

## Review article

# A REVIEW ON ANALYTICAL METHOD DEVELOPMENT AND DETERMINATION OF RANOLAZINE IN SYNTHETIC MIXTURE

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## ABSTRACT:

*Ranolazine Hydrochloride (RAN) chemically is a piperazine derivative used as an anti-anginal drug. Ranolazine is used for the treatment of cardiac ischemia and it effects sodium dependent calcium channel during myocardial ischemia. Ranolazine indirectly prevents the calcium overload that causes cardiac ischemia. Ranolazine Hydrochloride is indicated for the treatment of chronic angina. Ranolazine may be used with beta-blockers, nitrates, calcium channel blockers, antiplatelet therapy, lipid-lowering therapy, ACE inhibitors, and angiotensin receptor blockers. This review article represents the various analytical methods which have been reported for estimation of ranolazine in synthetic mixture. Chromatographic methods like HPLC, RP-HPLC, HPTLC, GC, LC-MS, LC-MS/MS were reported.*

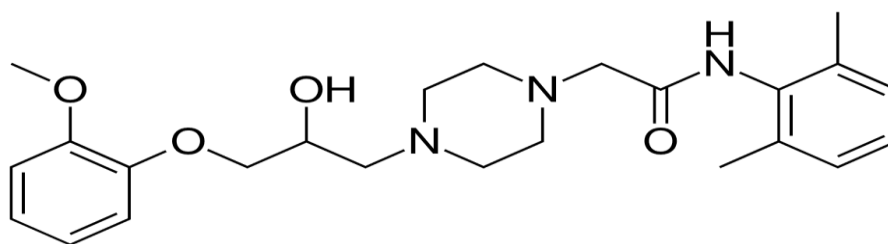
**KEYWORDS:** Ranolazine Hydrochloride, High performance liquid chromatography, Estimation, Angina.

## INTRODUCTION:

The approval of Ranolazine in the EU (2008) and the US (2006) was based on efficacy and safety.<sup>[1-4]</sup> Ranolazine is an anti-anginal drug and chemically it is a piperazine derivative.

IUPAC name of Ranolazine is (RS)-N-(2,6-dimethylphenyl)-2-[4-[2-hydroxy3-(2-methoxyphenoxy)-propyl]piperazin-1-yl]acetamide, Molecular formula is C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>33</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>, Molecular weight is 427.537g/mol.

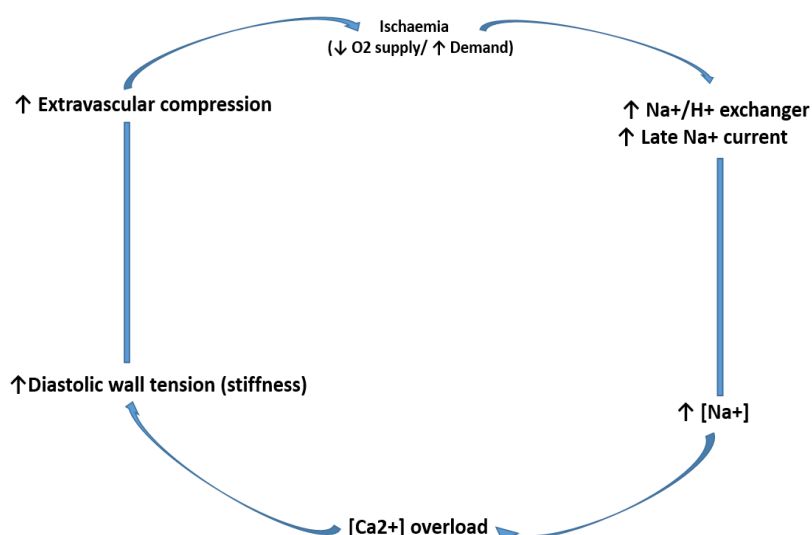
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**Fig 1:** Structure of Ranolazine

**MECHANISM OF ACTION:**

Ranolazine is used for the treatment of Cardiac ischemia it affects sodium dependent calcium channels during myocardial ischemia [5].



**Fig 2:** Mechanism of Ischaemia.

It is believed that Ranolazine have its effects via altering the trans-cellular late sodium current. During myocardial ischemia, by altering the intracellular sodium level Ranolazine effects the sodium dependent calcium channel. Thus, Ranolazine indirectly prevents the calcium overload that leads to cardiac ischemia. Ranolazine is also used with beta blockers, calcium channel blockers, nitrates, antiplatelet therapy, ACE inhibitors, angiotensin receptor blockers and lipid-lowering therapy. It exerts its action mainly through inhibition of peak and late Na<sup>+</sup> currents, as well as rapidly activating delayed-rectifier K<sup>+</sup> current. [6]

**CHROMATOGRAPHIC METHOD:**

The High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) for Ranolazine estimation. Gas Chromatography (GC) method for residual solvents determination in Ranolazine. High Performance Thin Layer Chromatography (HPTLC) method is widely used chromatographic method in the analysis of Ranolazine in formulation. Liquid Chromatography with Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC- MS/MS), Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (LC- MS), and Ultra High Pressure Liquid Chromatography (UHPLC) use for estimation of Ranolazine in plasma. Reverse Phase High Performance Liquid Chromatography (RP-HPLC) method also development for determination of concentration of Ranolazine in human serum and also for simultaneous determination of Ranolazine and its synthetic mixture.

**Table 1:** Summary of Chromatographic Method of Ranolazine.

<b>Title</b>	<b>Method</b>	<b>Mobile phase</b>	<b>Stationary phase</b>	<b>Wave length</b>
Assay of Ranolazine in Bulk and Pharmaceutical Dosage form. <sup>[7]</sup>	LC	-	C <sub>18</sub> (150 ×4.6 mm, 3.0 μ particles)	-
Determination of Ranolazine in Rat Plasma. <sup>[8]</sup>	LC-MS	Methanol-10 mM Ammonium acetate (76:24)	C <sub>18</sub> column	-
Sensitive quantification of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[9]</sup>	LC-MS-MS	Acetonitrile : Water : Formic acid : 10% n-butyl amine (70:30:0.5:0.08)	Nova-Pak C <sub>18</sub> column	-
Determination of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[10]</sup>	LC-MS-MS	Methanol: water containing formic acid (1.0%) (65:35)	Cyano column (33 ×4.6 mm, 3.0 μ particles)	-
Determination of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[11]</sup>	LC-MS-MS	Methanol: 10 mM Ammonium acetate (60:40, pH 4.0)	Zorbax extend C <sub>18</sub> column	-

Determination of Ranolazine and its Pharmacokinetics in Dog. <sup>[12]</sup>	LC-MS	Acetonitrile 0.05% : Acetic acid (60:40)	Shim pack C <sub>18</sub> 150×20 mm column	-
Estimation of Ranolazine. <sup>[13]</sup>	HPLC	Methanol : 10 mM Ammonium acetate (6:4)	Silica gel G 60 F254	271
Determination of Ranolazine in pure form and pharmaceutical formulation. <sup>[14]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Methanol and water containing 1% formic acid (60:40)	Kromasil C <sub>18</sub> column with 5 µm particle size	273
Estimation of Ranolazine in bulk and its Pharmaceutical Formulations. <sup>[15]</sup>	RP-LC	Potassium dihydrogen phosphate monohydrate buffer (pH 3.0): Methanol: Acetonitrile (400:400:200)	RP-18 ((Make: Waters Corporation; 150 mmx4.6 mm I.D; particle size 3 µ))Column	225
Analytical Method Development and Validation of Ranolazine in Bulk and in Tablet Dosage form. <sup>[16]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Potassium dihydrogen phosphate buffer (pH 3.0): Methanol (400:600)	ODS C <sub>18</sub> (Make: Kromasil Corporation; 250 mm × 4.6 mm I.D.; particle size 5 µm) Column	225
Determination of Ranolazine Hydrochloride in the bulk drug and in pharmaceutical dosage form. <sup>[17]</sup>	LC	Methanol:Water (99:1)	HiQ Sil C-18 H S, (250mm×4.6 mm, 5µm)	273
Analysis of Ranolazine in Tablet dosage form. <sup>[18]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Acetonitrile: Methanol:THF 40:50:10	C <sub>18</sub> column	269
Simultaneous determination of Ranolazine and Dronedarone in	HPLC	0.02N NH <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> buffer at pH 4 and	ODS 3V 250 x 4.6 mm, 5µm	282

bulk and pharmaceutical dosage forms. <sup>[19]</sup>		Acetonitrile in the ratio of 50:50		
Estimation of Ranolazine in Bulk and Marketed Formulation. <sup>[20]</sup>		Methanol and 0.5% Tri Ethyl Amine pH 6 ( 75:25)	Water LC 10 AT Pump	271
Stability Indicating Method Development and Validation of Ranolazine Hydrochloride in Bulk and Tablet Dosage Form. <sup>[21]</sup>	HPTLC	Chloroform : Methanol : Toluene (5 : 1 : 1)	Precoated silica gel aluminium plate 60 F - 254, (20 × 10 cm) with 250 µm thickness	273
Simultaneous Estimation of Metoprolol and Ranolazine and Quantification in Marketed Formulations. <sup>[22]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Methanol: 0.05% and 0. 1% OPA Water (40:60, 50:50 and 45:55)	PRIMESIL (C <sub>18</sub> , 4.6 × 250 mm length, 5µm)	224, 225, 230
Determining Related Substances in Compatibility Studies and Novel Extended Release Formulation for Ranolazine. <sup>[23]</sup>	HPLC	Phosphate buffer pH 7.0 and Methanol in ratio of 350:650	Supelcosil C-18, (250×4.6 mm, 5 µm) column	220
Ranolazine in bulk & marketed formulation. <sup>[24]</sup>	HPLC & UV	Methanol : 0.5% tri ethyl amine pH 6 with orthophosphoric acid (75:25)	-	271
Estimation of Ranolazine HCl in Tablet Dosage Form. <sup>[25]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Buffer : Acetonitrile(60:40), ( pH adjust with trimethylamine)	Inertsil ODS C18	224
Estimation of Ranolazine in Bulk and Tablet Dosage Form. <sup>[26]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Ammonium acetate buffer pH-4 : acetonitrile : methanol(30:50:20)	ODS C <sub>18</sub> column	200

Determining Related Substances in Compatibility Studies in novel Formulation for Ranolazine. <sup>[27]</sup>	HPLC	Phosphate buffer pH 7.0 : Methanol (350:650 v/v)	Supelcosil C <sub>18</sub> column	220
Determination of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[28]</sup>	HPLC	Acetonitrile: 0.1% formic acid(90:10)	Agilent-ZORBAX C <sub>18</sub> column	-
Estimation of Ranolazine in Tablet dosage form. <sup>[29]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Sodium dihydrogen phosphate buffer (pH adjust to 5): Acetonitrile (60:40)	X-terra C <sub>18</sub> column	210
Estimation of Ranolazine in bulk and Pharmaceutical formulation. <sup>[30]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Sodium dihydrogen phosphate buffer pH adjust to 5 : Acetonitrile (60:40)	X-terra RP18 column	225
Determination of Ranolazine drug substance and drug product. <sup>[31]</sup>	RP-UPLC	Monobasic sodium buffer : Acetonitrile	Acquity BEH RP18 column	-
Semi preparative resolution of Ranolazine enantiomers. <sup>[32]</sup>	LC	Methanol	Cellulose tris (3,5dimethyl phenylcarbamate) Chiral stationary phases	-
Estimation of Ranolazine. <sup>[33]</sup>	RP-HPLC	Phosphate buffer pH 3.5 : Acetonitrile 65:35 (v/v)	Agilent Eclipse XDB C18 column	272
Analysis of Ranolazine and Desmethyl Ranolazine. <sup>[34]</sup>	LC-MS/MS	-	Chiralcel ODH Column	-
Estimation of Ranolazine. <sup>[35]</sup>	HPTLC	Methanol : 10 mM Ammonium acetate solution (6:4 V/V)	Aluminium plates precoated with Silica gel G 60 F254	271

Ranolazine HCL in bulk and Tablet dosage form. <sup>[36]</sup>	HPTLC	Chloroform: Methanol : Toluene (5 : 1 : 1 )	Silica gel aluminium plate 60 F – 254	273
Determination of Ranolazine HCL in bulk and dosage form. <sup>[37]</sup>	LC	Methanol : Water (99:1)	HiQ Sil C <sub>18</sub> HS	273
Quantitation of Ranolazine and its three metabolites. <sup>[38]</sup>	LC-MS/Ms	Methanol: 5 mM Ammonium acetate	Gemini C <sub>18</sub> column	-
Quantitation of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[39]</sup>	U- HPLCMS/M S	Acetonitrile : aqueous ammonium acetate solution(40:60, V/V)	BEH C18 column	-
Estimation of Ranolazine in human plasma. <sup>[40]</sup>	LC-MS/MS	Methanol : water containing formic acid (1.0%, v/v) (65:35, v/v)	Peerless Cyano column	-
Method for Ranolazine dihydrochloride and its degradation product. <sup>[41]</sup>	RPHPLC	Methanol : Acetonitrile : Phosphate buffer (pH 3.6,6.3 mM) (4 : 3 : 3, V/V)	C <sub>18</sub> column	220

## DISCUSSION:

The present review explored the efficacy and safety of Ranolazine as well as quality of life in patients with stable angina pectoris using this agent in combination with other drugs in a real world setting. Presented systemic review covers the current analytical method for Determination of Ranolazine, its formulation and biological sample like plasma and serum. HPLC method was found to be most widely used for Ranolazine.

## CONCLUSION:

A simple, rapid, accurate, and precise stability indicating HPLC analytical method to be used frequently for simultaneous qualitative and quantitative determination of Ranolazine. The

present information is useful for the further study and research involved in formulation development and quality control of Ranolazine.

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