

## PRODUCT CODE

## ORGANIC PESTICIDAL BP8 – LIQUID (ACCON)

Composition	Ingredient	Liquid
	Eugenol	00.50% w/v min.
	Potassium Salt of fatty acids	99.50% w/v max.

### Target

Mites, Mealy Bugs, White flies, Scale insects, Thrips and other soft-bodied and sucking pests

### Mode of Action

Eugenol being lipophilic in nature, interferes with basic metabolic, biochemical and physiological and behavioural functions of insects. It also acts as fumigant and as feeding deterrent. Different modes of action including repellency and antifeedant activities, disruption of molting and cuticle, retardation of growth and fecundity, inhibition of oviposition and disruption of embryonic development are associated with Eugenol's action as pesticide. Apart from the direct toxicity, exposure of females to the vapours leads in lower fecundity and egg hatchability. Eugenol also exhibits neurotoxic mode of action including agitation, hyperactivity, paralysis of the pests by affecting acetylcholinesterase activity or octopamine receptors. On inhalation, Eugenol penetrates through breathing and quickly intervenes in physiological functions of insect.

### How to Apply

Mix the recommended quantity thoroughly in sufficient amount of water & spray on both sides of the leaves / affected areas.

### Shelf Life

3 years from the date of manufacture.

### Antidote

No specific antidote. Treat symptomatically.

### Dosage

5-8 ml per litre of water

## Studies Done Bio-efficacy

Product	University	Disease Studied
BP8 Liquid	GKVK, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore	Crop: Cotton Tetranychidae Mites
BP8 Liquid	University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad	Crop: Paddy Blue Beetle Leaf Folder White Backed Plant Hopper Phytotoxicity
BP8 (Accon) Liquid	Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri	Crop: Chilli Thrips Phytotoxicity

### Non-toxicity & Biodegradation

National Toxicology Centre, Pune

### Free from Pesticides

Reliable Analytical Lab., Mumbai

### Organic Approval as per NPOP (by APEDA)

1. IMO Control
2. VOCA



**DETERMINATION OF EUGENOL**

**Determine by gas chromatography (2.4.14). Reference: IP 2007 p: 1395**

Test solution (a). A 0.2 per cent w/v solution of the oil under examination in ethanol (95 per cent).

Test solution (b). A 0.2 per cent w/v solution of the oil under examination and 0.15 w/v of 1-decanol (internal standard) in ethanol (95 per cent).

Reference solution. A solution containing 0.2 per cent w/v solution of eugenol RS and 0.15 per cent w/v of the internal standard in ethanol (95 per cent).

**Chromatographic system**

– a glass column 1.5 m x 4 mm, packed with 3 per cent w/w of dimethyl silicone fluid on acid-washed diatomaceous support (120 mesh),

– temperature:

column. 110° for 18 minutes, then increased to 170° at a rate of 12° per minute and maintained at this temperature for 2 minutes, inlet port. 220°, detector. 300°,

– flow rate 40 ml per minute of the carrier gas.

Calculate the eugenol content in the oil under examination using the ratios of the area of the peak corresponding to eugenol to the area of the peak due to the internal standard in the chromatogram obtained with test solutions (b) and the reference solution.

## DETERMINATION OF TOTAL FATTY MATTER (AS PER IS 286: METHODS OF SAMPLING AND TEST FOR SOAPS )

General — The soap split by dilute sulphuric acid is extracted by ethyl ether as in the determination of combined alkali and the ether extract evaporated. The residue is treated with acetone, evaporated and estimated.

### Reagents:

Dilute Sulphuric Acid — 1 : 1 ( v/v ).

Methyl Orange Indicator — Dissolve 0.1 g in 100 ml of water.

Sodium Chloride Solution — saturated.

Ethyl Ether — See IS : 336-1973\*.

Acetone — pure (see IS : 170-1966† ).

### Procedure:

Accurately weigh 5 to 10 g of the sample, and dissolve in 250-ml conical flask by warming [Specification for ether (second revision). 22 IS : 286 – 1978] in 100 ml of water. When dissolution is complete, add dilute sulphuric acid in slight excess (as judged by methyl orange indicator), insert a small funnel into the neck of the flask, and heat the flask to a temperature not exceeding 60°C until the fatty acids separate as a clear layer. Add 50 ml of sodium chloride solution and cool. Transfer quantitatively to a separating funnel, draw off the aqueous acid layer into a second separating funnel and shake it with three 50-ml portions of ethyl ether. Dissolve the fatty acids in the ether used for washing the aqueous liquid and extract with 10-ml portions of water until the extracts are no longer acidic to methyl orange indicator. Mix the water portions used for washing and shake with 20 ml of ether. Wash this ether until the wash water is neutral to methyl orange indicator.

Distil off the ether slowly on a steam-bath, and, to the residue, add 5 ml of acetone. (In order to minimize the risk of loss during distillation, the flask should not be more than half full of ether at any stage.) Warm the flask on the steam-bath for about one minute, remove it from the bath and then, while imparting a rotatory motion to the flask hold it at an angle of 45°, direct a current of dry air into its mouth for about one minute, thereby removing the bulk of acetone. Place the flask in a steam-oven at about 90°C for 10 minutes, remove it from the oven and blow with air as before for about 15 seconds. Allow the flask to cool and weigh. Return the flask to the steam-oven for another 10 minutes and blow for 15 seconds. Allow to cool and reweigh. Repeat the process until the difference between two consecutive weighings is less than 0.005 g.

$$\text{Total fatty matter, percent by mass} = 100 \times \frac{M1}{M2}$$

Where

M1 = mass in g of the fatty matter, and

M2 = mass in g of the material taken for the test.

## DETERMINATION OF TOTAL SOLIDS

### Scope and Application

Total Solids are defined as the material residue left in a vessel, after evaporation of moisture from a sample.

### Equipment and Supplies

1. Petri dish or suitable moisture dish.
2. Drying oven equipped with thermostatic control capable of maintaining temperature within 20C range
3. Desiccator - with desiccant
4. Analytical balance - capable of weighing to 0.1 mg

### Preparation

Petri dish / Moisture dish Preparation: Place prenumbered dishes into a 180°C drying oven and dry for five days to a constant weight.

Transfer dried dishes to desiccator(s) and allow to stabilize overnight.

Record dish numbers to be used on the Data Summary and Weight Record data sheets.

### Method of Analysis:

1. Tare the balance to zero.
2. Weigh clean, dry, empty dish.
3. Record weight on the Weight Record data sheet.
4. Add approximately 5 gm or 5 ml of sample to the dish and record the exact weight.
5. Place the petri dishes with sample in a hot air oven preset at 110OC.
6. Allow the sample to dry for 3 - 4 hours till uniform dryness.
7. Take out the petri dish with dried sample and place in a desiccator and allow to cool.
8. Weight the dish and record the weight.
9. Determine the TS content of liquid samples or TS content of solid samples by using following formula:

$$\text{TOTAL SOLIDS} = \frac{W3 - W1}{W2 - W1} \times 100 \%$$

Where, W1 = Weight of empty dish

W2 = Weight of dish + sample

W3 = Weight of dish + dried sample

10. Express the results as % TS

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