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### Foreword

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## Introduction

When applying this document, all existing safety regulations have to be followed.

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# Coffee and coffee products — Determination of acrylamide — Methods using HPLC-MS/MS and GC-MS after derivatization

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## 1 Scope

This document specifies methods for the determination of acrylamide in coffee and coffee products by extraction with water, clean-up by solid-phase extraction and determination by HPLC-MS/MS and GC-MS. It was validated in a method validation study on roasted coffee, soluble coffee, coffee substitutes and coffee products with ranges from 53 µg/kg to 612,1 µg/kg.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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 3696, *Water for analytical laboratory use — Specification and test methods*

## 3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

## 4 Principle

The coffee sample is extracted with water or, in the case of soluble products, dissolved in water. A clean-up by solid phase extraction is employed to remove interfering matrix compounds. Two alternative methods can be used for the determination: high-performance liquid chromatography with mass spectrometric detection (HPLC-MS/MS) or, after a bromination of the acrylamide, gas chromatography with mass spectrometric detection (GC-MS). In both cases, isotopic labelled internal standard solutions are used.

## 5 Reagents

**WARNING** — In view of health risks when working with acrylamide, appropriate preventive and protection measures shall be taken, such as using a fume cupboard, aspirating acrylamide-containing solutions only with a pipette, and avoiding skin and eye contact or inhalation of acrylamide-containing vapour.

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If available, reagents of “residue analysis grade” or “analytical reagent grade” shall be used. The level of impurities in the reagents that contribute to the blank should be negligibly small. The blank shall be checked regularly.

**5.1 Water**, of grade 1 according to ISO 3696, MS-grade is recommended.

**5.2 Operating gases of high purity**, suitable for GC and mass spectrometry according to the instructions of the manufacturer of the apparatus.

**5.3 Solvents**, such as methanol, ethyl acetate, acetonitrile, n-hexane, MS-grade is recommended.

**5.4 Acrylamide**,  $C_3H_5NO$ , purity >98 %, reference substance.

**5.4.1 Acrylamide stock solution**, mass concentration  $\rho = 1\,000\ \mu\text{g/ml}$ .

Weigh  $(0,10 \pm 0,001)$  g of acrylamide into a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask and swirl it in 30 ml of water in order to dissolve the acrylamide. Fill up to the mark with water and mix well. The stock solution is stable for at least 3 months when stored protected from light at a maximum of 6 °C.

Alternatively, a commercially available solution with a mass concentration of  $\rho = 1\,000\ \mu\text{g/ml}$  may be used. The information of the manufacturer regarding the stability of the solution shall be observed.

**5.4.2 Acrylamide calibration solution**,  $\rho = 10\ \mu\text{g/ml}$ .

Using a pipette, transfer  $(1,0 \pm 0,001)$  ml of the acrylamide stock solution (5.4.1) into a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask and fill up to the mark with water. This solution shall be stored protected from light at a maximum of 6 °C and shall be freshly prepared every working day. Depending on the working range, more dilution steps might be necessary.

**5.5 D3-acrylamide (acrylamide-2,3,3-d3) internal standard solution**,  $C_3H_2D_3NO$ , purity >98 %, reference substance.

**5.5.1 D3-acrylamide stock solution (internal standard solution).**

Weigh  $(0,10 \pm 0,001)$  g of D3-acrylamide into a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask and swirl it in 30 ml of water in order to dissolve the D3-acrylamide. Fill up to the mark with water and mix well. The stock solution is stable for at least 3 months when stored protected from light at a maximum of 6 °C.

Alternatively, a commercially available solution with a mass concentration of  $\rho = 1\,000\ \mu\text{g/ml}$  may be used. The information of the manufacturer regarding the stability of the solution shall be observed.

**5.5.2 D3-acrylamide internal standard solution.**

Using a pipette, transfer  $(1,0 \pm 0,001)$  ml of the D3-acrylamide stock solution (5.5.1) into a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask and fill up to the mark with water. This solution shall be stored protected from light at a maximum of 6 °C and shall be freshly prepared every working day. Depending on the working range, more dilution steps might be necessary.

**NOTE 1** For HPLC-MS/MS, the solutions according to 5.4.1 to 5.5.2 can be prepared using the HPLC eluent as a solvent. The stability of these solutions depends on the mobile phase used and has to be validated.

When using GC-MS, all standard solutions according to 5.4.2 and 5.5.2 shall be subjected to the derivatization step according to 8.5.1.

**NOTE 2** Instead of D3-acrylamide, it is also possible to use  $^{13}C_3$  acrylamide for the preparation of the internal standard solution. However, in the following clauses, the procedure and calculation are described for D3-acrylamide only.

## 5.6 Saturated bromine water.

Saturate distilled water with bromine in a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask (with a glass stopper) until a phase of bromine is formed at the bottom of the flask (around 3,5 % of bromine at 4 °C). Acidify the bromine water to a pH of about 1 using concentrated hydrobromic acid, (HBr, with a specific gravity of 1,48 g/cm<sup>3</sup>).

If stored at 4 °C and protected from light, the solution can be used for about 4 weeks.

## 5.7 Potassium bromide, KBr.

## 5.8 Sodium thiosulfate (pentahydrate), Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> · 5 H<sub>2</sub>O.

## 5.9 Triethylamine, (C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>)<sub>3</sub>N.

## 5.10 Sodium sulfate (anhydrous, granular), Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.

## 5.11 Carrez solution I.

Dissolve 10,6 g of potassium hexacyanoferrate trihydrate (II) K<sub>4</sub>[Fe(CN)<sub>6</sub>] · 3 H<sub>2</sub>O in 100 ml of water. If stored at 4 °C and protected from light, the solution is stable for 6 months.

## 5.12 Carrez solution II.

Dissolve 21,9 g of zinc acetate dihydrate Zn(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub> · 2 H<sub>2</sub>O in 100 ml of water. If stored at 4 °C and protected from light, the solution is stable for 6 months.

## 5.13 Borate buffer, pH 8,6.

Mix 68 ml of a 0,1 molar sodium borate solution (20,12 g Na<sub>2</sub>B<sub>4</sub>O<sub>7</sub> per litre of water) and 32 ml of 0,1 molar hydrochloric acid, c(HCl) = 0,1 mol/l, in a 100 ml one-mark volumetric flask.

# 6 Apparatus

Usual laboratory apparatus and, in particular, apparatus according to [6.1](#) to [6.14](#) are required.

Apparatus and parts of the apparatus which come into contact with the sample and extract shall be free of residues which can cause blank values. Preferably glassware or equipment made of stainless steel or PTFE (polytetrafluoroethylene) shall be used.

## 6.1 Analytical balance, capable of weighing to an accuracy of 0,1 mg.

## 6.2 Coffee mill, suitable for grinding roasted coffee beans.

## 6.3 Glassware, for collecting and storing the extracts, preferably made of amber glass, as sample vials for manual or automatic use, equipped with an inert seal (e.g. vials with PTFE coated septum).

## 6.4 Ultrasonic bath, capable of being maintained at 40 °C.

## 6.5 Laboratory centrifuge, suitable for 15 ml and 50 ml centrifugal tubes and with a minimum *g*-force of 2 000 *g*.

## 6.6 Centrifuge tubes, of 15 ml and 50 ml.

## 6.7 One-mark volumetric flask, of 20 ml and 100 ml.