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Wasserbeschaffenheit - Bestimmung des Index von methylenblau-aktiven Substanzen (MBAS) - Verfahren mittels kontinuierlicher Durchflussanalyse (CFA) (ISO 16265:2009)

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## Introduction

Methods using flow analysis automate wet chemical procedures and are particularly suitable for the processing of many analytes in water in large numbers of samples at a high analysis frequency (up to 100 samples per hour).

A differentiation is made between flow injection analysis (FIA) [1], [2] and continuous flow analysis (CFA) [3]. Both methods share the feature of an automatic dosage of the sample into a flow system (manifold) where the analytes in the sample react with the reagent solutions on their way through the manifold. The sample preparation may be integrated in the manifold. The reaction product is measured in a flow detector (e.g. a photometer). The detector produces a signal from which the concentration of the parameter is calculated.

The MBAS (methylene blue active substances) index is an analytical convention (a method-defined parameter) used for water quality control purposes. It measures surfactants and other substances that react with methylene blue under specified conditions.

The user should be aware that particular problems could require the specification of additional conditions.

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