

The precision determined at each concentration level did not exceed 15% of the coefficient of variation (CV). The recovery of rhein was acceptable at the concentrations studied.

**Table 3:** Absolute recovery (%) of rhein

Concentration	Mean AUC Plasma (ng/ml.hr)	CV%	Mean AUC Solution (ng/ml.hr)	CV%	Absolute Recovery (%)
QC Low 150.00 ng/ml	7.30	2.22	7.82	2.60	93.32
QC Mid 4000.00 ng/ml	196.42	0.46	207.34	0.36	94.73
QC High 6000.00 ng/ml	279.36	0.49	302.68	0.54	92.30

**Table 4:** Absolute recovery (%) of candesartan cilexetil internal standard

Concentration	Mean AUC Plasma (ng/ml.hr)	CV%	Mean AUC Solution (ng/ml.hr)	CV%	Absolute Recovery (%)
QC Low 150.00 ng/ml	143.20	0.80	132.94	0.07	107.72
QC Mid 4000.00 ng/ml	141.79	0.37	132.38	0.64	107.11
QC High 6000.00 ng/ml	141.79	0.45	132.22	0.39	107.24