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**Flow chart for estimation of Endosulfan content in formulation sample**

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| **Date of Analysis** |  |

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| **Sl No.** | **Step** | | **Execution** | **Executed**  **By** |
|  | Sample No. | |  |  |
|  | Name of Sample | |  |  |
|  | **Procedure** | | | |
| 3.1.1 | Weigh accurately equivalent to 0.5 g of sample in  500 ml round Flask | g |  |
| 3.1.2 | Add 100 ml methanol |  |  |
| 3.1.3 | Add 1.5 g (15-16) pellets of NaOH and boiling chips,  connect the flask for reflux |  |  |
| 3.1.4 | Boil it for 2 hrs and then cool to room temperature |  |  |
| 3.1.5 | Wash the condenser with 20 ml methanol and 50 ml distilled water. And then remove flask |  |  |
| 3.1.6 | Add 25 ml standard potassium iodate solution (0.025 M) |  |  |
| 3.1.7 | Add 20 ml (10 %) potassium iodide (KI) solution |  |  |
| 3.1.8 | Add 25 ml of (5 N) sulphuric acid and keep the flask in cold water |  |  |
| 3.1.9 | Titrate the liberated iodine against sodium thiosulphate solution to pale yellow colour. Add 1 ml of starch indicator solution (1%), and continue titration |  |  |
| 3.1.10 | End point will be blue to colorless |  |  |
| 3.1.11 | Note the volume of sodium thiosulphate consumed | ml |  |
|  | **Preparation of Blank** | |  |  |
|  | 4.1.1 | Pipette out 25 ml standard potassium iodate (KIO3) solution in 500 ml conical flask |  |  |
| 4.1.2 | Add 20 ml (10%) potassium iodide (KI) solution |  |  |
| 4.1.3 | Add 25 ml of (5 N) sulphuric acid; the flask should keep in water bath. |  |  |
| 4.1.4 | Titrate the liberated iodine immediately against sodium thiosulphate solution to pale yellow colour. Add 1 ml of starch indicator solution (1%), and continue titration |  |  |
| 4.1.5 | End point will be blue to colorless |  |  |
| 4.1.6 | Note the volume of sodium thiosulphate consumed | ml |  |

**5. Calculation:**

20.35 x t x n

Endosulfan content, % by mass = -----------------------

M

**Where,**

t = (V1 – V2) ml

V1 = Volume of standard sodium thiosulphate solution consumed by blank

V2 = Volume of standard sodium thiosulphate solution consumed by sample

M = Mass in ‘g’ of sample taken for test

n = Normality of sodium thiosulphate solution

20.35 = factor for endosulfan

**Result:**

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| **Sl .No.** | **Name of test** | **Result** | **Unit** | **Method of Analysis** |
| 1. | Active ingredient |  | % | Volumetric Analysis (IS- 4344 : 1978) |
| Remark / Reference : | | | | |

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