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Reference Material Data Sheet

RT9 DAC Ground Dark Air-cured Tobacco

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Description of Material	Ground raw tobacco
Lot/Batch Number	RT9 DAC Ground Dark Air-cured Tobacco
Matrix	Single-variety tobacco
Major starting materials	Dark air-cured tobacco

Notes

- 1. Reference values listed below reflect analysis results submitted by a single laboratory using a single method satisfying Clause 5.15 of ISO Guide 34:2009 and statistically evaluated using Approach A in Clause 10.5 of ISO Guide 35:2006.
- 2. The "Reference Uncertainty" listed herein are expanded uncertainties obtained by multiplying the combined standard uncertainty by a constant coverage factor of 3, i.e. *k* = 3.
- 3. The reference values listed herein are reflective of chemical analysis done on an "as is" basis, i.e. the samples were not dried prior to analysis.

RT9 DAC Ground Dark Air-cured Tobacco Reference Values and Uncertainties

Reference Values and Uncertainties							
Parameter	Reference Value	Reference Uncertainty	Unit	Number of accepted data points	Constant Coverage factor		
Nicotine	44281	1181	μg/g	34	3		
Nornicotine	805	219	μg/g	34	3		
Anabasine	172	44	μg/g	34	3		
Anatabine	1150	271	μg/g	34	3		
NNN	3.50	1.00	μg/g	34	3		
NAT	3.94	0.50	μg/g	34	3		
NAB	0.21	0.02	μg/g	34	3		
NNK	1.92	0.37	μg/g	34	3		
Moisture	12.6	0.3	%	31	3		

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CORRECT USE:

The reference material should be stored in the original packaging or in airtight containers just large enough to contain the sample in a cool dry place (4 °C) upon receipt. If the reference material will not be used within 1 week, it is recommended that the reference material be stored at, or below, -20°C until needed. Allow the reference materials to thaw and equilibrate in the refrigerator (4 °C) for 24 hours and then at least 1 hour at ambient conditions prior to using.

HAZARD INFORMATION: N/A

HOMOGENEITY: Homogeneity of this material is reflected in the expanded uncertainties disclosed herein.

APPROVING PERSONNEL: This material is approved by Huihua Ji, C. Ruth McNees and Ling Yuan on behalf of CTRP.