

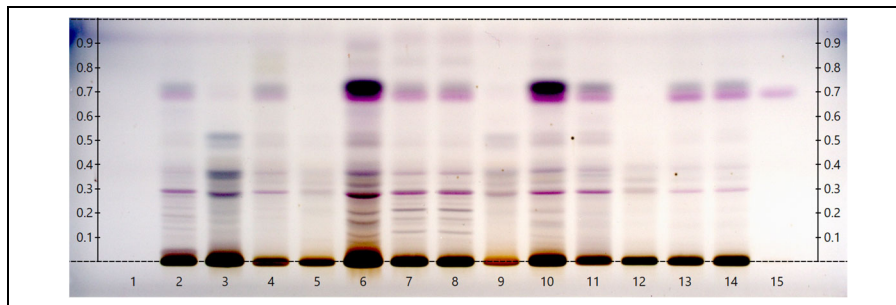
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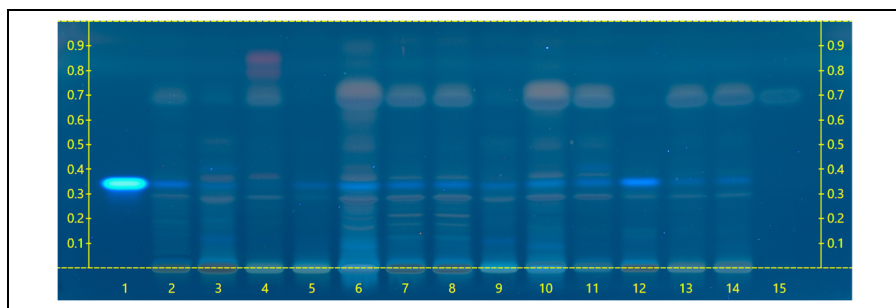
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**Certificate of Analysis: Nettle Root (BNETR17JUL23)**  
High Performance Thin-Layer Chromatography with Photo-Documentation

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**Company Name:** Lost Empire Herbs  
**Title:** Nettle Root  
**Plant Part:** root  
**Appearance:** light brown powder  
**Sample Packaging:** Clear Reclosable Plastic Bag

**Sample Received:** 08/07/23  
**Form of Botanical:** powdered extract  
**Lot Number:** (BNETR17JUL23) → Lane 9(10µl)  
**Sample:** 23219TMJ\_1

**Latin Name:** *Urtica dioica* L. [Urticaceae]  
**Reference Sample:** Lane 2(5µl) (WC31508TLF), Lane 3(5µl) (WC27216AHP2) *Urtica dioica* (leaf); Lane 11(5µl) (WC27216AHP1), Lane 12(5µl) (WC00507PB), Lane 13(5µl) (WC05416NC1), Lane 14(5µl) (WC28918NC1) *Urtica dioica* (root); held at Alkemist Labs, Garden Grove, CA.

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**Sample Preparation:** 0.3g+3mL Methanol, sonicate/heat at 50°C for 30 min.

**Stationary Phase:** Silica gel 60, HPTLC plates

**Mobile Phase:** Toluene: Ethyl Formate: Formic Acid [5/4/1]

**Detection:** (1) Vanillin/Sulfuric, 110°C, 2min, vis (Reich, E., 2007)  
(2) Vanillin/Sulfuric, 110°C, 2min, 366nm (Reich, E., 2007)

**Reference Standard:** Lane 15(3µl) β-Sitosterol (0000120099, SigAl), Methanol (22I2061037, VWR); Lane 1(0.5µl) Scopoletin (YKODK-YA, VWR), Methanol (22L2761003, VWR)

**Reference Source:** Method Developed by Alkemist Labs  
IDT-SOP-72-01

**Comments & Conclusions:** Lane 9 is the test sample Nettle Root (BNETR17JUL23). Lanes 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, are the reference samples used for comparison. This test sample, Nettle Root (BNETR17JUL23) has characteristics of the chromatographic profile of the reference samples of *Urtica dioica*, used above. **This test sample Nettle Root (BNETR17JUL23) indicates the presence of *Urtica dioica* root.**

**NOTE:** The above conclusion may be a function of the natural variance found in botanicals &/or the extraction process used to create specific extracts. The growing and drying conditions, age, seasonal variations, geographic location, extraction solvents, etc. all play a role in the phytochemical fingerprint of botanicals as well as their extracts; hence, chromatographic variations are expected.

Examined, Reviewed & Authorized by: Khanh N Tran, HPTLC, R&D Supervisor, Alkemist Labs

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Note: Any unidentified lanes in the above chromatograms are confidential and may represent internal studies or other test samples not related to BNETR17JUL23.  
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