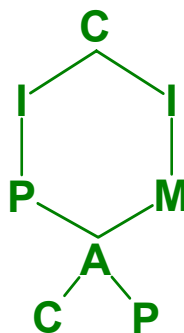


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649. acetamiprid (1)

Dear Member,

This is to inform you that JAPAC is planning to organize a collaborative trial on a method for acetamiprid.

Principle: The content of acetamiprid is determined by high performance liquid chromatography on a reversed phase column (C18) using acetonitrile + water + 10% phosphoric acid solution as mobile phase, UV detection at 246 nm and coumarin as internal standard.

Scope: It is intended to analyze five samples consisting of a technical, a wettable powder, a water soluble powder, a water soluble granule and a soluble concentrate. Acetamiprid analytical standard will be supplied.

Time schedule: The collaborative trial is intended to be carried out during December 2003 - February 2004.

Those who wish to participate should contact the organizer by 30 September 2003.
Participants who perform the trial together with acetamiprid (2) would be welcomed.

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