

Laboratory UPASI Tea Research Foundation, Regional Centre-Coonor, Glenview, Coonor, The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu

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CHEMICAL TESTING

| I. FOOD & AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---|----------------|
| 1. | Tea | Total ash | IS 13854:1994 (RA 2014), ISO 1575:1987 | 1 % to 25 % |
| | | Water soluble ash | IS 13855:1993 (RA 2014), ISO 1576:1988 | 5% to 80 % |
| | | Acid insoluble ash | IS 13857:1993 (RA 2014), ISO 1577:1987 | 0.01 % to 10 % |
| | | Alkalinity of water soluble ash | IS 13856:1993 (RA 2014), ISO 1578:1975 | 0.3% to 10 % |
| | | Water extract | IS 13862:1999 (RA 2014), ISO 9768:1994 | 5 % to 70 % |
| | | Crude fibre | IS 16041:2012 (RA 2017) ISO 15598:1999 | 2 % to 50 % |
| | | Loss of moisture at 103°C | IS 13853:1994 (RA 2014), ISO 1573:1980 | 0.1 % to 25 % |
| | | Theaflavin | UPASI RC/CNR-03 | 0.05 % to 3% |
| | | Thearubigin | SOP No. 23 dt.13/10/2014 | 0.15 % to 20% |
| | | High polymerized substance | | 0.15 % to 20% |
| | | Total liquor colour | | 0.1 to 10 |
| | | Caffeine | UPASI RC/CNR-03 SOP No. 24 dt.13/10/2014 | 0.1 % to 7% |
| | | Total Polyphenols | ISO:14502-1:2005 | 1 % to 40 % |
| | | Total Catechins | UPASI RC/CNR-03 SOP No. 29 dt.04/09/2017 | 1 % to 30 % |
| II. FERTILISERS | | | | |
| 1. | Ammonium Sulphate | Ammoniacal Nitrogen | IS 6092 (Part 2): 1985 (RA 2014) | 1 % to 30 % |

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| 2. | Muriate of potash | Potassium | IS 6092(Part 4):1985 (RA 2017) | 2 % to 65 % |
| 3. | Zinc sulphate | Zinc | IS:8249 : 1994 (RA 2016) | 1 % to 40 % |
| | | Sodium | IS : 260 : 2001 (RA 2017) | 50 % to 10000 mg/kg |
| | | Iron | FCO, 1985 (Edn. 2018) | 100 % to 50000 mg/kg |
| | | pH | IS 8249 : 1994 (RA 2016) | 2 to 9 |
| 4. | Boric acid | Boron | FCO, 1985 (Edn. 2018) | 0.5 % to 20 % |
| 5. | Copper oxychloride | Copper | IS 1506:1977 (RA 2017) | 2 % to 60 % |
| | | Suspensibility | IS 6940:1982 (RA 2017) | 5 % to 100 % |
| | | pH | IS 1507:1977 (RA 2017) | 3 to 10 |
| 6. | Copper sulphate | Copper | IS 261:1982 (RA 2016) | 1 % to 40 % |
| | | pH | IS 261:1982 (RA 2016) | 2 to 7 |
| 7. | Manganese sulphate | Manganese | FCO, 1985 (Edn. 2018) | 0.1 % to 40 % |
| 8. | Rock phosphate | Phosphorous | FCO, 1985 (Edn. 2018) | 1 % to 40 % |