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## ABBREVIATIONS

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|---|---|
| DAD | Diode Array Detector |
| Fig | Figure |
| g | gram |
| h | hour |
| HPLC | High Performance Liquid Chromatography |
| l | liter |
| $LD_{50}$ | Lethal Dose |
| LOD | Limit of Detection |
| LOQ | Limit of Quantitation |
| *M.* | *Monascus* |
| min | minute |
| ml | milliliter |
| mm | millimeter |
| MSD | Mass Spectrometer Detector |
| nm | nanometer |
| ppm | part per million |
| $R^2$ | coefficient of determination |
| rpm | rotation per minute |
| RSD | Relative Standard Deviation |
| SD | Standard Deviation |
| SSF | Solid-State Fermentation |
| µl | microliter |
| v | volume |