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1 Scope

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These methods are not quantitative for the very volatile compounds such as naphthalene, acenaphthene and fluorene. Due to interferences provided by the matrix itself, palm oil and olive pomace oil cannot be analysed using this method.

The quantification limit is 0,2 µg/kg for almost all compounds analysed, except for fluoranthene and benzo(*g,h,i*)perylene where the quantification limit is 0,3 µg/kg, and indeno(1,2,3-*c,d*)pyrene where the quantification limit is 1 µg/kg.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 661, *Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Preparation of test sample*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon

PAH

compound that contains two or more condensed (fused) aromatic hydrocarbon rings and the content of which can be determined according to the method specified in this International Standard

NOTE 1 The content is given in micrograms per kilogram.

NOTE 2 In general PAHs are divided into light PAHs with two to four aromatic rings, and heavy PAHs with five or more aromatic rings.

EXAMPLES

Light PAHs include:

naphthalene (CAS RN [91-20-3]), acenaphthene (CAS RN [83-32-9]), acenaphthylene (CAS RN [208-96-8]), fluorene (CAS RN [86-73-7]), anthracene (CAS RN [120-12-7]), phenanthrene (CAS RN [85-01-8]), fluoranthene (CAS RN [206-44-0]), chrysene (CAS RN [218-01-9]), benz(*a*)anthracene (CAS RN [56-55-3]), pyrene (CAS RN [129-00-0]).