

New and Advanced Analytical Developments in Oil Processing

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⑤ The use of standard methods for the quality assessment of oils and fats helps suppliers and users to find a common base for discussions.



Standard Methods

**Standard methods are used
to measure quality criteria:**

- ④ applied worldwide
- ④ tested by collaborative study
- ④ generally accepted by authorities



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Crude Palm Kernel Oil



RBD Palm Kernel Oil



Crude Palm Kernel Olein



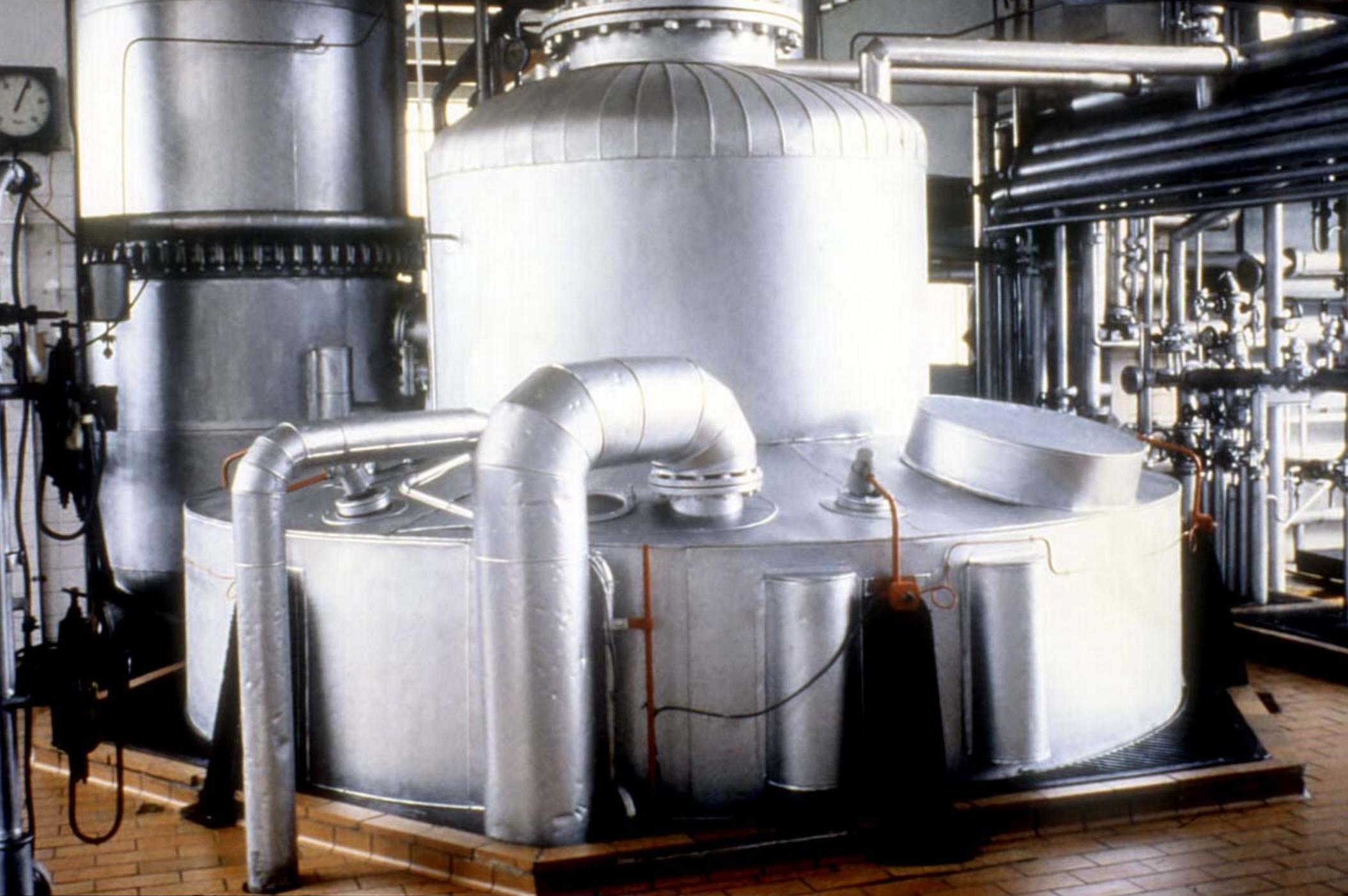
RBD Palm Kernel Olein



Crude Palm Kernel Stearin



RBD Palm Kernel Stearin



Characteristics of Olive Oil Types

| | Acidity (%) | Peroxide value (mEq O ₂ /kg) | Waxes (mg/kg) | Saturated acids in 2-position of the triglyceride (%) | Stigmasta-dienes (mg/kg) ⁽¹⁾ | Difference between HPCL and theoretical ECN42 | Organoleptic assessment Median of defects (Md) |
|--|-------------|---|----------------------|---|---|---|--|
| 1. Extra virgin olive oil | ≤ 0.8 | ≤ 20 | ≤ 250 | ≤ 1.5 | ≤ 0.15 | ≤ 0.2 | Md = 0 |
| 2. Virgin olive oil | ≤ 2.0 | ≤ 20 | ≤ 250 | ≤ 1.5 | ≤ 0.15 | ≤ 0.2 | Md ≤ 2.5 |
| 3. Lampante olive oil | > 2.0 | - | ≤ 300 ⁽³⁾ | ≤ 1.5 | > 0.50 | ≤ 0.3 | Md > 2.5 ⁽²⁾ |
| 4. Refined olive oil | ≤ 0.3 | ≤ 5 | ≤ 350 | ≤ 1.8 | - | ≤ 0.3 | - |
| 5. Blended olive oil composed of refined & virgin olive oils | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 15 | ≤ 350 | ≤ 1.8 | - | ≤ 0.3 | - |
| 6. Crude olive-pomace oil | - | - | > 350 ⁽⁴⁾ | ≤ 2.2 | - | ≤ 0.6 | - |
| 7. Refined olive-pomace oil | ≤ 0.3 | ≤ 5 | > 350 | ≤ 2.2 | - | ≤ 0.5 | - |
| 8. Olive-pomace oil | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 15 | > 350 | ≤ 2.2 | - | ≤ 0.5 | - |

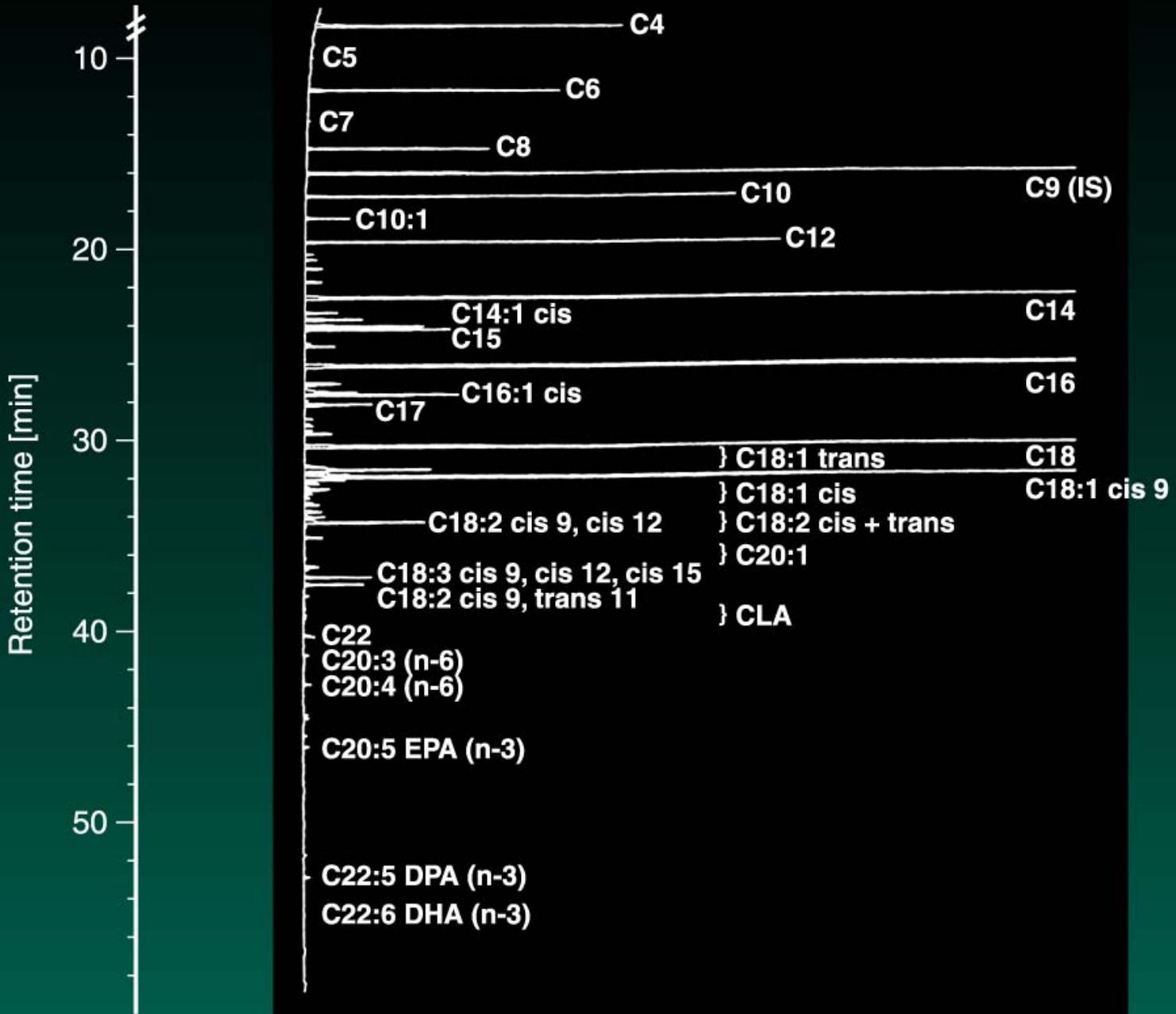
(1) Sum of isomers that could (or could not) be separated by capillary column.

(2) Or if the median of defects is ≤ 2.5 and the median of fruity is 0.

(3) Oils with a wax content of between 300 and 350 mg/kg are considered to be lampante olive oil if the total aliphatic alcohol content is ≤ 350 mg/kg or if the erythrodiol and uvaol content is ≤ 3.5 %.

(4) Oils with a wax content between 300 and 350 mg/kg are considered to be crude olive-pomace oil if the total aliphatic alcohol content is > 350 mg/kg and if the erythrodiol and uvaol content is > 3.5 %.





Fatty Acids⁽¹⁾ (%)

| | | Peanut |
|--|--|--------|
| Butyric (<i>Butanoic</i>) | C ₄ H ₈ O ₂ | |
| Caproic (<i>Haxanoic</i>) | C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₂ | |
| Caprylic (<i>Octanoic</i>) | C ₈ H ₁₆ O ₂ | |
| Capric (<i>Decanoic</i>) | C ₁₀ H ₂₀ O ₂ | |
| Lauric (<i>Dodecanoic</i>) | C ₁₂ H ₂₄ O ₂ | |
| Lauroleic (<i>cis-9-Dodecenoic</i>) | C ₁₂ H ₂₂ O ₂ | |
| Myristic (<i>Tetradecanoic</i>) | C ₁₄ H ₂₈ O ₂ | x |
| Myristoleic (<i>cis-9-Tetradecenoic</i>) | C ₁₄ H ₂₆ O ₂ | |
| Palmitic (<i>Hexadecanoic</i>) | C ₁₆ H ₃₂ O ₂ | 6 |
| Palmitoleic (<i>cis-9-Hexadecenoic</i>) | C ₁₆ H ₃₀ O ₂ | x |



Fatty Acids⁽²⁾ (%)

Peanut

| | | |
|--|-------------------|----|
| Stearic (<i>Octadecanoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{36}O_2$ | 5 |
| Oleic (<i>cis-9-Octadecenoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{34}O_2$ | 61 |
| Ricinoleic (<i>12-Hydroxy-cis-9-Octadecenoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{34}O_3$ | |
| Linoleic (<i>cis-9, cis-12-Octadecadienoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{32}O_2$ | 22 |
| Linolenic (<i>cis-9, cis-12, cis-15-Octadecatrienoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{30}O_2$ | X |
| Eleostearic (<i>cis-9, trans-11, trans-13-Octadecatrienoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{30}O_2$ | |
| Licanic (<i>4-Keto-9, 11, 13-Octadecatrienoic</i>) | $C_{18}H_{28}O_3$ | |



Fatty Acids⁽³⁾ (%)

Peanut

| | | |
|--|-------------------|---|
| Arachidic (<i>Eicosanoic</i>) | $C_{20}H_{40}O_2$ | 2 |
| Gadoleic (<i>cis-9-Eicosenoic</i>) | $C_{20}H_{38}O_2$ | |
| Arachidonate (<i>5, 8, 11, 14-Eicosatetraenoic</i>) | $C_{20}H_{32}O_2$ | |
| Behenic (<i>Docosanoic</i>) | $C_{22}H_{44}O_2$ | 3 |
| Erucic (<i>cis-13-Docosenoic</i>) | $C_{22}H_{42}O_2$ | |
| Clupanodonic (<i>4, 8, 12, 15, 19-Docosapentaenoic</i>) | $C_{22}H_{36}O_2$ | |
| Lignoceric (<i>Tetracosanoic</i>) | $C_{24}H_{48}O_2$ | 1 |
| Nisinic (<i>4, 8, 12, 15, 18, 21-Tetracosahexaenoic</i>) | $C_{24}H_{38}O_2$ | |
| Cerotic (<i>Hexacosanoic</i>) | $C_{26}H_{52}O_2$ | |
| Montanic (<i>Octacosanoic</i>) | $C_nH_{2n}O_2$ | |





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Characteristics of Olive Oil Types

| | Fatty acids content ⁽¹⁾ | | | | | | Total sterols (mg/kg) | Erythrodiol and uvaol (%) (**) |
|--|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| | Myristic (%) | Linolenic (%) | Arachidic (%) | Eicosenoic (%) | Behenic (%) | Lignoceric (%) | | |
| 1. Extra virgin olive oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.2 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,000 | ≤ 4.5 |
| 2. Virgin olive oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.2 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,000 | ≤ 4.5 |
| 3. Lampante olive oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.2 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,000 | ≤ 4.5 ⁽²⁾ |
| 4. Refined olive oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.2 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,000 | ≤ 4.5 |
| 5. Blended olive oil composed of refined & virgin olive oils | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.2 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,000 | ≤ 4.5 |
| 6. Crude olive-pomace oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.3 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 2,500 | > 4.5 ⁽³⁾ |
| 7. Refined olive-pomace oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.3 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,800 | > 4.5 |
| 8. Olive-pomace oil | ≤ 0.05 | ≤ 1.0 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.3 | ≤ 0.2 | ≥ 1,600 | > 4.5 |

(1) Other fatty acids present (%): palmitic: 7.5 to 20.0; palmitoleic: 0.3 to 3.5; heptadecanoic: ≤ 0.3; stearic: 0.5 to 5.0; oleic: 55.0 to 83.0; linoleic: 3.5 to 21.0.

(2) Oils with a wax content of between 300 and 350 mg/kg are considered to be lampante olive oil if the total aliphatic alcohol content is ≤ 350 mg/kg or if the erythrodiol and uvaol content is ≤ 3.5 %.

(3) Oils with a wax content of between 300 and 350 mg/kg are considered to be crude olive-pomace oil if the total aliphatic alcohol content is above 350 mg/kg and if the erythrodiol and uvaol content is > 3.5 %.

Notes:

(a) The results of the analyses must be expressed to the same number of decimal places as used for each characteristic. The last digit must be increased by one unit if the following digit is > 4.

(b) If just a single characteristic does not match the values stated, the category of an oil can be changed or the oil declared impure for the purposes of this Regulation.

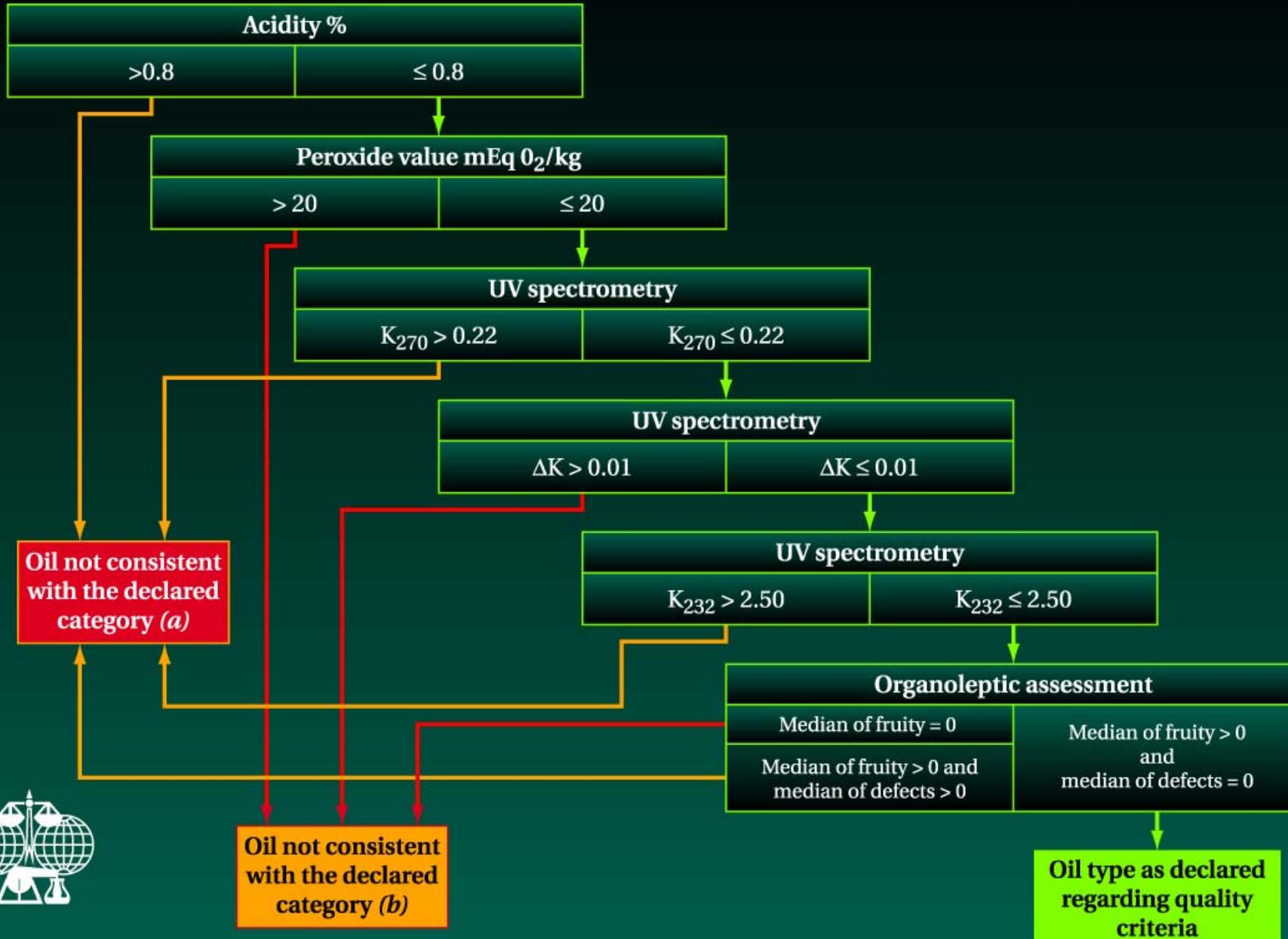
(c) If a characteristic is marked with an asterisk (*), referring to the quality of the oil, this means the following:

- for lampante olive oil, it is possible for both the relevant limits to be different from the stated values at the same time
- for virgin olive oils, if at least one of these limits is different from the stated values, the category of the oil will be changed, although they will still be classified in one of the categories of virgin olive oil.

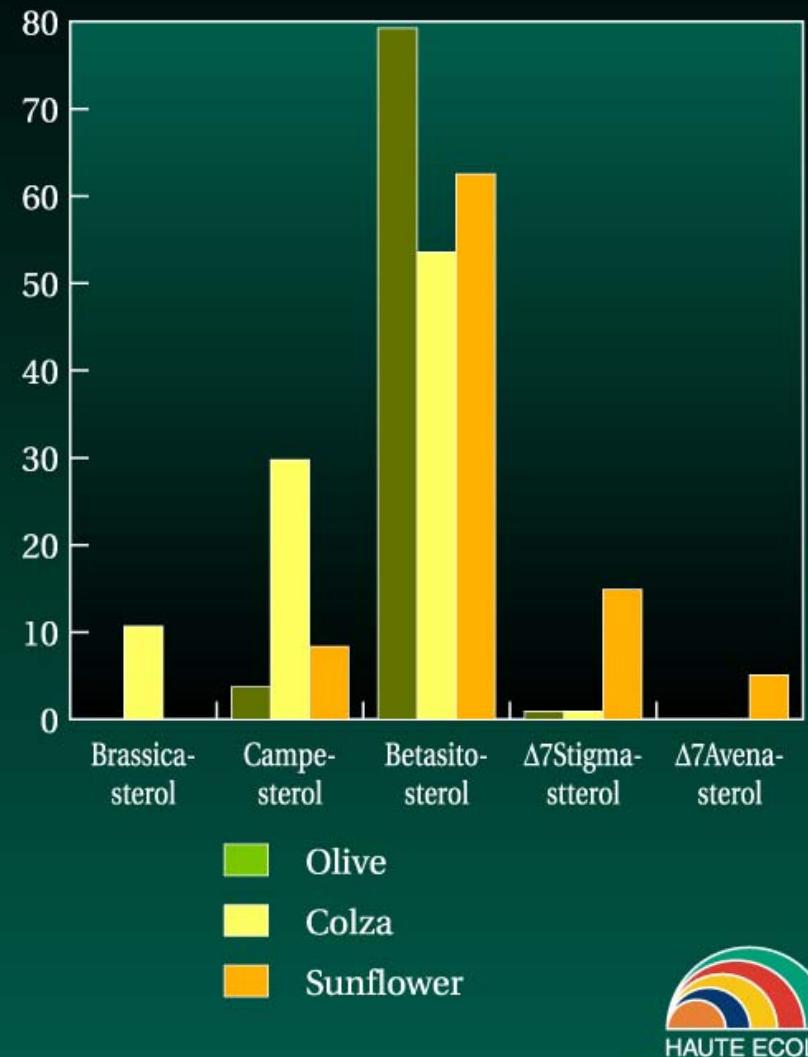
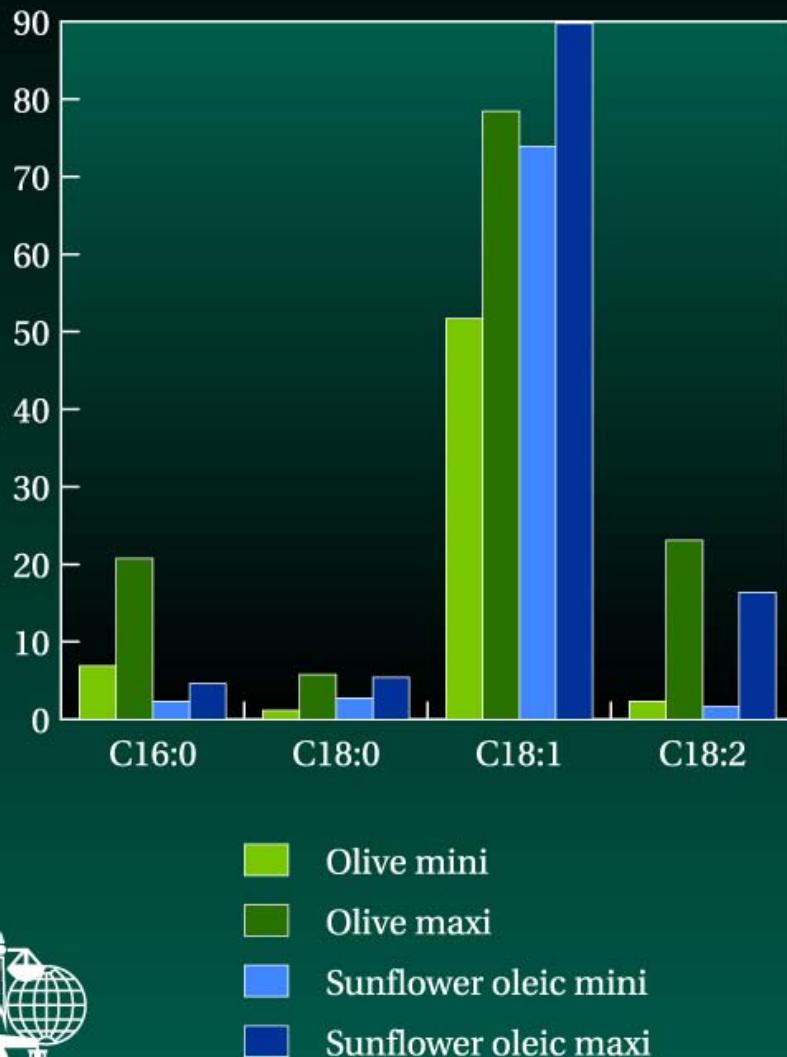
(d) If a characteristic is marked with two asterisks) this means that for all types of olive-pomace oil, it is possible for both the relevant limits to be different from the stated values at the same time.



Quality Criteria of Extra Virgin Oil

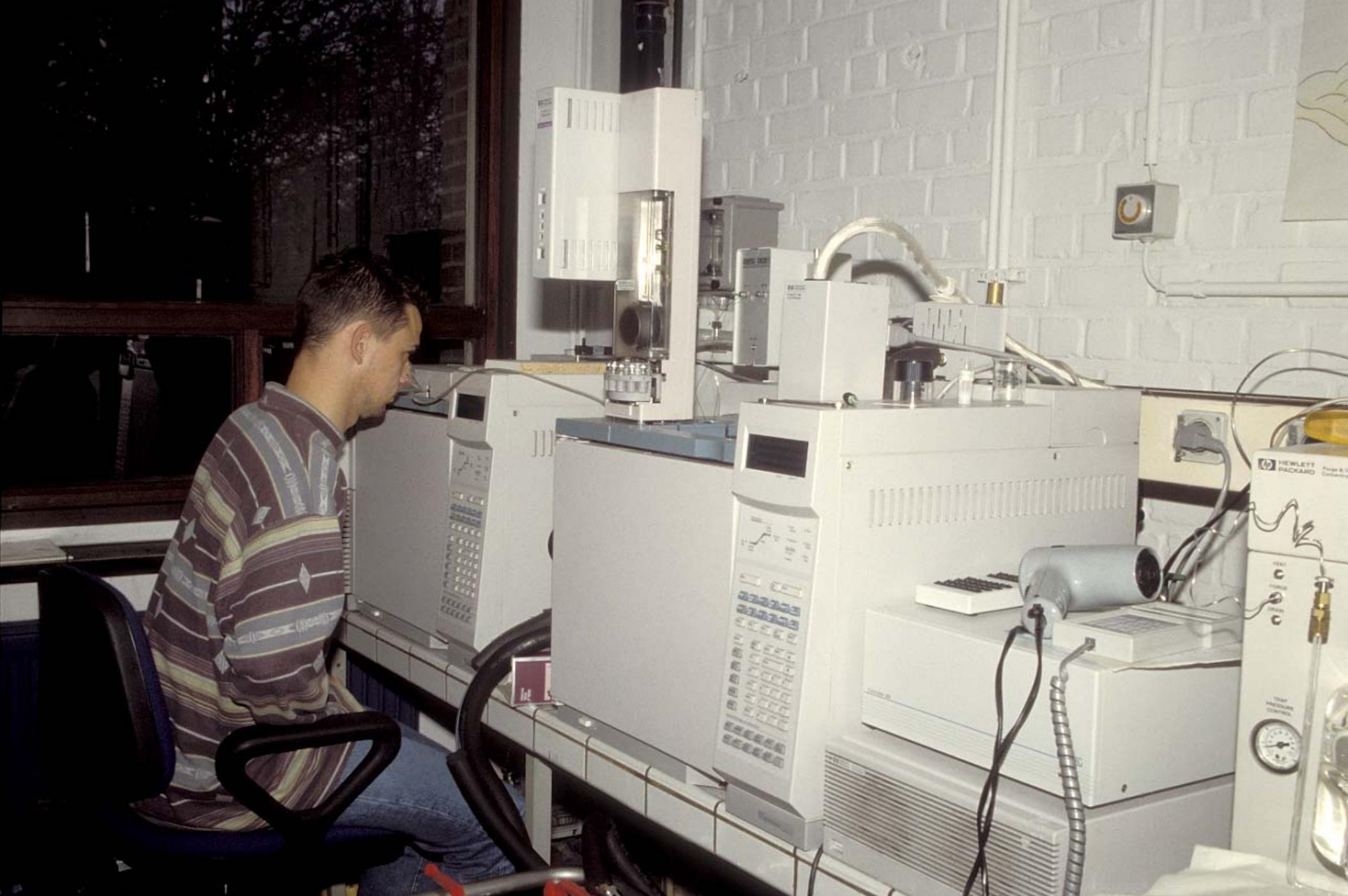


Fatty Acids and Sterol Composition (%) of Different Oils

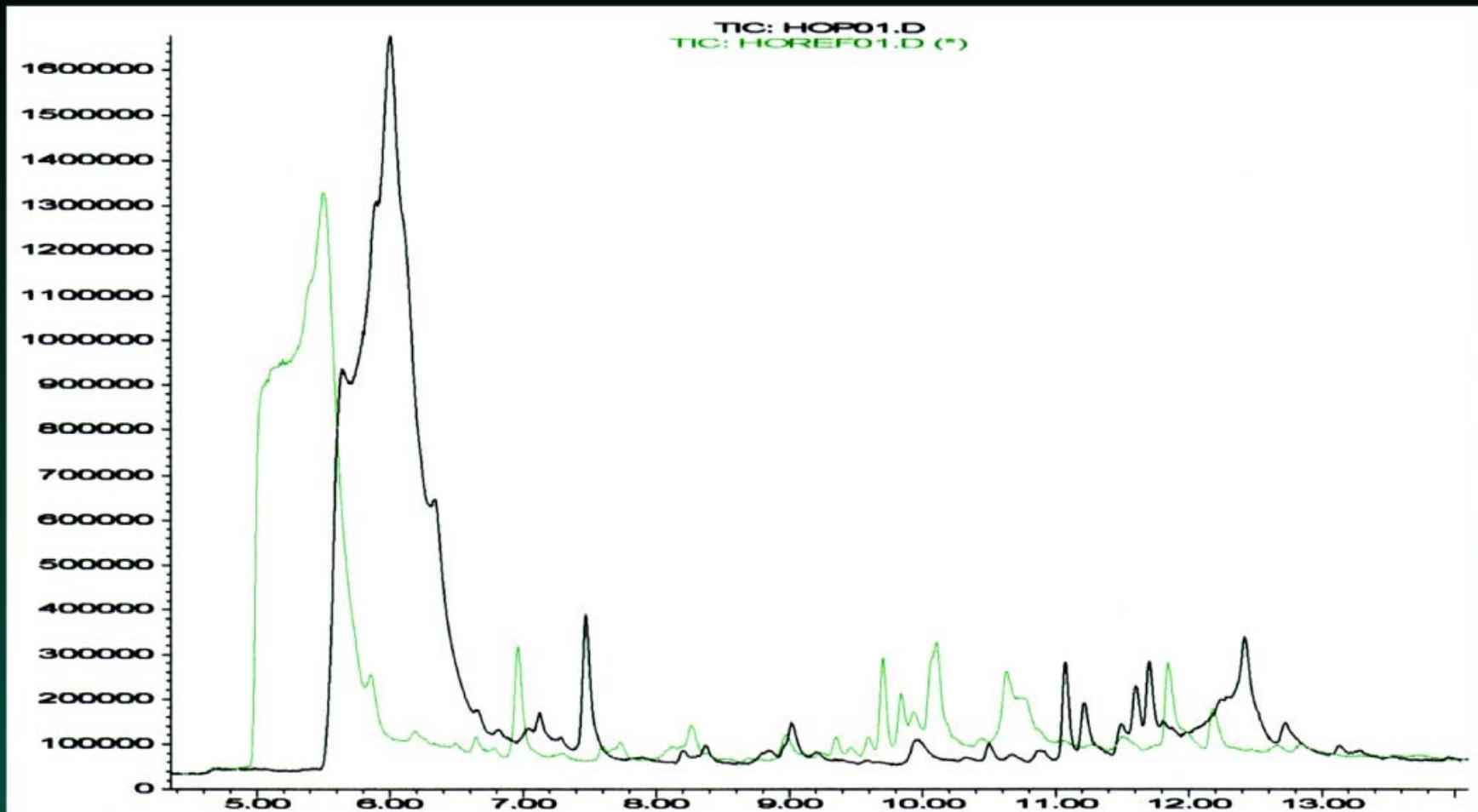


- Olive mini
- Olive maxi
- Sunflower oleic mini
- Sunflower oleic maxi

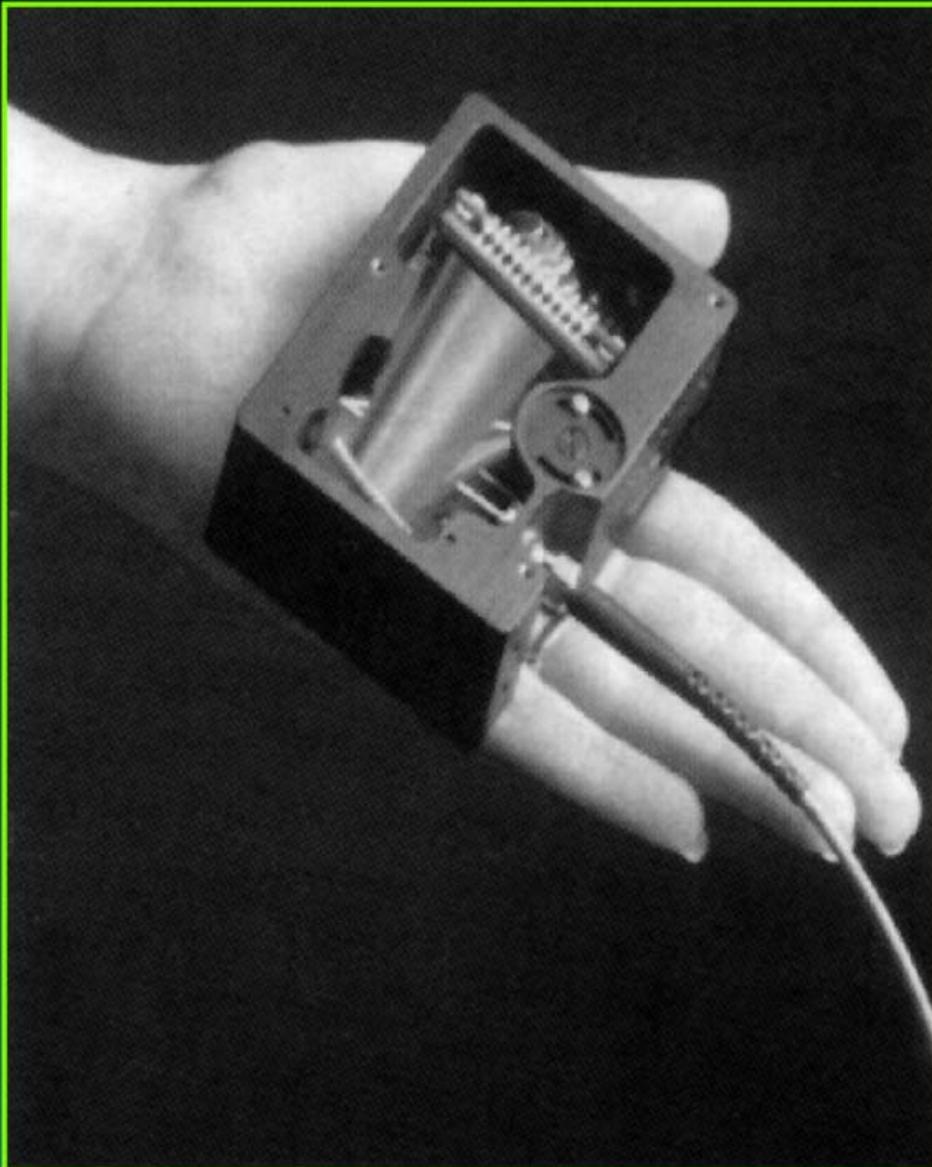
- Olive
- Colza
- Sunflower



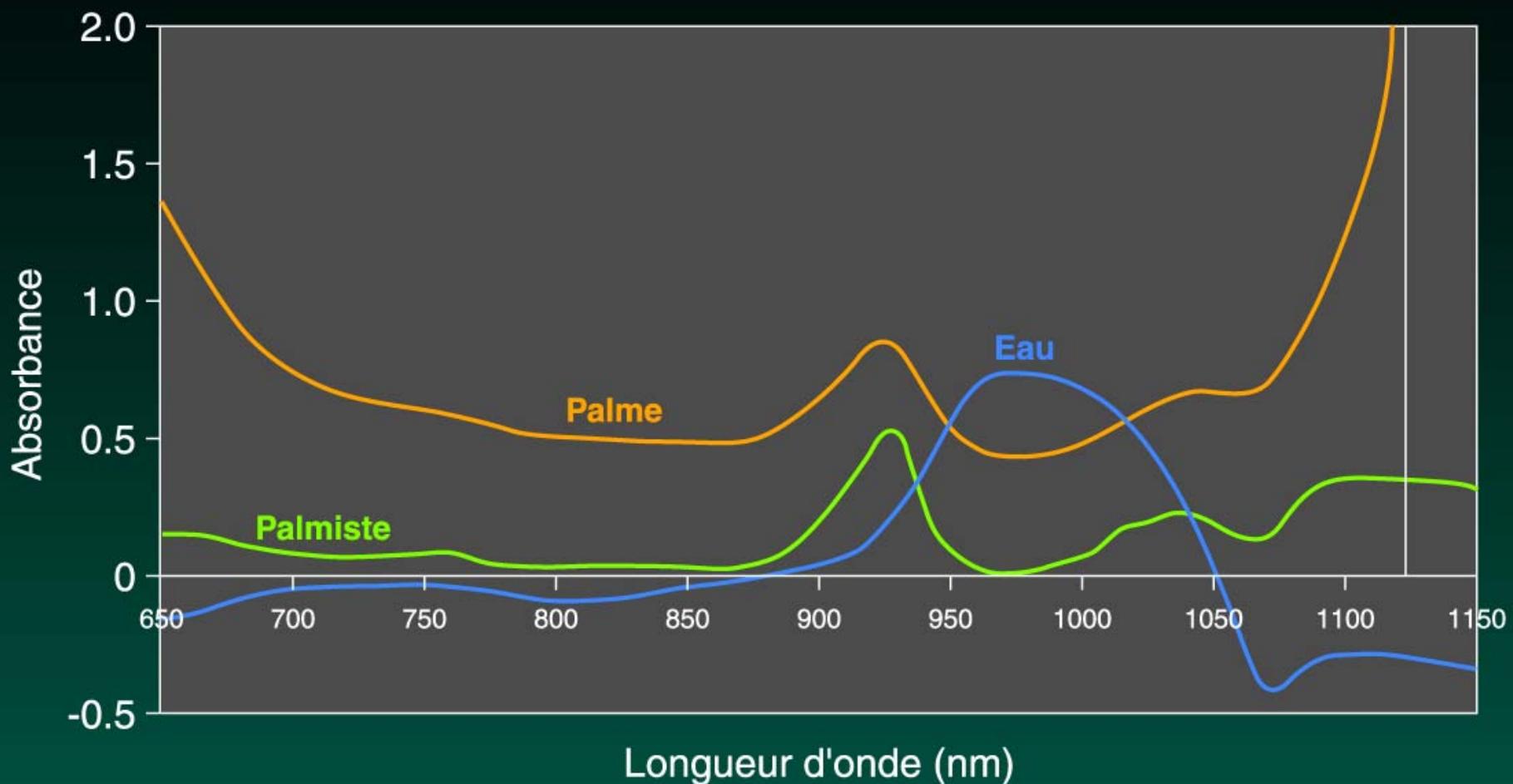
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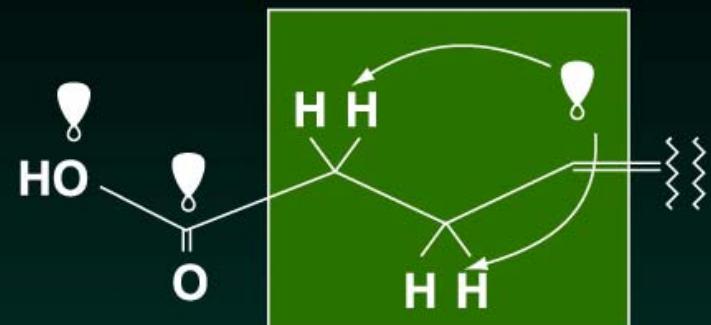
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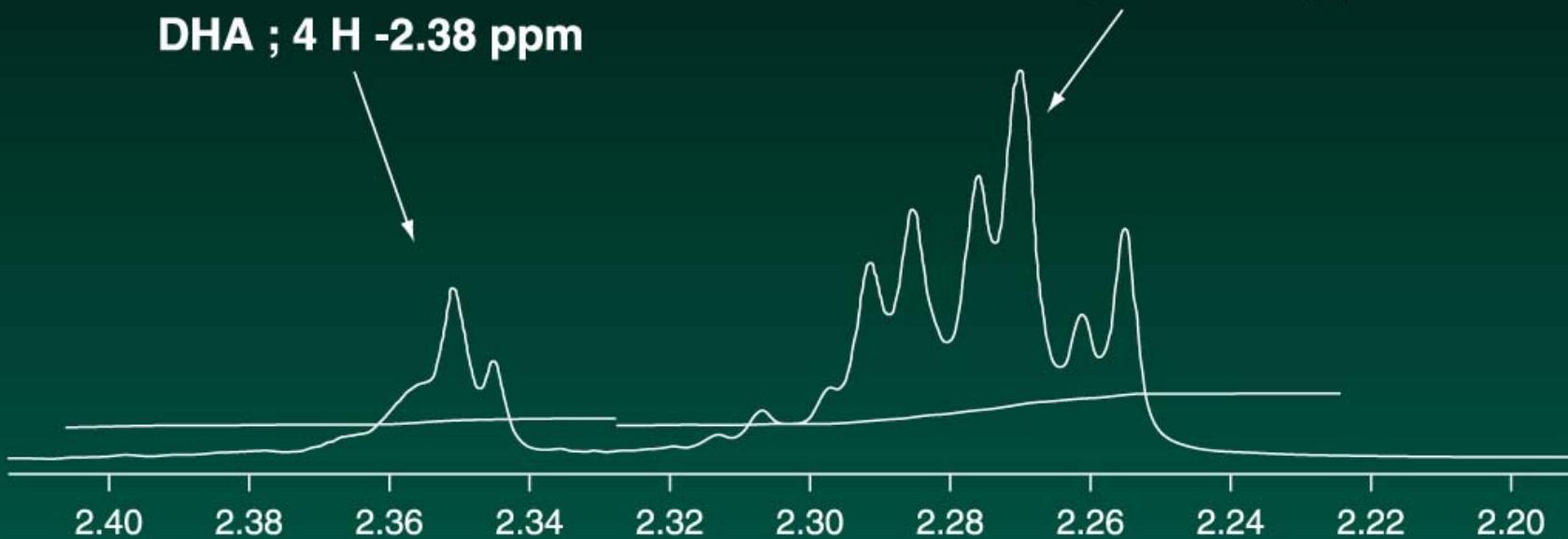
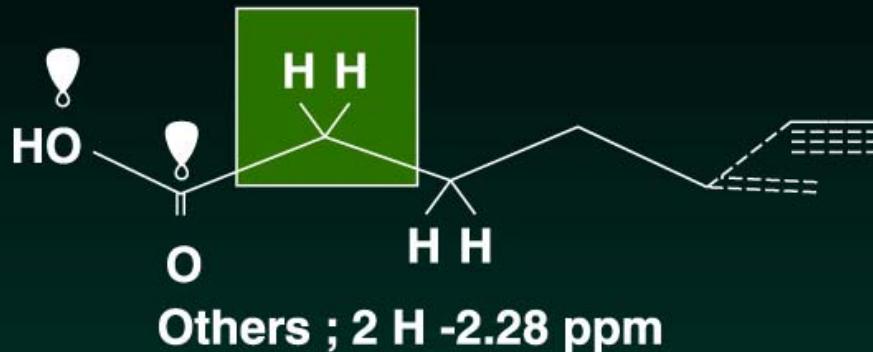
NIR Spectrum



Quantification of DHA Concentration



DHA ; 4 H -2.38 ppm

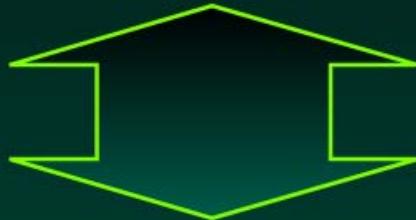






Analytical Evaluation of Freshness

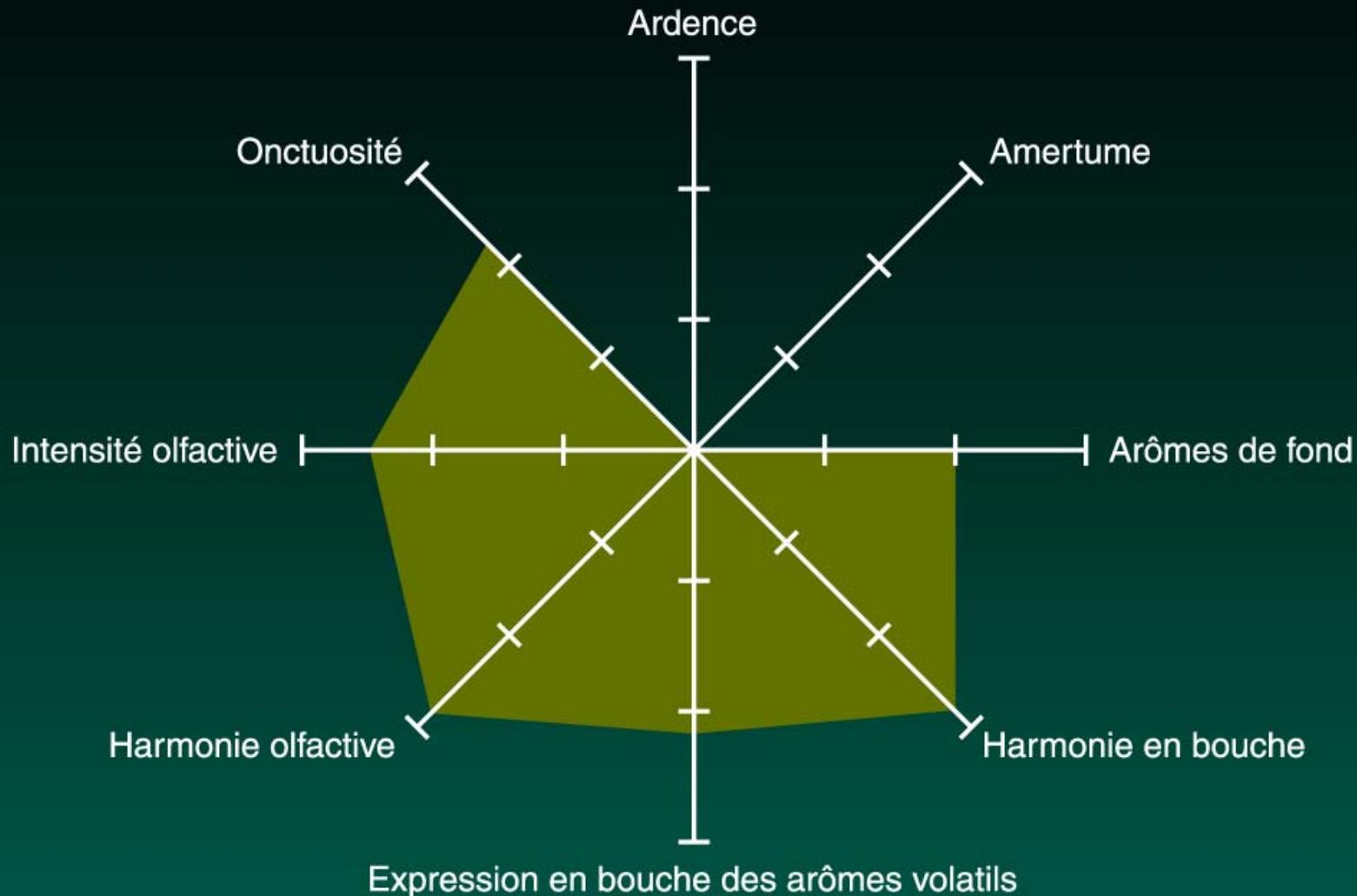
- ⌚ Peroxyde value (PV)
- ⌚ Anisidin value (AV)
- ⌚ Thiobarbituric acid (TBA)



Organoleptic
Deterioration (meat and dairy products)

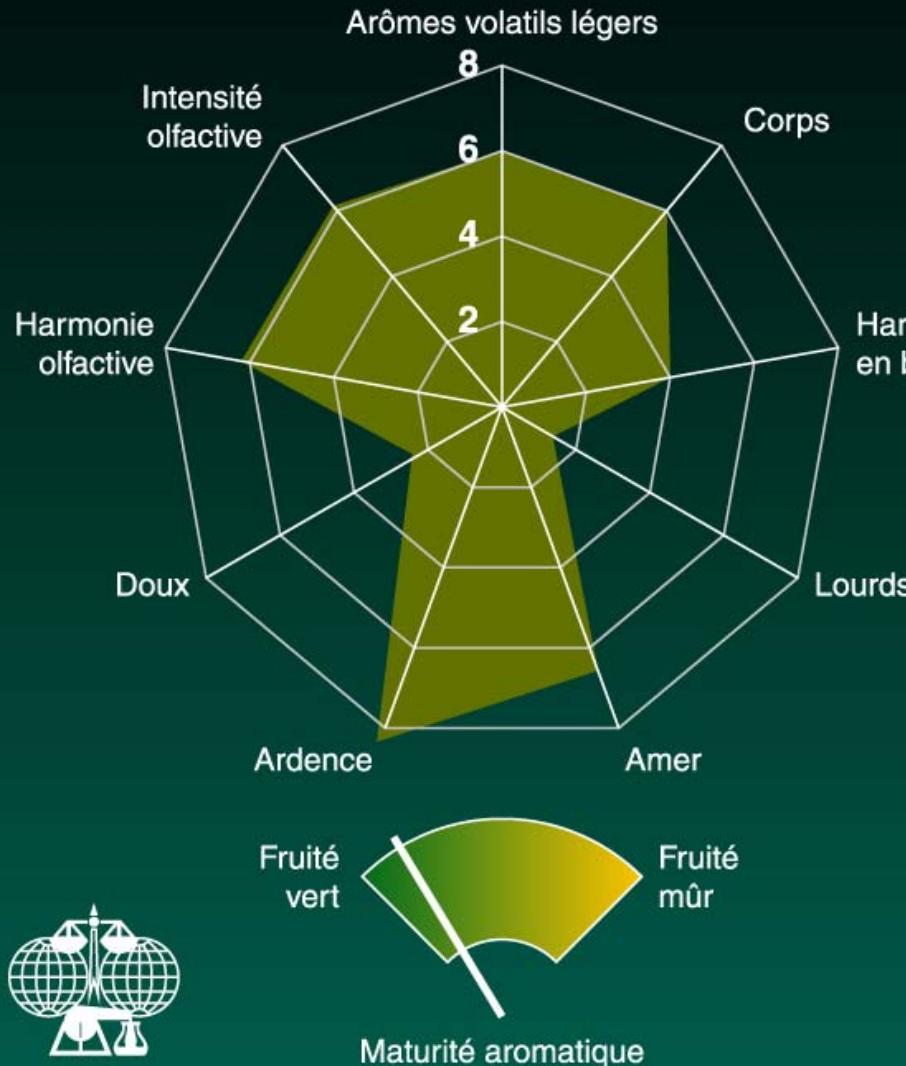


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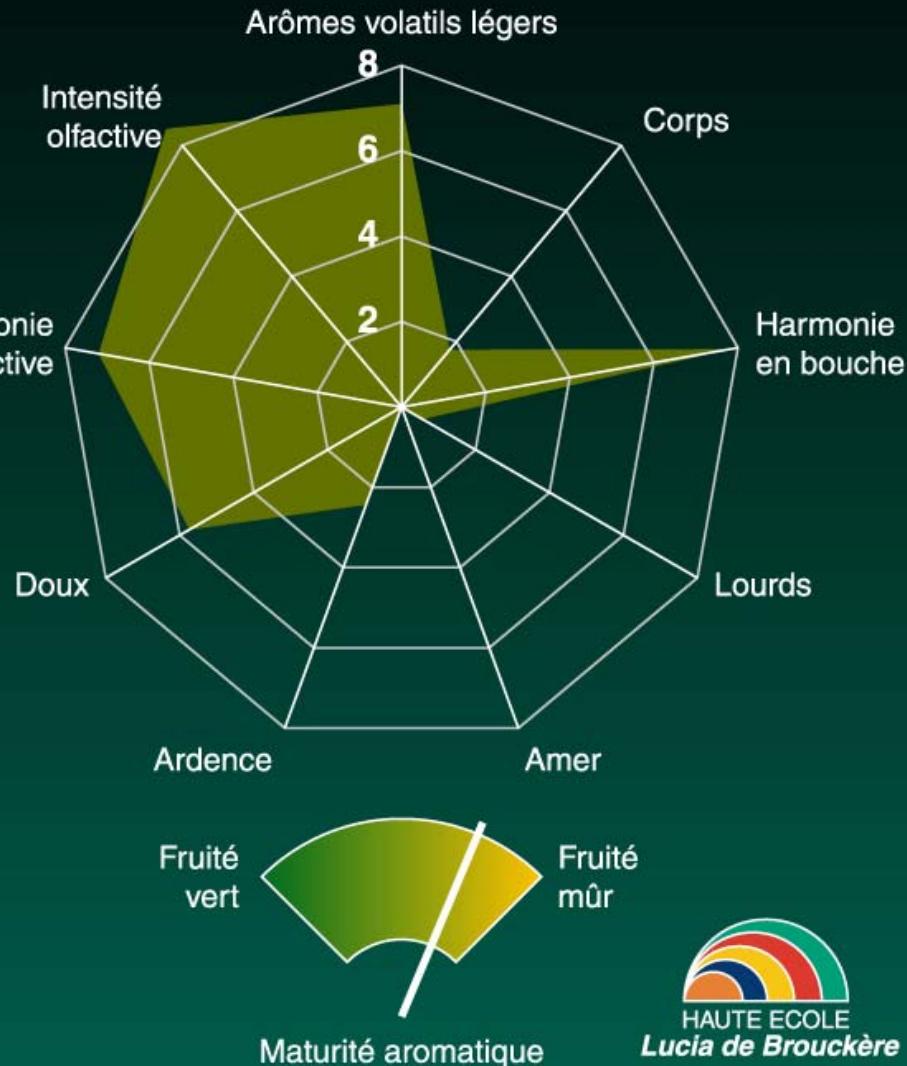


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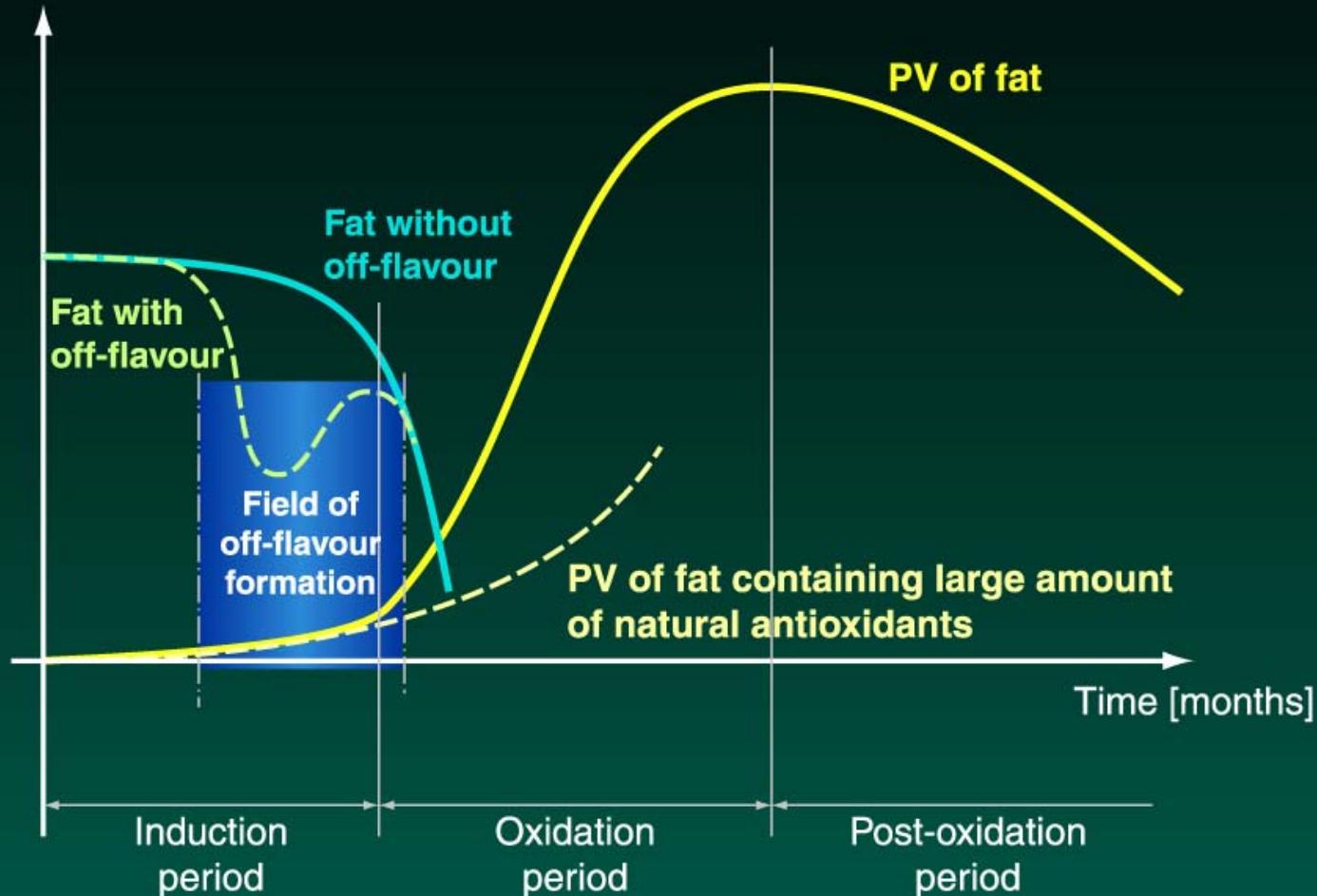
Huile obtenue à partir d'olives insuffisamment mûres



Huile obtenue à partir d'olives très mûres



Analytical value or
organoleptic scores



Melting

Solid fat contents versus temperature
melting points

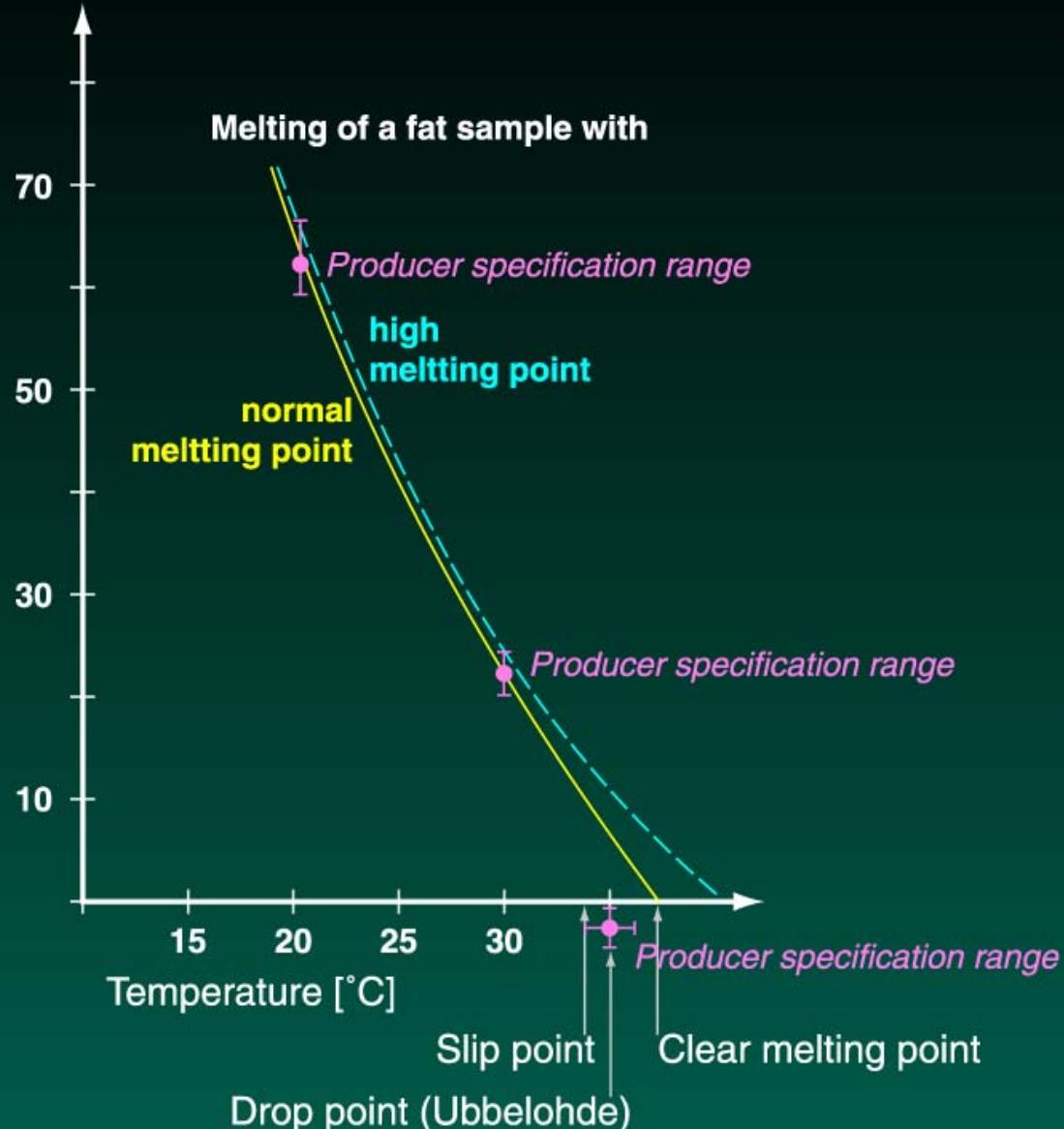
Solid  Liquid

Solidification

Cooling curves



Solid fat content
(SFI)



Tubing Connections of the HPLC System

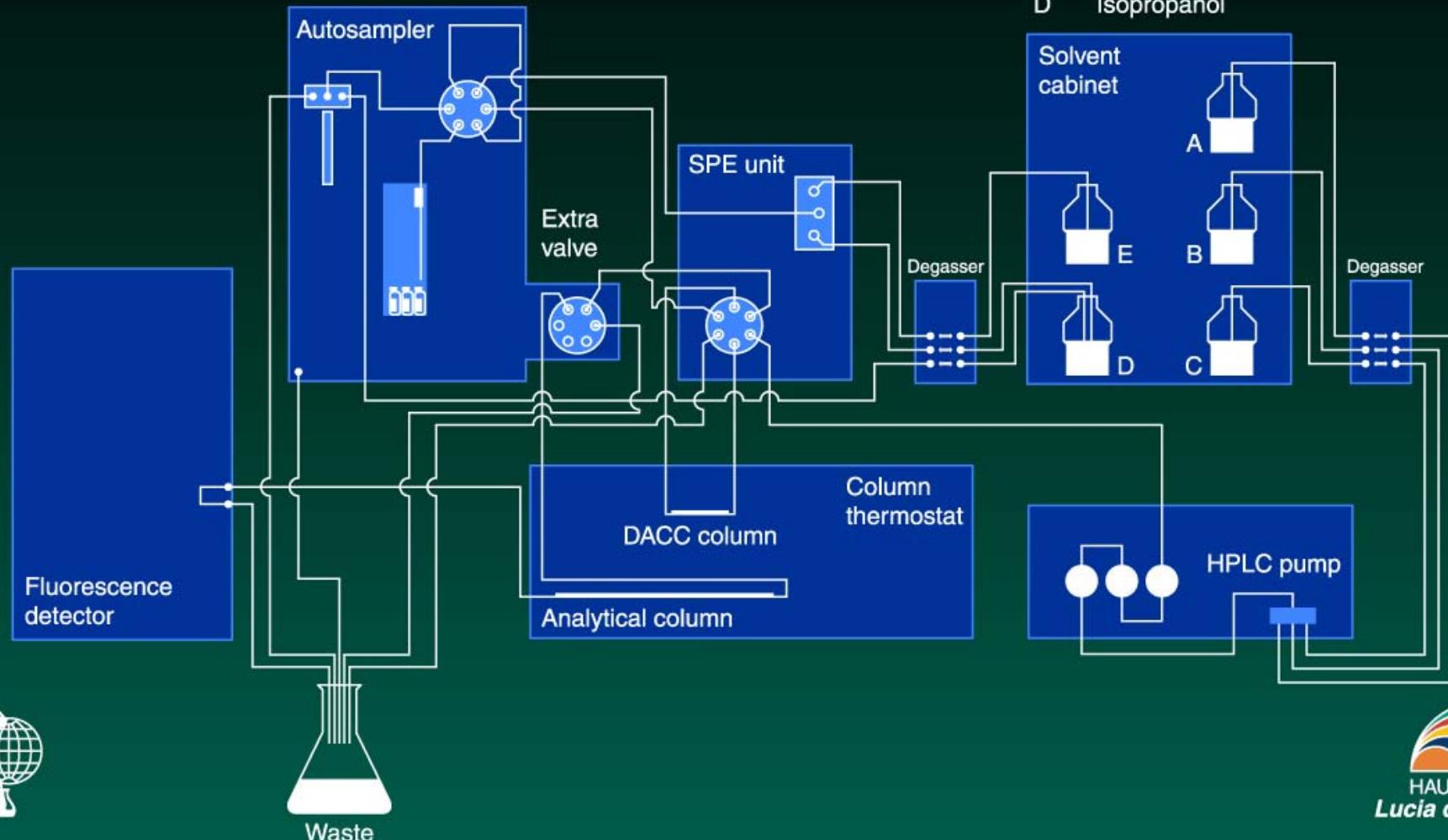
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A Acetonitrile / Water 85/15

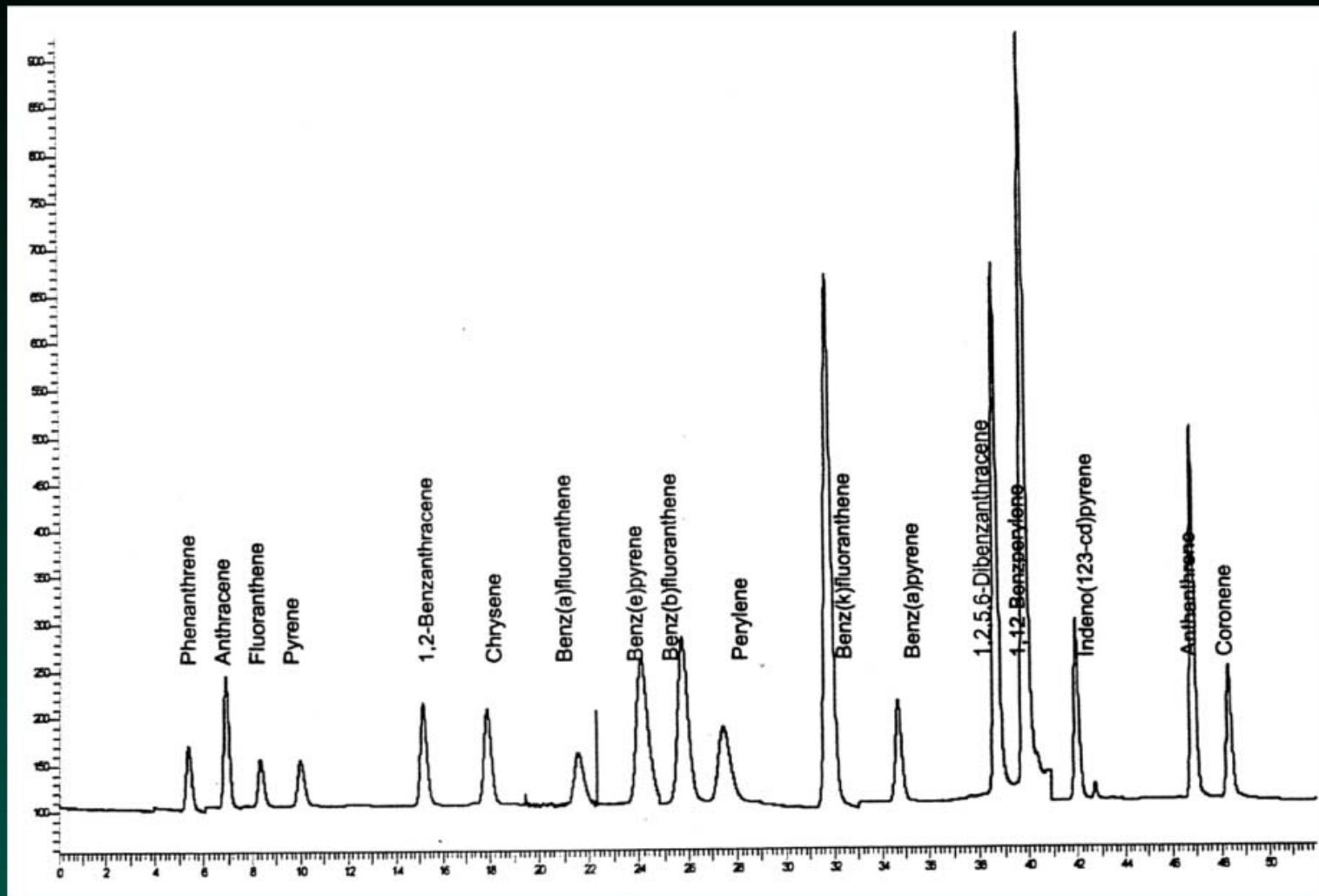
B Acetonitrile

C/E Acetonitrile / Ethylacetate 30/70

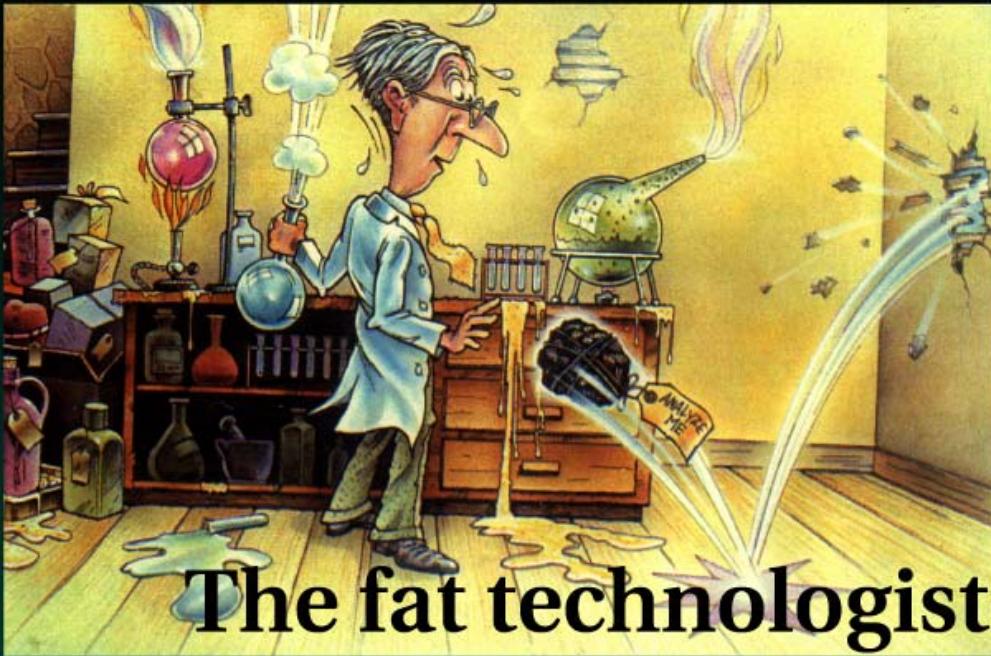
D Isopropanol



Chromatogram of a Calibration Sample



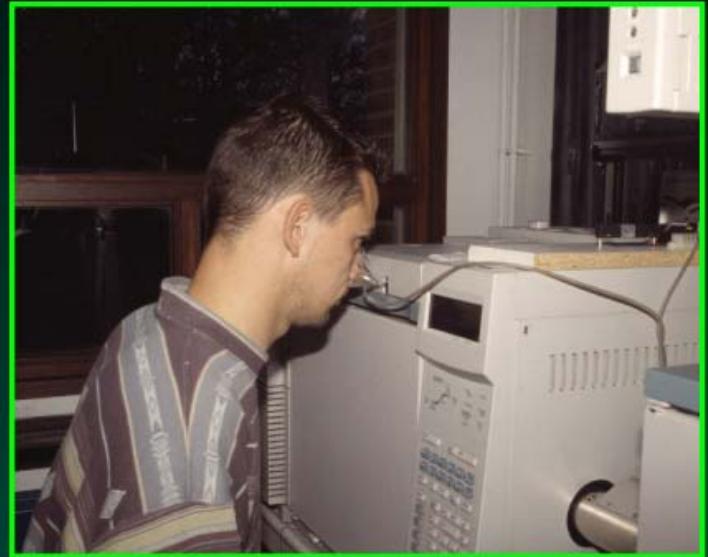
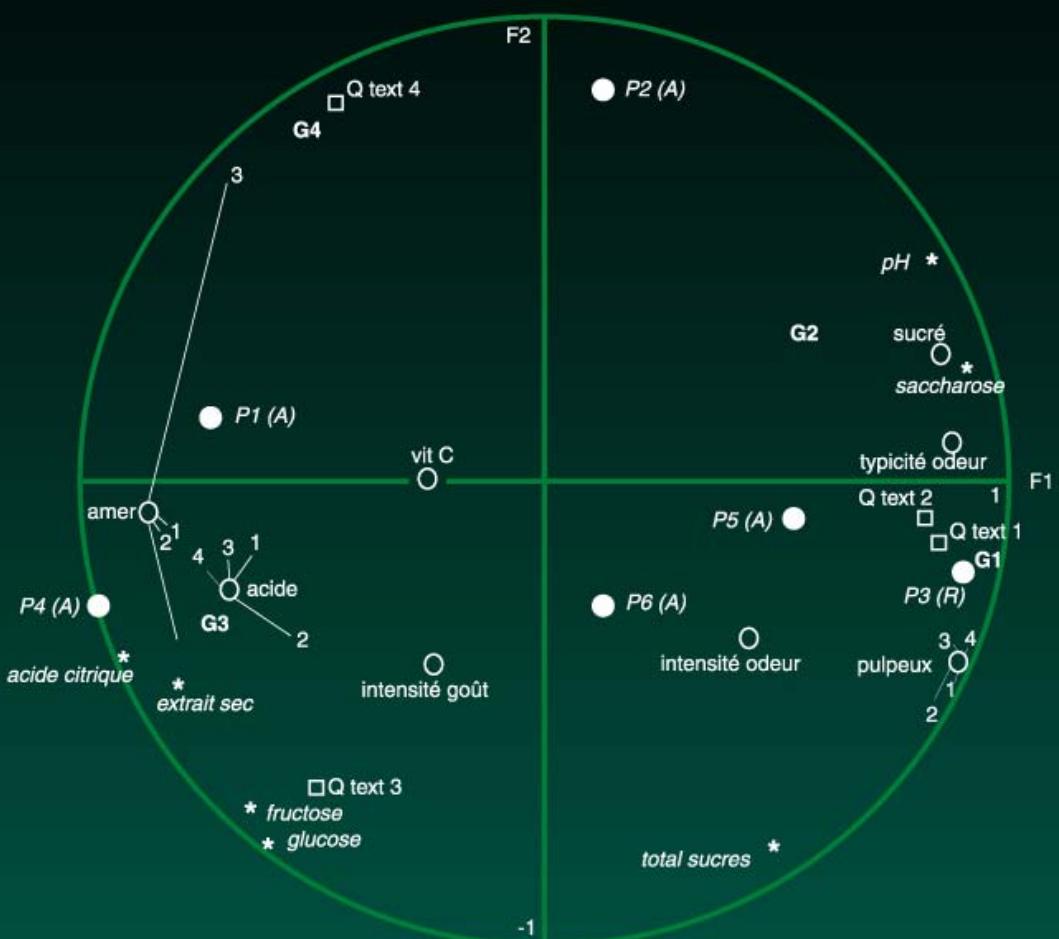
Conclusion



**The fat technologist is not an analyst
solving isolated analytical problems
but rather a system chemist
dealing with oils and fats for
their optimal use in food.**

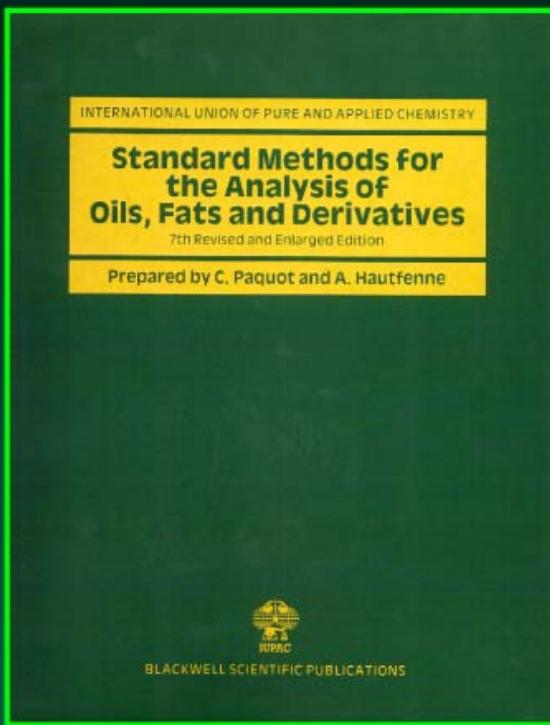


Multidimensional Analysis



IUPAC Standard Methods

- ④ Today, more than 120 standard methods have been accepted after having been tested by international collaborative studies.



Official Methods AOCS (5th Edition)

