

Table 2
 dn/dc values obtained by SPR (flow gradient) and those found in the literature

Sample	dn/dc (cm ³ /g) ^a ± δ ^b by SPR	dn/dc (cm ³ /g) in literature	Difference ^c (%)
Alanine	0.192 ± 0.001	— ^d	—
BSA	0.190 ± 0.002	0.183 ^e	3.8
CTAB	0.143 ± 0.010	0.150 ^f	4.6
DNA	0.183 ± 0.006	0.180 ^g	1.6
Spermine	0.221 ± 0.005	— ^d	—
Glucose	0.145 ± 0.005	0.142 ^h	2.1
Guanidine	0.220 ± 0.001	— ^d	—
Heparin	0.130 ± 0.008	0.129 ⁱ	0.8
HPS	0.164 ± 0.003	0.162 ^j	1.2
Lactose	0.153 ± 0.003	0.150 ^k	2.0
Maltose	0.152 ± 0.003	0.146 ^l	4.1
PEG 4000	0.128 ± 0.002	0.134 ^m	4.5
PEG 6000	0.131 ± 0.001	0.134 ⁿ	2.2
PVP	0.166 ± 0.005	0.175 ^o	5.1
SDS	0.110 ± 0.007	0.108 ^p	2.6
Tartaric acid	0.127 ± 0.002	0.120 ^q	5.8
Urea	0.143 ± 0.001	0.143 ^r	0.0

^a Water, $\lambda=840$ nm, $T=23$ °C.

^b Standard deviations obtained with three independent measurements.

^c Percentage difference between dn/dc values obtained by SPR and those obtained in the literature.

^d dn/dc not available.

^e Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=25$ °C [1].

^f Water, $\lambda=632.8$ nm [24].

^g 0.2 M NaCl, $\lambda=436$ nm, $T=25$ °C [1].

^h Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [26].

ⁱ Dalteparin sodium, a low-molecular weight heparin, in buffer (pH 7), $\lambda=690$ nm, $T=25$ °C [25].

^j $\lambda=632.8$ nm, $T=25$ °C [11].

^k Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [26].

^l Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [26].

^m Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=25$ °C [1].

ⁿ Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [1].

^o Water, $\lambda=578$ nm, $T=25$ °C [1].

^p Buffer PBS [20].

^q Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [26].

^r Water, $\lambda=589.3$ nm, $T=20$ °C [26].