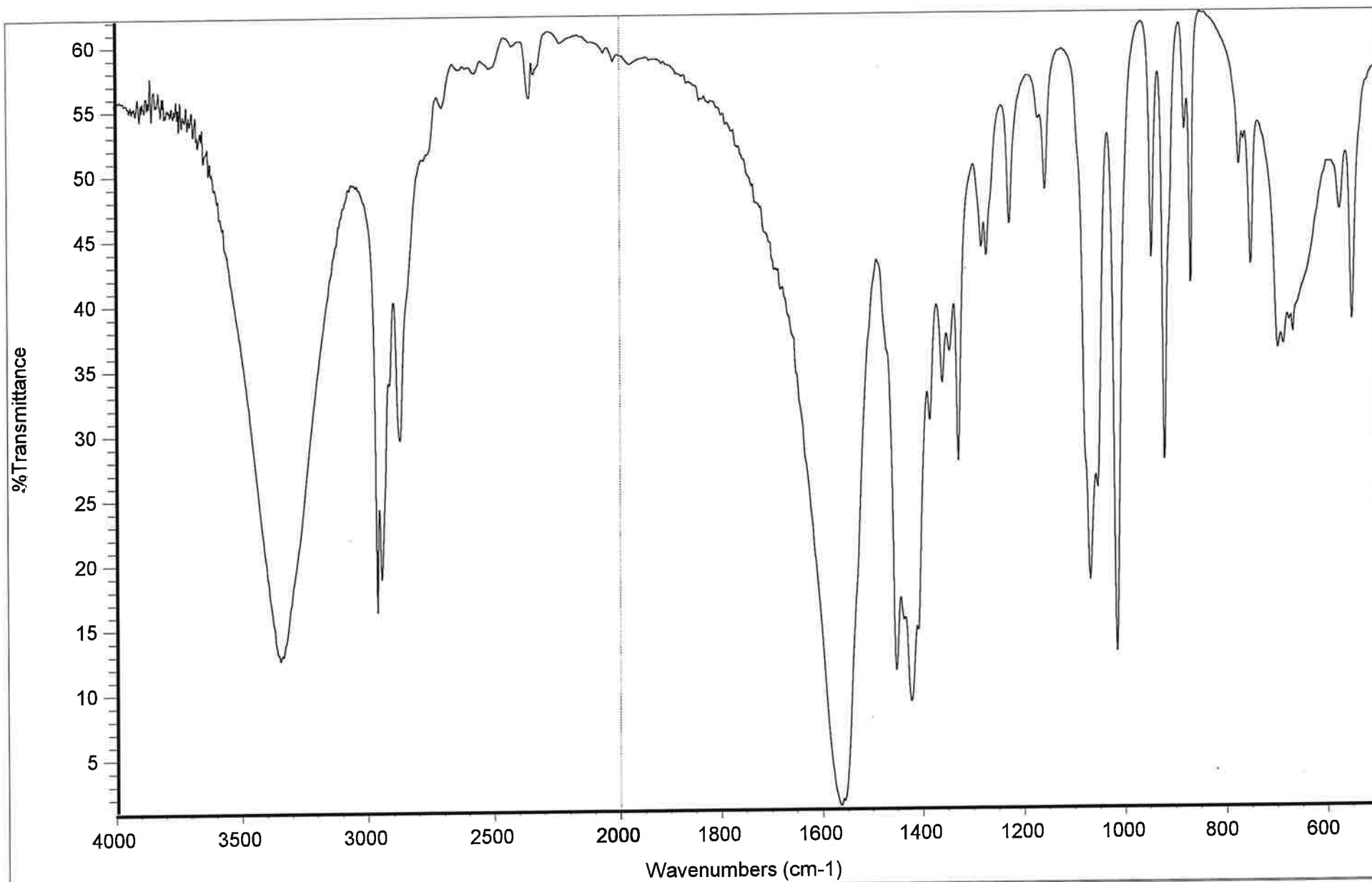
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Filename	
Date 02 Feb '98	Time 15:43:29



Data Processing/Comment
slope level

Resolution 4 cm⁻¹
No. Scans 10
Operator

NA - Neg



Date: Tue Feb 03 08:49:56 1998

DONNA

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000

N - Neg

Phillip Freeze

1/30/98

GHB Unknowns:

Co/or Test

IR

Q -

-

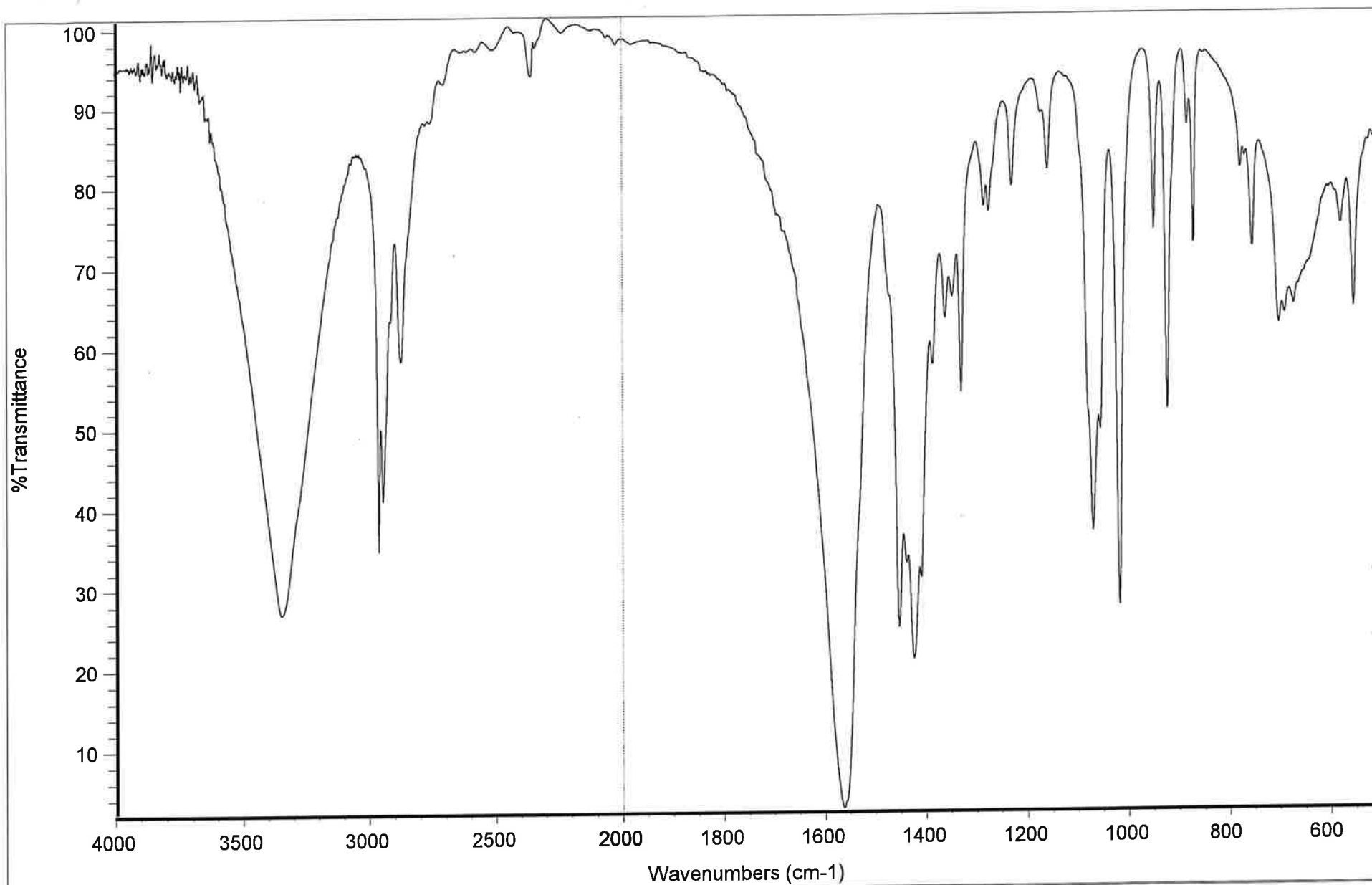
R -

+

(+) GHB

Sample R - GHB

Sample Q - No Controlled Substance detected.



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*GHB SAMPLE R 10 DPS EVP PWF

Scans: 10

Resolution: 4.000

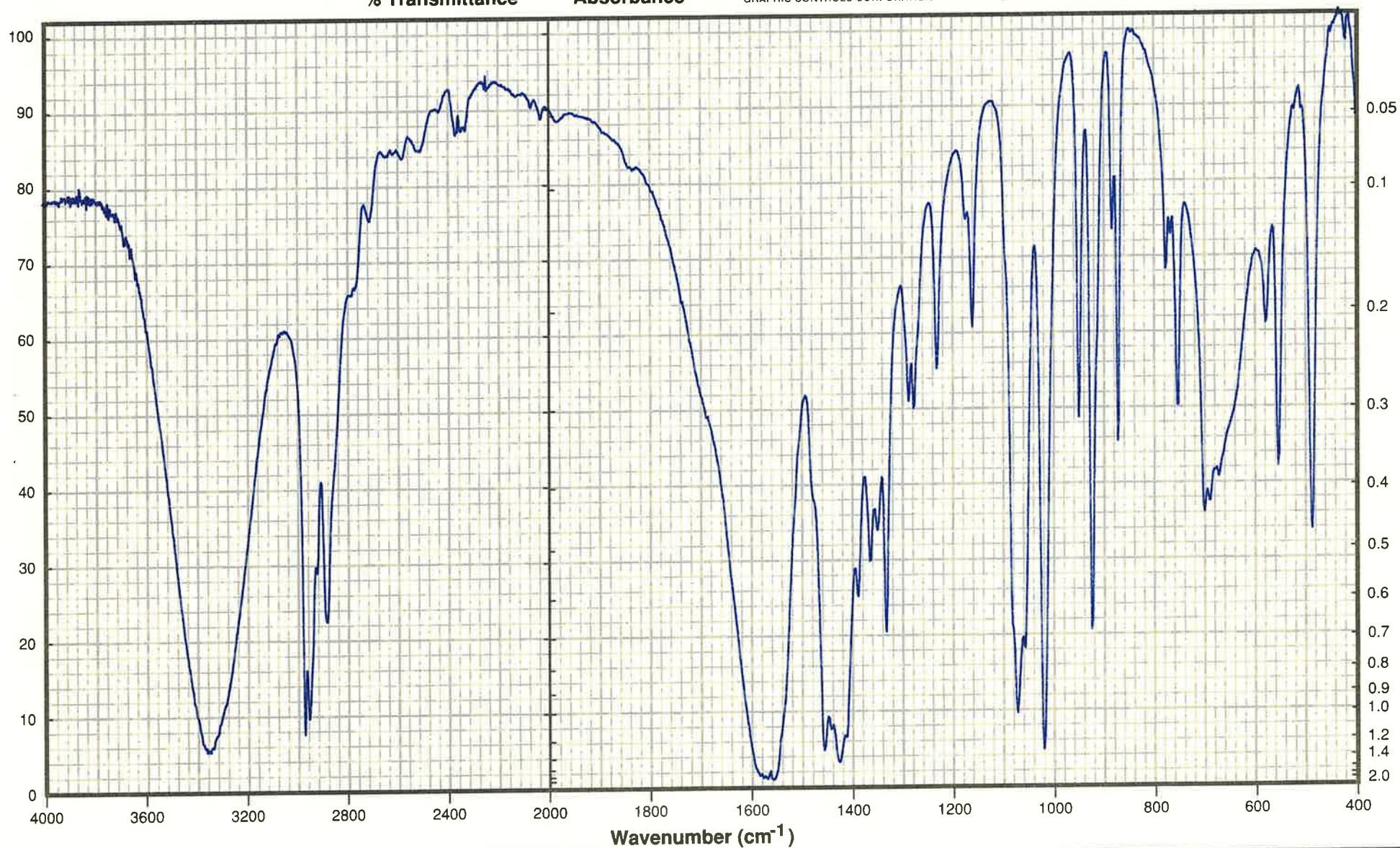
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Absorbance

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Title GHB PROFICIENCY TEST		Calibrator™ %T cm⁻¹ -25 -50 +25 +50 2000/400 4000/2000	Data Processing/Comment slope level	Resolution 4 cm⁻¹
Filename			<i>Sample CT (+) (G) positive Kathy Carman 2/6/98</i>	No. Scans 10
Date 06 Feb '98	Time 11: 10: 59			Operator

Sample 0 negative

11 Feb 98 1 CPZUB "KL" & 2 small glass vials, one marked
"P" one marked "H" & a liquid

GHB Color Test

H - slow light blue

P - negative

H₂O - negative

Blank - negative

ETOH - quick light blue

H - Dried down & ran IR - GHB

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KAL

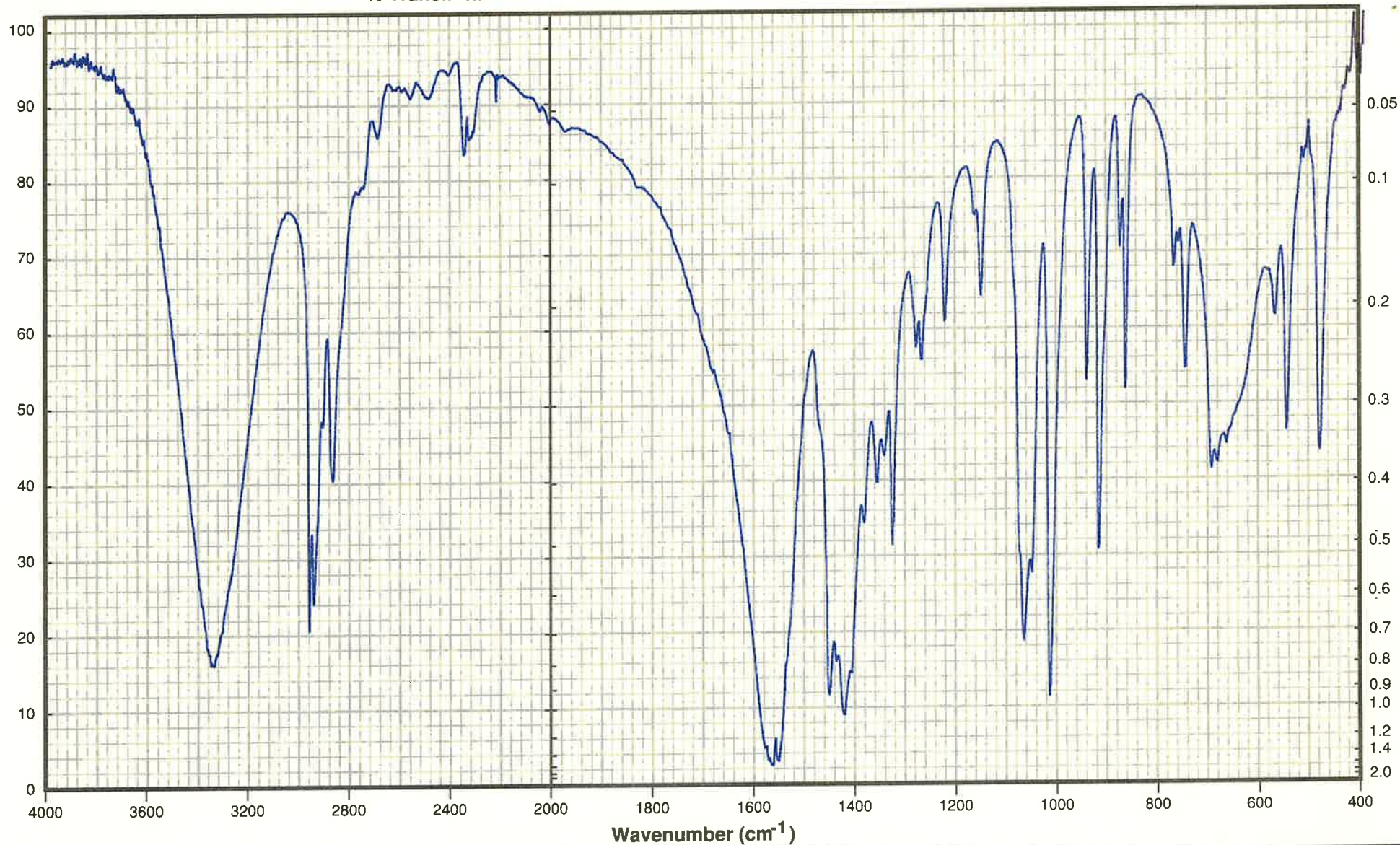
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Title SAMPLE H DRIED DOWN KAL		Calibrator™ %T -5 -25 0 +25 2000/400 -50 0 +50 4000/2000 +5	Data Processing/Comment slope level thickness 0.8000		Resolution 4 cm⁻¹
Filename GHB					No. Scans 10
Date 11 Feb 98	Time 13:20:29				Operator