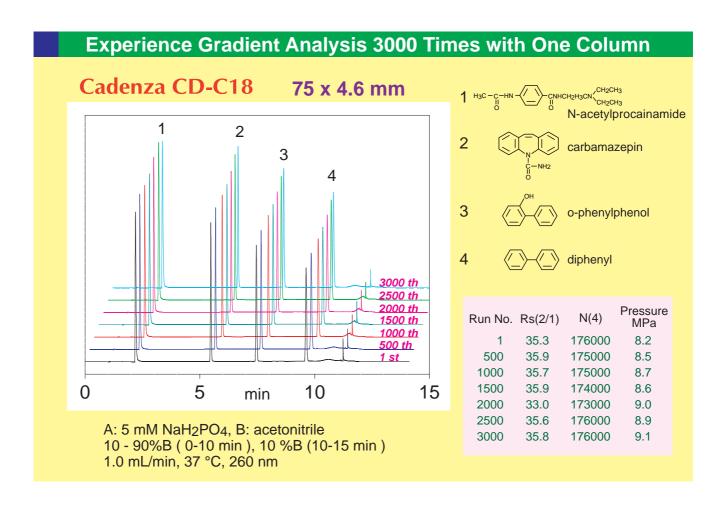
Cadenza CD-C18

75 x 4.6 mm

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## Column Durability in Gradient Analysis



This data shows Cadenza CD-C18's durability through gradient analysis.

Gradient analysis is a stressful elution mode for columns. Researchers are concerned by column deterioration through a change in the column's packing situation especially in situations such as screening where a wide range of organic solvent conentration is used.

Cadenza CD-C18 75 x 4.6mm offers the same features (high speed, high sensitivity and low solvent use) as a conventional 150mm column. We examined the column durability through repeated analysis using gradient elution. There was no column deterioration after 3000 injections under optimized conditions. The basic compound's separation (Peak 1, 2) was also excellent. Under these conditions, it is possible to achieve a stable analysis through a non-stop 24-hour experiment over more than a month.

This analysis consumed about 50L in the mobile phase (acetonitrile 25L). If we assume that 1L of acetonitrile costs \$40, the entire experiment would consume \$1000 in solvent. This cost is much higher than the \$400 in column cost. Using a 150mm column, the solvent consumption will double to \$2000 and run time will double to 2 months.

Cadenza CD-C18 offers you half the solvent cost in half the time with the same quality of results.