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Summary
Many different kinds of HPLC columns are now commercially available for the analysis of pharmaceuticals. In this study, the current status of the development and applications of various types of analytical HPLC columns both internationally and in Japan are reviewed, and the issues involved in listing them in the Japanese Pharmacopoeia are discussed.

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High-performance liquid chromatography, Monolithic column, Superficially porous column, Pharmacopoeia