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To comment at length on the importance of the benzodiazepines seems superfluous within the scope of this preface. No other class of active substances has experienced an even approximately compaable range of use in the past two decades. It is therefore not surprising that the formerly dominant barbiturates and bromobenzodiazepines have had to give way in many fields to the benzodiazepines, which now rank first (Proudfit and Park [1828]). Closely linked with the great therapeutic importance of the benzodiazepine substances are a number of analytical and pharmacological problems. Detection and the determination of blood levels can be necessary under therapeutic aspects, for instance in order to adjust optimally effective levels in the treatment of epileptic conditions (“drug monitoring”), or in connection with the issue of toxicology and medicine. A chemical analysis can be subdivided into the following steps: Detection (identification including screening), Determination (ie. blood, plasma, body levels) Interpretation of the analytical results. This book is intended as a contribution to each of these chapters. The part “Analytical Data” (pp.1-122) gives a comprehensive collection of data, e.g. general and chromatographic data (TLC, GLC) as well as spectra (UV, IR, MS) of 19 commercial preparations, 23 important metabolites and 18 derivative substances. Information about biotransformation and the possible formation of metabolites and phenomena derivatives is also given. The most important analytical methods are presented in an extensive review on pp.123-204 in order to make it possible to select the optimum method on the basis of the essential data.

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