

Recommendations.—The author believes, as advocated by E. Meyers (56), that "a rubber closure should be selected on the basis of experiments made with it and the solution to be packaged in contact with the closure." Candidate materials for this type of selective test can be suggested by the closure manufacturer if the nature of the solution composition is made known and if the most important performance requirements are identified.

Once a particular closure formulation is found satisfactory, it is recommended that the pharmaceutical purchaser and the closure supplier construct a mutually acceptable specification. Subsequent shipments of the closures will be checked against the specification requirements and certified by the manufacturer as meeting the specification. The purchaser may select certain tests from the specification for use as quality control checks. This type of cooperation between supplier and consumer should result in considerable improvement over present conditions.

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ERRATA

In the article titled "One-Phase Solvent Systems for Paper Chromatography. Mixtures of *n*-Butanol, Acetic Acid, and Water" (1), the following corrections should be made in the symbols appearing in Fig. 1 on page 795:

1. P_l and B_l should be read for P_t and B_t , respectively.
2. The above terms and B_u , P_u , and M_u refer to the nearest points marked \square .

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