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Introduction

This International Standard describes the miniaturized solid contact assay with *Arthrobacter globiformis* that allows the preliminary assessment of solid material (i.e. soil and waste materials) within 6 h. The principle of the assay relies on dehydrogenase activity inhibition of an added test organism, caused by bioavailable toxic substances in soil and waste samples. This is an ecologically relevant assay as far as it uses a ubiquitous soil bacteria species with high affinity to surfaces^{[16][6]} which dehydrogenases are involved in different biological mechanisms withstanding bacteria integrity (e.g. respiratory chains). Moreover, it has been noticed that this parameter (dehydrogenase activity inhibition) is quite sensitive to different toxic substances.^{[19][10][14][15]}

Overall, this assay is non-labour-intensive, rapid, cost-effective and sensitive, providing results that improve the physical and chemical assessment of natural samples while allowing a quick indication of their biological effects.

The miniaturized solid contact assay is based on the solid contact assay established by Reference [7].

This International Standard is also based on Reference [23].

The results of an interlaboratory trial towards the evaluation of test variability to assess different waste and soil samples, as well as chemicals, are presented in [Annex A](#).

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