

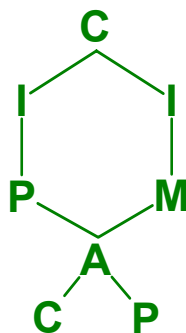
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716. rimsulfuron

This is to inform you that DuPont is planning to organize a collaborative trial on a method for rimsulfuron.

Principle. The rimsulfuron content is determined by reversed-phase HPLC using a 25 cm x 4.6 mm i.d Whatman Partisil C-8 column, 5 µm particle size (or equivalent) with mobile phase composed of pH 3.0 water and acetonitrile and UV detection at 254 nm. Quantification is done by internal standardization with phenyl sulfone as internal standard.

Scope. It is intended to analyze five samples consisting of two technicals and three lots of different 25 % WG (paste extruded) formulations. Samples, rimsulfuron analytical standard and the internal standard will be supplied.

Time schedule. The collaborative trial is intended to be carried out during November 2004 - January 2005 (shipment October 2004).

Those who wish to participate should contact the organizer by 15th October, 2004.

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