



## A Brief Review on Analytical methods for estimation of Dapagliflozin, Empagliflozin, Metformin and Saxagliptin

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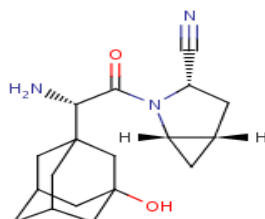
### ABSTRACT:

Pharmaceutical analysis is an integral part of the drug development process, playing a crucial role at various stages, including formulation development, stability studies, and quality control. It is essential for both qualitative and quantitative characterization of the composition of different dosage forms. A comprehensive literature survey serves as the foundation for focused research activity in the field. This review article aims to discuss and compile various analytical methods available in the literature for the determination of oral anti-diabetic drugs, specifically Saxagliptin (SAXA), Dapagliflozin (DAPA), Empagliflozin (EMPA), and Metformin Hydrochloride (MET), which are commonly used in the treatment of Type II diabetes mellitus. Techniques such as UV spectrophotometry, High-Performance Thin-Layer Chromatography (HPTLC), Ultra-Performance Liquid Chromatography (UPLC), Reverse-Phase High-Performance Liquid Chromatography (RP-HPLC), and High-Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) are evaluated and compared. This review provides detailed insights into the comparative utilization of these analytical techniques for the determination of SAXA, DAPA, EMPA, and MET. The article will be beneficial for guiding future analytical investigations aimed at estimating these drugs in pharmaceutical and biological samples.

**KEYWORDS:** Saxagliptin, Metformin, Dapagliflozin, Empagliflozin.

### INTRODUCTION:

#### SAXAGLIPTIN:



Saxagliptin is a type 2 diabetes medicine that is taken orally. It suppresses the degradation of incretin hormones like GLP-1 and GIP by inhibiting the DPP-4 enzyme. By increasing insulin production and decreasing glucagon release, incretins are essential for glucose metabolism. It is identified medically as (1S,3S,5S)-2-[(2S)-2-aminoDec-1-yl] acetyl-2-(3-hydroxytricyclo [3.3.1.1<sup>3,7</sup>][3.1.0] -2-azabicyclo 3-carbonitrile hexane. Saxagliptin adverse drug reactions include pancreatitis, severe allergic responses, including rashes, itching, and breathing difficulties (anaphylaxis). It might make complications from heart failure more likely.

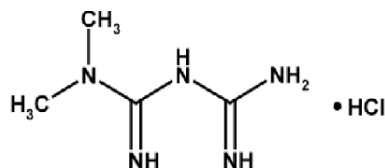
#### DAPAGLIFLOZIN:



Dapagliflozin is a medication used to treat type 2 diabetes, heart failure, and chronic kidney disease. SGLT2 is responsible for reabsorbing glucose from renal tubes, by inhibiting SGLT2 dapagliflozin prevent glucose reabsorption leading to increased glucose excretion in the urine. Its chemical name is (2S,3R,4R,5S,6R)-2-[4-chloro-3-(4-ethoxybenzyl) phenyl]-6-(hydroxymethyl) oxane-3,4, 5.

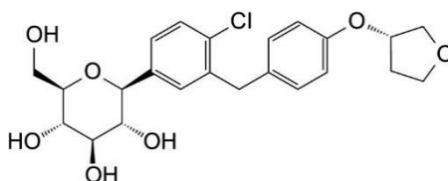
Adverse reactions of dapagliflozin are Genitourinary and Fungal infections, and it can cause Euglycemic DKA and osmotic diuresis.

#### METFORMINE HYDROCHLORIDE:



Metformin hydrochloride is a biguanide that primarily enhances insulin sensitivity and reduces the level of glucose generated by the liver. AMP activated protein kinase (AMPK) is activated in order for it to operate properly, which decreases Gluconeogenesis. Chemically Metformin hydrochloride is 3-(diamino methylidene)-1,1-dimethylguanidine. Adverse reactions of Metformin are Gastrointestinal infections, Abdominal discomfort and Flatulence. It is mainly used to reduce the risk of heart disease and stroke in diabetic patient and beneficial for insulin resistance conditions like polycystic ovary syndrome.

#### EMPAGLIFLOZIN:



Empagliflozin is a SGLT2 inhibitor. In the kidneys it is responsible for reabsorbing glucose from the urine and helps in glucose excretion. chemical name -2-[4-chloro-3-[[4-[(3S)-oxolan-3-yl]oxyphenyl]methyl]phenyl]-6-(hydroxymethyl)oxane-3,4,5-triol. Adverse Reactions of Empagliflozin are yeast infections, increased urination leads to polyuria and causes dehydration and hypotension. It is used to lower risk of hypoglycaemia and cardiovascular conditions.

### REPORTED ANALYTICAL METHODS:

TABLE:1 METHODS FOR SAXAGLIPTIN AND DAPAGLIFLOZIN:

S.NO.	Method	Author	Wave length	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	RP-HPLC	Sayali s, Santosh s, Sanjay j.	225nm	Mobile phase: Buffer Acetonitrile. Stationary phase:C18 Column. Flowrate: 1.2ml/min. Ph:5.5-0.02.	2- 2µg/ml 4-24 µg/ml	1
2	STABILITY INDICATING HPLC	Magharla Dasaratha	248nm	API & Formulation S.P: Xterra RP18 M.P: Acetonitrile. Flow rate:1ml/min.	100-500 µg/ml 50-250 µg/ml	2
3	HPLC	Sharmila Donepudi	254nm	Mobile phase: Buffer, phosphate buffer, AmoniumAcetate and organic solvent Stationary phase: C18 Column PH:5.0 -7.	0.01-0.5 µg/ml	3

4	UV SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC	Ragavendra Singh Bhadauri	224nm- 274nm	It follows Beers law Concentration range -2-10ml LOD:0.040ml LOQ:0.0120ml	5-50 µg/ml	4
5	UPLC	S Madhavi A. Pamella Rani	254nm	Mobile phase: Formic acid in water, Acetonitrile Stationaryphase:C18 in Reverse phase.	5-50 µg/ml	5

**Table-2: Methods for Dapagliflozin and Metformin**

S.NO	Method	Author	Wavelength	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	RP-HPLC	Waqar siddique	260nm	Mobile phase: Acetonitrile, orthophosphoric acid Stationaryphase:C18column Flowrate:1.0ml/min LOQ:9.95 µg/ml LOD:2.98 µg/ml	5-25 µg/ml	6
2	UV- SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC	Bhavya Sri, Surekha andM.Sumakanth	222nm- 232nm	Determined by Q absorption ratio. Diluent-water Correlation coefficient value-0.9999 Limit of detection:0.0241 µg/ml Limit of Quantification :0.0732 µg/ml	2-32 µg/ml	7
3	QBD ANALYTICAL METHOD BY RPHPLC	Dr. Priyanka Mathur	210nm	Stationary phase: C18 Mobile phase: orthophosphoric acid Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min	20-100 µg/ml 50-100 µg/ml	8

**Table 3: Method for metformin, saxagliptin, Dapagliflozin**

S.NO	Method	Author	Wave length	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	HPLC	Swetha Shivashankar suman	272nm	Stationary phase: Methanol Mobile phase: Acetonitrile pH:3.5 Flowrate:1.0ml/min	5-25 µg /ml 0.1-0.5 µg /ml	9

2	STABILITY INDICATING HPLC	Krishna Rao Vanak Alapati	230nm	API and Formulation S.P: Kromasil C18  M. P: Phosphate Buffer : Acetonitrile  pH:3  Flow rate:1.0ml/min	125-750 µg/ml	10
3	UV-SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC	Priya Barbude,  Mukund Tawar	232nm 212nm	Bulk form and Tablet dosage form  Stationary Phase: Methanol  Mobile phase: Acetonitrile	10-15 µg /ml  5-25 µg /ml	11

**Table-4 Methods for Metformin and Saxagliptin:**

S.NO	Method	Author	Wavelength	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	RP-HPLC	K. Satyanarayana	220nm	Stationary phase: C18  Mobile phase: Acetonitrile  Flow rate:0.6ml/min  Lod:0.112ml  LOQ:0.373ml	1.0-1.2 µg/ml	12
2	UV SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC	E.V.S Subramanyam	227nm	Concentration:5-50 µg/ml	5-50 µg/ml	13
3	HPLC	S. Roshan	233nm	API Drug  Stationary phase:C18  Mobile phase: Acetonitrile  Flow rate:1.0ml	2.5-5.0 µg/ml	14

**Table-5 Method for Empagliflozin and Metformin:**

S.NO	Method	Author	Wavelength	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	RP-HPLC	Vinay kumar	260 nm	Stationary Phase: Kromosil C18 column (50mm X4.6mm; 5µm) Mobile Phase: Acetonitrile Orthophosphoric acid	1.25–7.50µg/ml EMPA; 125- 750µg/ml MET	15

				Flow rate: 1ml/min LOD: 0.01 µg/ml EMPA; 0.50 µg/ml MET LOQ: 0.03 µg/ml EMPA; 1.52 µg/ml MET		
2	HPLC	Alaa Samin	255nm	Stationary Phase: C18 SBMobile Phase: Acetonitrile Flow rate: 1ml/min LOD: 0.352 µg/ml EMPA; 36.80 µg/ml MET LOQ: 1.055 µg/ml EMPA; 110.401 µg/ml MET	3.13-9.38 µg/ml EMPA; 250-750 µg/ml MET	16
3	HPTLC	Manoj kumar	242nm	Stationary Phase: Silica gel precoated plates Mobile Phase: 2 % Ammonium acetate: Isopropyl alcohol: Triethyl - amine LOD: 24.65ng/band EMPA; 705.21ng/band MET LOQ: 74.70ng/band EMPA; 2136.99ng/band MET	125 -750 ng/band EMPA; 5000 – 30000 ng/band MET	17
4	UV	Patil sushil	224nm	Solvent: Methanol LOD: 0.036 µg/ml EMPA; 0.04 µg/ml MET LOQ: 0.111 µg/ml EMPA; 0.1402 µg/ml MET	Linearity range: 1-3 µg/ml EMPA; 10- 50 µg/ml MET	18

**Table-6 Methods for Empagliflozin:**

S.NO	Method	Author	Wavelength	Description	Linearity	Reference
1	RPHPLC	Vijaya Sri	296nm	S.P: C18 column Mobile Phase: Methanol: Water with 0.1 % Ortho phosphoric acid Flow rate: 0.8ml/min Rt: 1.283 min	Linearity : 2.5– 1.50 µg/ml	19
2	UV	Sushil D Patil	224nm	Solvent: Methanol: Water LOD: 0.036 µg/ml LOQ: 0.111 µg/ml	Linearity : 1-3 µg/ml	20
3	UV	Shaik Bima Benzair	223nm	Solvent: Methanol and Water LOD: 0.10 µg/ml LOQ: 0.33 µg/ml	Linearity : 1-30 µg/ml	21

**CONCLUSION:**

The study provides a variety of analytical techniques for measuring the amount of metformin, saxagliptin, dapagliflozin, and empagliflozin in pharmaceutical dosage forms and bulk. A number of analytical methods for determining the concentrations of metformin, saxagliptin, dapagliflozin, and empagliflozin in bulk and pharmaceutical dose forms are provided by the study. These methods are widely utilized due to their simplicity, economy, precision, accuracy, and reproducibility in drug estimation.

This review highlights the prevalence of liquid chromatographic methods, including RPHPLC and HPLC, for the measurement of metformin, saxagliptin, empagliflozin, and dapagliflozin.

Future research into new analytical techniques for licensed antidiabetic medications will benefit greatly from the insights this analysis offers.

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