

Working range

Trueness

Recovery

Selectivity

Precision

Intermediate precision

LoD

LoQ

Repeatability

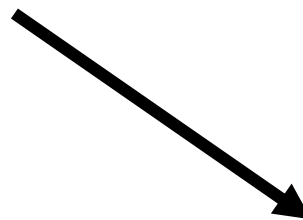
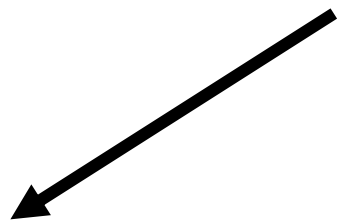
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Robustness

Matrix effect

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Full validation

Partial validation

Validation is always a balance
between costs, risks and technical
possibilities

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testing and calibration laboratories

	Identification	Impurities (quantitative)	Impurities (limit test)	Assay - Dissolution - Content
Accuracy		√		√
Precision		√		√
Selectivity	√	√	√	√
LoD			√	
LoQ		√		
Linearity		√		√
Range		√		√

ICH Harmonised Tripartite Guideline: Validation of Analytical Procedures: Text and Methodology Q2(R1) 2005

Initial validation

All required parameters for all
analytes in all matrices

Ongoing performance validation

Determine some parameters for
some analytes in some matrices
during routine analyses

New analytes or matrices

Determine as in initial full validation

OR

Integrate to the ongoing
performance validation

SANCO/12571/2013 Guidance Document on analytical quality control and validation procedures for pesticide residues analysis in food and feed

Adopting a standard method

The laboratory shall confirm that it
can properly operate standard
methods before introducing the
tests or calibrations

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