

# **C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>3</sub> hydrocarbons** Analysis of hydrocarbons in air

## **Application Note**

Environmental

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#### Introduction

GC/MS analysis of  $\rm C_2$  to  $\rm C_3$  hydrocarbons in air is achieved in 5.5 minutes with an Agilent CarboBOND column.



### Conditions

Technique	:	GC
Column	:	Agilent CarboBOND, 0.53 mm x 25 m fused silica (df = 10 $\mu$ m) (Part no. CP7374) connected with 0.1 mm x 20 cm methyl deactivated fused silica at inlet
Temperature	:	80 °C (1 min), $\rightarrow$ 300 °C, 25 °C/min
Carrier Gas	:	Helium, 20 kPa
Injector	:	Split, 10:1
Detector	:	MS
Sample Size	:	0.5 mL
Concentration Range	:	standard with approx. 10 ppm impurities
Matrix	:	air

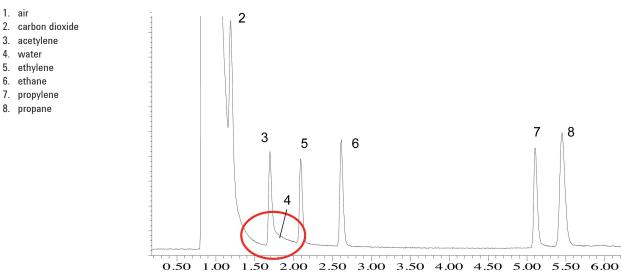
### **Peak identification**

1. air

4. water

6. ethane

8. propane



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