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Growing media - Methods for the determination of the electrical conductivity, pH, dry matter, quantity, total copper and zinc content, water soluble chloride content, and CaCl₂/DTPA extractable nitrogen, P₂O₅ and K₂O content

Supports de culture - Méthodes pour la détermination de la conductivité électrique, du pH, de la matière sèche, de la quantité, de la teneur totale en cuivre et en zinc, de la teneur en chlorure soluble dans l'eau et de la teneur en azote, en P₂O₅ et en K₂O extractibles par CaCl₂/DTPA

Kultursubstrate - Verfahren zur Bestimmung der elektrischen Leitfähigkeit, des pH-Werts, der Trockensubstanz, der Menge, des Gesamtkupfer- und zinkgehalts, des Gehalts an wasserlöslichem Chlorid und des Gehalts an mit CaCl₂/DTPA extrahierbarem Stickstoff, P₂O₅ und K₂O

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- The title has been revised;
- The quantity requirements have been added in the Introduction;
- An applicability statement has been included in the Scope;
- Clause 2, Normative references, has been updated;
- Annex ZA has been added.

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