

Dyes, processes for their preparation and their use

The present invention relates to novel dyes, processes for their preparation and their use for dyeing or printing fibre materials.

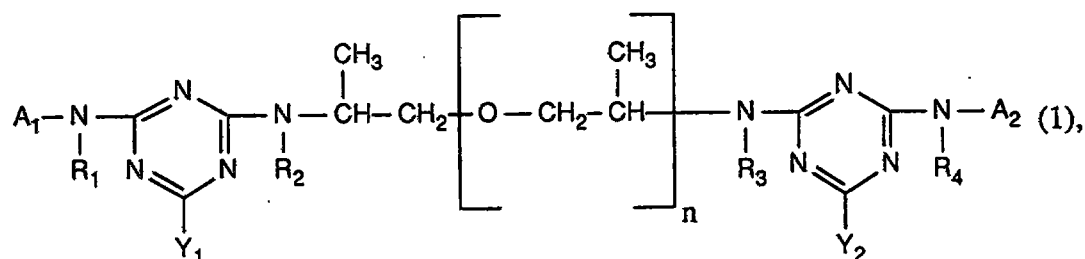
The practice of dyeing with dyes has recently led to increased requirements regarding the quality of the dyeings and the profitability of the dyeing process. Consequently, there continues to be a need for novel dyes which have improved properties, in particular in respect of application.

Dyes which have an adequate solubility and substantivity and which, in the case of reactive dyes, at the same time show a good ease of wash off of the non-fixed portions are required for dyeing nowadays. They should furthermore have a good dyeing yield and high reactivity, and in particular dyeings should be produced with high degrees of fixing. These requirements are not met in all the properties by the known dyes.

The present invention is therefore based on the object of discovering novel, improved dyes, which have the qualities characterized above to a large extent, for dyeing and printing fibre materials. In the case of reactive dyes, the dyes should show, in particular, high fixing yields and high fibre-dye bond stabilities, and in addition the portions not fixed to the fibre should be easy to wash out. The dyes should furthermore produce dyeings with good all-round properties, for example light and wet fastness properties.

It has been found that the object described is largely achieved by the dyes defined below.

The invention therefore relates to dyes of the formula



in which

A_1 and A_2 independently of one another are the radical of a monoazo, polyazo, metal complex azo, anthraquinone, phthalocyanine, formazan, azomethine, dioxazine,

phenazine, stilbene, triphenylmethane, xanthene, thioxanthone, nitroaryl, naphthoquinone, pyrenequinone or perylenetetracarbibimide dye,

R_1 , R_2 , R_3 and R_4 independently of one another are hydrogen or substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_4 alkyl,

Y_1 and Y_2 independently of one another are halogen, carboxypyridinium, substituted or unsubstituted amino or a heterocyclic radical bonded via a nitrogen atom and n is a number from 1 to 7.

The alkyl radicals R_1 , R_2 , R_3 and R_4 in the dyes of the formula (1) are straight-chain or branched; the alkyl radicals can be further substituted, for example by halogen, hydroxyl, cyano, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl, carboxyl, sulfamoyl, sulfo or sulfato.

Examples of R_1 , R_2 , R_3 and R_4 are the following radicals: methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl, tert-butyl, carboxymethyl, β -carboxyethyl, β -carboxypropyl, methoxycarbonylmethyl, ethoxycarbonylmethyl, β -methoxyethyl, β -ethoxyethyl, β -methoxypropyl, β -chloroethyl, γ -bromopropyl, β -hydroxyethyl, β -hydroxybutyl, β -cyanoethyl, sulfomethyl, β -sulfoethyl, aminosulfonylmethyl and β -sulfatoethyl. Preferably, R_1 , R_2 , R_3 and R_4 independently of one another are hydrogen, methyl or ethyl, in particular hydrogen.

n is preferably a number from 2 to 6, in particular the number 2, 3, 4 or 5, and preferably the number 2 or 3. Those dyes in which n is the number 1 are furthermore of interest.

Substituted or unsubstituted amino Y_1 and Y_2 can be, for example, amino, N-mono- or N,N-di- C_1 - C_4 alkylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the alkyl part, C_5 - C_7 cycloalkylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the cycloalkyl ring or phenylamino or N- C_1 - C_4 alkyl-N-phenylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring.

Examples of substituents of the alkyl part of the N-mono- or N,N-di- C_1 - C_4 alkylamino radicals mentioned are hydroxyl, sulfo, sulfato, carboxyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, C_1 - C_4 hydroxyalkoxy or piperidin-1-yl. Preferred substituents here are hydroxyl, sulfo, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, C_1 - C_4 hydroxyalkoxy or piperidin-1-yl, in particular hydroxyl, sulfo, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy and C_1 - C_4 hydroxyalkoxy, preferably hydroxyl and sulfo.

An example of substituents of the cycloalkyl ring of the C_5 - C_7 cycloalkylamino radicals mentioned is C_1 - C_4 alkyl, in particular methyl. Preferred C_5 - C_7 cycloalkylamino radicals are the corresponding cyclohexyl radicals.

Examples of substituents of the phenyl ring of the phenylamino and N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino radicals mentioned are C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, carboxyl, sulfo and halogen. These phenylamino and N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino radicals are preferably unsubstituted.

Heterocyclic radicals Y₁ and Y₂ bonded via a nitrogen atom are, for example, morpholino or piperidin-1-yl, preferably morpholino.

The radicals Y₁ and Y₂ in the formula (1) independently of one another are preferably fluorine, chlorine, carboxypyridinium, amino, N-mono- or N,N-di-C₁-C₄alkylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the alkyl part by hydroxyl, sulfo, sulfato, carboxyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, C₁-C₄hydroxyalkoxy or piperidin-1-yl, C₅-C₇cycloalkylamino, which is unsubstituted or substituted in the cycloalkyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, phenylamino or N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, carboxyl, sulfo or halogen, morpholino or piperidin-1-yl.

Preferably, Y₁ and Y₂ independently of one another are fluorine, chlorine, amino, N-mono- or N,N-di-C₁-C₄alkylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the alkyl part by hydroxyl, sulfo, C₁-C₄alkoxy, C₁-C₄hydroxyalkoxy or piperidin-1-yl, phenylamino, N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino or morpholino.

Particularly preferably, Y₁ and Y₂ independently of one another are fluorine or, in particular, chlorine.

Y₁ and Y₂ preferably each have identical meanings.

The radicals A₁ and A₂ in the dyes of the formula (1) can contain the substituents customary in organic dyes bonded to their base structure.

The radicals A₁ and A₂ preferably have identical meanings.

Examples of substituents in the radicals A₁ and A₂ are: alkyl groups having 1 to 4 carbon atoms, such as methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl or butyl, where the alkyl radicals can be further substituted, for example by hydroxyl, sulfo or sulfato; alkoxy groups having 1 to 4 carbon atoms, such as methoxy, ethoxy, propoxy, isopropoxy or butoxy, where the alkyl radicals can be further substituted, for example by hydroxyl, sulfo or sulfato; phenyl which

is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo; acylamino groups having 1 to 8 carbon atoms, in particular such alkanoylamino groups, for example acetylamino or propionylamino; benzoylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen or sulfo; phenylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen or sulfo; N,N-di-β-hydroxyethylamino; N,N-di-β-sulfatoethylamino; sulfobenzylamino; N,N-disulfobenzylamino; alkoxycarbonyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms in the alkoxy radical, such as methoxycarbonyl or ethoxycarbonyl; alkylsulfonyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms, such as methylsulfonyl or ethylsulfonyl; trifluoromethyl; nitro; amino; cyano; halogen, such as fluorine, chlorine or bromine; carbamoyl; N-alkylcarbamoyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms in the alkyl radical, such as N-methylcarbamoyl or N-ethylcarbamoyl; sulfamoyl; N-mono- or N,N-dialkylsulfamoyl having in each case 1 to 4 carbon atoms, such as N-methylsulfamoyl, N-ethylsulfamoyl, N-propylsulfamoyl, N-isopropylsulfamoyl or N-butylsulfamoyl, where the alkyl radicals can be further substituted, for example by hydroxyl or sulfo; N-(β-hydroxyethyl)sulfamoyl; N,N-di-(β-hydroxyethyl)-sulfamoyl; N-phenylsulfamoyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo; ureido; hydroxyl; carboxyl; sulfomethyl or sulfo, and fibre-reactive radicals.

The radicals A₁ and A₂ preferably each contain at least one sulfo group, in particular 1 to 4 sulfo groups, and preferably 1 to 3 sulfo groups.

A reactive group in the radical A₁ or A₂ in the dyes of the formula (1) is, for example, an alkanoyl or alkylsulfonyl radical substituted by an atom which can be split off or a group which can be split off, an alkenoyl or alkenesulfonyl radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by an atom which can be split off or a group which can be split off, or an alkenoyl or alkenesulfonyl radical containing a vinyl group. The alkanoyl, alkylsulfonyl and alkenesulfonyl radicals mentioned as a rule contain 2 to 8 carbon atoms, and the alkanoyl radicals as a rule contain 3 to 8 carbon atoms. Further reactive groups are radicals which contain carbo- or heterocyclic 4-, 5- or 6-membered rings and are substituted by an atom which can be split off or a group which can be split off. Heterocyclic radicals are, for example, those which contain at least one substituent which can be split off bonded to a heterocyclic radical; inter alia, those which contain at least one reactive substituent bonded to a 5- or 6-membered heterocyclic ring, such as to a monoazine, diazine, triazine, pyridine, pyrimidine, pyridazine, pyrazine, thiazine, oxazine or asymmetric or symmetric triazine ring, or to such a ring system which has one or more fused-on aromatic rings, such as quinoline, phthalazine, cinnoline, quinazoline,

quinoxaline, acridine, phenazine and phenanthridine ring system.

Atoms which can be split off and groups which can be split off are, in addition to others, for example halogen, such as fluorine, chlorine or bromine, ammonium, including hydrazinium, sulfato, thiosulfato, phosphato, acetoxy, propionoxy, azido, carboxypyridinium or thiocyanato.

Bridge members between the dye radical and the fibre-reactive radical are, in addition to the direct bond, the most diverse radicals. The bridge member is, for example, an aliphatic, aromatic or heterocyclic radical; the bridge member can also furthermore be composed of different such radicals. The bridge member as a rule contains at least one functional group, for example the carbonyl group or the amino group, where the amino group can be further substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by halogen, hydroxyl, cyano, C₁-C₄alkoxy, C₁-C₄alkoxycarbonyl, carboxyl, sulfamoyl, sulfo or sulfato. Aliphatic radicals are, for example, an alkylene radical having 1 to 7 carbon atoms or branched isomers thereof. The carbon chain of the alkylene radical can be interrupted by a hetero atom, for example an oxygen atom. An aromatic radical is, for example, a phenyl radical, which can be substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, for example methyl or ethyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, for example methoxy or ethoxy, halogen, for example fluorine, bromine or, in particular, chlorine, carboxyl or sulfo, and a heterocyclic radical is, for example, a piperazine radical.

Examples of reactive groups are the following:

vinylsulfonyl, β -chloroethylsulfonyl, β -sulfatoethylsulfonyl, β -acetoxyethylsulfonyl, phosphatoethylsulfonyl, β -thiosulfatoethylsulfonyl, N-methyl-N-(β -sulfoethylsulfonyl)amino, acryloyl, mono-, di- or trichloroacryloyl such as $-\text{CO}-\text{CCl}=\text{CH}_2$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{Cl}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CCl}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_3$; mono-, di- or tribromoacryloyl such as $-\text{CO}-\text{CBr}=\text{CH}_2$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{Br}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CBr}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_3$; and $-\text{CO}-\text{CCl}=\text{CH}-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CCl}-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CBr}=\text{CH}-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CBr}-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CCl}=\text{CCl}-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}-\text{CBr}=\text{CBr}-\text{COOH}$; precursors of the acryloyl radical and the derivatives of the acryloyl radical, such as β -chloro- or β -bromopropionyl, 3-phenylsulfonylpropionyl, 3-methylsulfonylpropionyl, 2-chloro-3-phenylsulfonylpropionyl, 2,3-dichloropropionyl, 2,3-dibromopropionyl; and 2-fluoro-2-chloro-3,3-difluorocyclobutane-1-carbonyl, 2,2,3,3-tetrafluorocyclobutane-1-carbonyl or -1-sulfonyl, β -(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-1-cyclobutyl)-acryloyl, α - or β -alkenyl- or -arylsulfonylacryloyl groups, such as α - or β -methylsulfonylacryloyl, chloroacetyl, bromoacetyl, 4-(β -chloroethylsulfonyl)-butyryl, 4-vinylsulfonylbutyryl, 5-(β -chloro-

ethylsulfonyl)-caproyl, 6-vinylsulfonylcaproyl; and 4-fluoro-3-nitro-benzoyl, 4-fluoro-3-nitrophenylsulfonyl, 4-fluoro-3-methylsulfonylbenzoyl, 4-fluoro-3-cyano-benzoyl, 2-fluoro-5-methylsulfonylbenzoyl.

Further examples are the following fibre-reactive radicals:

mono- or dihalogeno-symmetric triazinyl radicals, for example 2,4-dichlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-amino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-alkyl-amino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, such as 2-methylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-ethylamino- or 3-propylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-β-hydroxyethylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-di-β-hydroxyethylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl and the corresponding sulfuric acid half esters, 2-diethylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-morpholino- or 2-piperidino-4-chloro-triazin-6-yl, 2-cyclohexylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-arylamino- and substituted arylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, such as 2-phenylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(o-, m- or p-carboxyl- or sulfophenyl)-amino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-alkoxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, such as 2-methoxy- or ethoxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(phenylsulfonylmethoxy)-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-aryloxy and substituted aryloxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, such as 2-phenoxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(p-sulfophenyl)-oxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(o-, m- or p-methyl- or methoxyphenyl)-oxy-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-alkylmercapto- or 2-arylmercapto- or 2-(substituted aryl)-mercapto-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, such as 2-β-hydroxyethyl-mercapto-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-phenylmercapto-4-chloro-triazin-6-yl, 3-(4'-methylphenyl)-mercapto-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(2',4'-dinitro)-phenylmercapto-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-methyl-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-phenyl-4-chloro-triazin-6-yl, 2,4-difluoro-triazin-6-yl, monofluorotriazinyl radicals which are substituted by amino, alkylamino, aralkylamino or acylamino groups, where alkyl is, in particular, C₁-C₄alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted, aralkyl is, in particular, phenyl-C₁-C₄alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted and aryl is, in particular, phenyl or naphthyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by sulfo, C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, carboxylic acid groups, acylamino groups and halogen atoms, such as fluorine, chlorine or bromine, for example 2-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-methylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-ethyl-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-iso-propylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-dimethylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-diethylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-β-methoxy-ethylamino-4-fluorotriazin-6-yl, 2-β-hydroxyethylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-di-(β-hydroxyethylamino)-4-fluorotriazin-6-yl, 2-β-sulfoethylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-β-sulfoethyl-methylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-carboxymethylamino-4-fluoro-

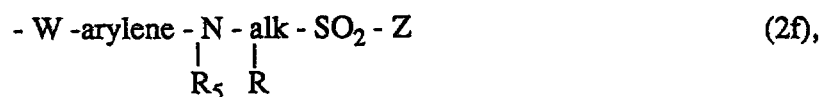
triazin-6-yl, 2-β-cyanoethyl-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-benzolamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-β-phenylethylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-benzyl-methylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2', 3'- or
4'-sulfobenzyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-cyclohexylamino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(o-, m-, p-methylphenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(o-, m-,
p-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2',5'-disulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-
triazin-6-yl, 2-(o-, m-, p-chlorophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(o-, m-,
p-methoxyphenyl)-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-methyl-4'-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-
triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-methyl-5'-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-chloro-
4'-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-chloro-5'-sulfophenyl)-
amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-methoxy-4'-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(o-, m-, p-carboxyphenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2',4'-disulfophenyl)-
amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(3',5'-disulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(2'-carboxy-4-sulfophenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(2'-carboxy-4-sulfophenyl)-
amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(6'-sulfonaphth-2'-yl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(4',8'-disulfonaphth-2'-yl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(6',8'-disulfonaphth-2'-yl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(N-methylphenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(N-ethyl-
phenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-(N-β-hydroxyethylphenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-
triazin-6-yl, 2-(N-iso-propylphenyl)-amino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, 2-morpholino-4-fluoro-
triazin-6-yl, 2-piperidino-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(4',6',8'-trisulfonaphth-2'-yl)-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(3',6',8'-trisulfonaphth-2'-yl)-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl,
2-(3',6'-disulfonaphth-1'-yl)-4-fluoro-triazin-6-yl, mono-, di- or trihalopyrimidinyl
radicals, such as 2,4-dichloropyrimidin-6-yl, 2,4,5-trichloropyrimidin-6-yl, 2,4-dichloro-
5-nitro- or -5-methyl- or -5-carboxymethyl- or -5-carboxy- or -5-cyano- or -5-vinyl- or
-5-sulfo- or -5-mono-, -di- or -trichloromethyl- or -5-carboalkoxy-pyrimidin-6-yl,
2,6-dichloropyrimidine-4-carbonyl, 2,4-dichloropyrimidine-5-carbonyl,
2-chloro-4-methylpyrimidine-5-carbonyl, 2-methyl-4-chloropyrimidine-5-carbonyl,
2-methyl-thio-4-fluoropyrimidine-5-carbonyl, 6-methyl-2,4-dichloropyrimidine-
5-carbonyl, 2,4,6-trichloropyrimidine-5-carbonyl, 2,4-dichloropyrimidine-5-sulfonyl,
2-chloroquinoxaline-3-carbonyl, 2- or 3-mono-chloroquinoxaline-6-carbonyl, 2- or
3-monochloroquinoxaline-6-sulfonyl, 2,3-dichloroquinoxaline-6-carbonyl, 2,3-dichloro-
quinoxaline-6-sulfonyl, 1,4-dichlorophthalazine-6-sulfonyl or -6-carbonyl, 2,4-dichloro-
quinazoline-7- or -6-sulfonyl- or -carbonyl, 2- or 3- or 4-(4',5'-dichloropyridaz-6'-in-
1'-yl)-phenylsulfonyl- or -carbonyl-, β-(4',5'-dichloropyridaz-6'-on-1'-yl)-ethyl-carbonyl,
N-methyl-N-(2,4-dichlorotriazin-6-yl)-carbamyl, N-methyl-N-(2-methylamino-4-chloro-

triazin-6-yl)-carbamyl, N-methyl-N-(2-dimethylamino-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl)-carbamyl, N-methyl- or N-ethyl-N-(2,4-dichlorotriazin-6-yl)-amino-acetyl, N-methyl-N-(2,3-dichloroquinoxaline-6-sulfonyl)-aminoacetyl, N-methyl-N-(2,3-dichloroquinoxaline-6-carbonyl)-aminoacetyl, and the corresponding bromine and fluorine derivatives of the abovementioned chlorine-substituted heterocyclic radicals, among these, for example, 2-fluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-chloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5,6-dichloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,5-difluoro-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-methyl-6-chloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-nitro-6-chloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 5-bromo-2-fluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-cyano-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,5,6-trifluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 5-chloro-6-chloromethyl-2-fluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-bromo-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-bromo-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-bromo-6-chloromethyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-chloromethyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-nitro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-chloro-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-chloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-chloro-4-pyrimidinyl, 6-trifluoromethyl-5-chloro-2-fluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 6-trifluoromethyl-2-fluoro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-nitro-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-phenyl- or -5-methylsulfonyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-carboxamido-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-carbomethoxy-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-bromo-6-trifluoromethyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-carboxamido-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-carbomethoxy-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-phenyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-6-cyano-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-methylsulfonyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-sulfonamido-4-pyrimidinyl, 2-fluoro-5-chloro-6-carbomethoxy-4-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-difluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-4-pyrimidinyl, 6-fluoro-5-chloro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-2-methylpyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-chloro-2-methylpyrimidin-4-yl, 5,6-difluoro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-chloro-2-trifluoromethylpyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-2-phenylpyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-cyano-pyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-nitropyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-methyl-sulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 6-fluoro-5-phenylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, triazine radicals containing sulfonyl groups, such as 2,4-bis-(phenylsulfonyl)-triazin-6-yl, 2-(3'-carboxyphenyl)-sulfonyl-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2-(3'-sulfophenyl)-sulfonyl-4-chlorotriazin-6-yl, 2,4-bis-(3'-carboxyphenylsulfonyl)-triazin-6-yl; pyrimidine rings containing sulfonyl groups, such as 2-carboxymethylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-6-methylpyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-6-ethyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-phenylsulfonyl-5-chloro-6-methyl-pyrimidinyl, 2,6-bis-methylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl,

2,6-bis-methyl-sulfonyl-5-chloro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2,4-bis-methylsulfonyl-pyrimidine-5-sulfonyl, 2-methylsulfonylpyrimidin-4-yl, 2-phenyl-sulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-trichloromethylsulfonyl-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-chloro-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-bromo-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methyl-sulfonyl-5-chloro-6-ethyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methyl-sulfonyl-5-chloro-6-chloromethyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methyl-sulfonyl-4-chloro-6-methylpyrimidine-5-sulfonyl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-nitro-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2,5,6-tris-methylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5,6-dimethylpyridin-4-yl, 2-ethylsulfonyl-5-chloro-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methyl-sulfonyl-6-chloro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2,6-bis-methylsulfonyl-5-chloro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-6-carbonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-sulfopyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-6-carbomethoxy-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-carboxy-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-cyano-6-methoxypyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-5-chloropyrimidin-4-yl, 2-sulfoethylsulfonyl-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methyl-sulfonyl-5-bromo-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-phenyl-sulfonyl-5-chloro-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-carboxymethylsulfonyl-5-chloro-6-methyl-pyrimidin-4-yl, 2-methylsulfonyl-6-chloropyrimidine-4- and -5-carbonyl, 2,6-bis(methyl-sulfonyl)-pyrimidine-4- or -5-carbonyl, 2-ethylsulfonyl-6-chloro-pyrimidine-5-carbonyl, 2,4-bis-(methylsulfonyl)-pyrimidine-5-sulfonyl, 2-methylsulfonyl-4-chloro-6-methyl-pyrimidine-5-sulfonyl or -carbonyl, triazine rings containing ammonium groups, such as trimethylammonium-4-phenylamino- or -4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-aminotriazin-6-yl, 2-(1,1-dimethylhydrazinium)-4-phenylamino- or -4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-aminotriazin-6-yl, 2-(2-isopropylidene-1,1-dimethyl)hydrazinium-4-phenylamino- or -4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-amino-triazin-6-yl, 2-N-aminopyrrolidinium- or 2-amino-piperidinium-4-phenylamino- or -4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-aminotriazin-6-yl, 2-N-aminopyrrolidinium- or 2-N-aminopiperidinium-4-phenylamino- or -4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-aminotriazin-6-yl, and furthermore 4-phenylamino- or 4-(sulfophenylamino)-triazin-6-yl radicals which contain 1,4-bis-azabicyclo-[2,2,2]-octane or 1,2-bis-aza-bicyclo-[0,3,3]-octane bonded quarternally in the 2-position via a nitrogen bond, 2-pyridinium-4-phenylamino- or 4-(o-, m- or p-sulfophenyl)-aminotriazin-6-yl and the corresponding 2-oniumtriazin-6-yl radicals which are substituted in the 4-position by alkylamino, such as methylamino, ethylamino or β -hydroxyethylamino, or alkoxy, such as methoxy or ethoxy, or aroxy, such as phenoxy or sulfophenoxy groups: 2-chlorobenzothiazole-5- or -6-carbonyl or -5- or -6-sulfonyl, 2-arylsulfonyl- or -alkylsulfonylbenzothiazole-5- or -6-carbonyl or -5- or -6-sulfonyl, such as 2-methyl-sulfonyl- or 2-ethoxysulfonylbenzothiazole-5- or 6-sulfonyl or -carbonyl, 2-phenylsulfonyl-benzothiazole-5- or -6-sulfonyl or -carbonyl and the corresponding 2-sulfonylbenzothiazole-5- or 6-carbonyl or -sulfonyl derivatives containing sulfo groups

in the fused-on benzene ring, 2-chlorobenzoxazole-5- or -6-carbonyl or -sulfonyl,
 2-chloro-benzimidazole-5- or -6-carbonyl or -sulfonyl,
 2-chloro-1-methylbenzimidazole-5- or -6-carbonyl or -sulfonyl,
 2-chloro-4-methyl-1,3-thiazole-5-carbonyl or -4- or -5-sulfonyl, the N-oxide of the
 4-chloro- or 4-nitroquinoline-5-carbonyl, or else the radicals 5-chloro-2,6-difluoro-
 1,3-dicyanophenyl, 2,4-difluoro-1,3,5-tricyanophenyl, 2,4,5-trifluoro-1,3-dicyano-phenyl,
 2,4-dichloro-5-methylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-6-yl,
 2,4-trichloro-5-ethylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-6-yl,
 2-fluoro-5-methylsulfonyl-6'-(2'-sulfophenylamino)-pyrimidin-4-yl,
 2,5-dichloro-6-methylsulfonyl-pyrimidin-4-yl.

A group of suitable reactive groups comprises those of the formulae



in which

W is a group of the formula $-\text{SO}_2-\text{NR}_5-$, $-\text{CONR}_5-$ or $-\text{NR}_5\text{CO}-$,

R_5 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_4 alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by hydroxyl, sulfo, sulfato, carboxyl or cyano, or a radical of the formula $-\text{alk}-\text{SO}_2-\text{Z}$,
 $\begin{array}{c} \text{R} \\ | \\ -\text{alk}-\text{SO}_2-\text{Z} \end{array}$

R is hydrogen, hydroxyl, sulfo, sulfato, carboxyl, cyano, halogen, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_4 alkanoyloxy, carbamoyl or the group $-\text{SO}_2-\text{Z}$,

Z is the radical $-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ or $-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{Y}$,

Y is a leaving group,

E is the radical $-\text{O}-$ or $-\text{NR}_7$,

R_7 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_4 alkyl,

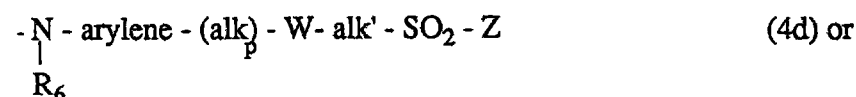
alk and alk' independently of one another are C_1 - C_6 alkylene, arylene is a phenylene or naphthylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by sulfo, carboxyl, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy or halogen,

R_6 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_4 alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by carboxyl, cyano, hydroxyl, sulfo or sulfato,

Hal is halogen and

X is a group which can be split off as an anion, and

T is a radical of the formula



in which

R, R₅, R₆, E, W, Z, alk, alk' and arylene are as defined above and p is 0 or 1.

Suitable leaving groups Y are, for example, -Cl, -Br, -F, -OSO₃H, -SSO₃H, -OCO-CH₃, -OPO₃H₂, -OCO-CCl₃, -OCO-CHCl₂, -OCO-CH₂Cl, -OSO₂-C₁-C₄alkyl, -OSO₂-N(C₁-C₄alkyl)₂ or -OCO-C₆H₅.

Preferably, Y is a group of the formula -Cl, -OSO₃H, -SSO₃H, -OCO-CH₃, -OCO-C₆H₅ or -OPO₃H₂, in particular -OSO₃H.

alk and alk' independently of one another are, for example, a methylene, ethylene, 1,3-propylene, 1,4-butylene, 1,5-pentylene or 1,6-hexylene radical or branched isomers thereof.

alk and alk' are preferably a C₁-C₄alkylene radical, and particularly preferably an ethylene radical.

R is preferably hydrogen or the group -SO₂-Z, in which Z is as defined above. R is particularly preferably hydrogen.

R₅ is preferably hydrogen, C₁-C₄alkyl or a group -alk-SO₂-Z, in which alk and Z are each as defined above. R₅ is particularly preferably hydrogen or C₁-C₄alkyl, in particular hydrogen.

R₆ is preferably hydrogen or a C₁-C₄alkyl radical, and particularly preferably hydrogen.

Arylene is preferably a 1,3- or 1,4-phenylene radical, which is unsubstituted or substituted, for example by sulfo, methyl, methoxy or carboxyl.

E is preferably -NH-, and particularly preferably -O-.

W is preferably a group of the formula -CONH- or, in particular, -NHCO-.

X is, for example, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, sulfo, C₁-C₄alkylsulfonyl or phenylsulfonyl, and preferably fluorine or chlorine.

Hal is, for example, chlorine or, in particular, bromine.

Other interesting reactive groups are those of the formula (3) in which T is a group which can be split off as an anion or a non-reactive substituent.

A group T which can be split off as an anion is here, for example, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, sulfo, C₁-C₄alkylsulfonyl or phenylsulfonyl, and preferably fluorine, or in particular chlorine.

A non-reactive substituent T can be, for example, a hydroxyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, C₁-C₄alkylthio, amino, N-C₁-C₄alkylamino or N,N-di-C₁-C₄alkylamino radical, where the alkyl is unsubstituted or substituted, for example by sulfo, sulfato, hydroxyl, carboxyl or phenyl, or a cyclohexylamino, morpholino or N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino or phenylamino or naphthylamino radical, where the phenyl or naphthyl is unsubstituted or substituted, for example by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, carboxyl, sulfo or halogen.

Examples of suitable non-reactive substituents T are amino, methylamino, ethylamino, β-hydroxyethylamino, N,N-di-β-hydroxyethylamino, β-sulfoethylamino, cyclohexylamino, morpholino, o-, m- or p-chlorophenylamino, o-, m- or p-methylphenylamino, o-, m- or p-methoxyphenylamino, o-, m- or p-sulfophenylamino, disulfophenylamino, o-carboxyphenylamino, 1- or 2-naphthylamino, 1-sulfo-2-naphthylamino, 4,8-disulfo-2-naphthylamino, N-ethyl-N-phenylamino, N-methyl-N-phenylamino, methoxy, ethoxy, n- or isopropoxy and hydroxyl.

A non-reactive substituent T is preferably amino, N-C₁-C₄alkylamino, which is unsubstituted in the alkyl part or substituted by hydroxyl, sulfato or sulfo, morpholino, phenylamino or N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino, in which the phenyl is in each case unsubstituted or substituted by sulfo, carboxyl, methyl or methoxy. Phenylamino or N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino in which the phenyl is in each case unsubstituted or substituted by sulfo, carboxyl, methyl or methoxy are particularly preferred.

Other interesting reactive groups are pyrimidine or quinoxaline radicals, each of which has at least one group which can be split off as an anion. Examples are the 2,3-dichloroquinoxaline-6-carbonylamino radical, the 2,4-dichloropyrimidine-5-carbonylamino radical and the radical of the formula



in which

one of the radicals X_1 is a group which can be split off as an anion and the other radical X_1 is as defined and preferred for non-reactive substituents T, or is a radical of the formulae (4a) to (4e) or a group which can be split off as an anion, X_2 is a negative substituent and R_6 independently is as defined under formula (3).

The radical X_1 which can be split off as an anion is preferably fluorine or chlorine. Examples of suitable radicals X_2 are nitro, cyano, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfonyl, carboxyl, chlorine, hydroxyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxysulfonyl, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfinyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2 - C_4 alkanoyl, X_2 preferably being chlorine, cyano and methylsulfonyl.

Particularly preferred reactive groups are those of the formula (2a), (2b), (2g) and (2h). Z, W, alk, R and Hal here are as defined and preferred above. Z is preferably a vinyl or β -sulfatoethyl radical. The radical W is preferably a radical of the formula -NH-CO-, R is preferably hydrogen and alk is preferably ethylene. Hal is preferably chlorine or, in particular, bromine. Reactive groups of the formula (2a) are of particular interest.

Interesting reactive groups are furthermore those of the formula (3) in which T, X and R_6 are as defined and preferred above. Particularly preferably, T here is a non-reactive radical, in particular phenylamino or N- C_1 - C_4 alkyl-N-phenylamino, in which the phenyl is in each case unsubstituted or substituted by sulfur, carboxyl, methyl or methoxy. X here is particularly preferably fluorine or chlorine. R_6 is particularly preferably hydrogen, methyl or ethyl, in particular hydrogen.

Particularly preferably, the radicals A_1 and A_2 contain no reactive group.

Preferably, A_1 and A_2 independently of one another are the radical of a monoazo, disazo, anthraquinone, dioxazine, phthalocyanine or formazan dye.

Radicals of a monoazo or disazo dye are, in particular, the following:

Dye radicals of a mono- or disazo dye, of the formula



In these formulae,

D_1 is the radical of a diazo component of the benzene or naphthalene series,

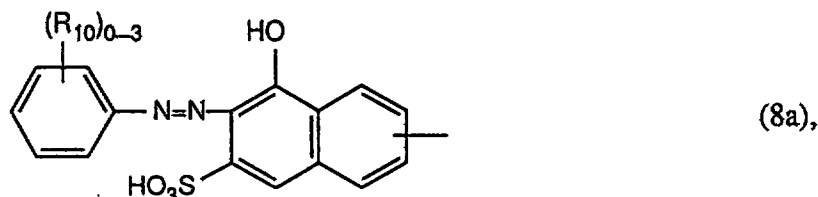
M is the radical of a central component of the benzene or naphthalene series,

K is the radical of a coupling component of the benzene, naphthalene, pyrazolone, 6-hydroxypyrid-2-one or acetoacetic acid arylamide series and

u is the number 0 or 1,

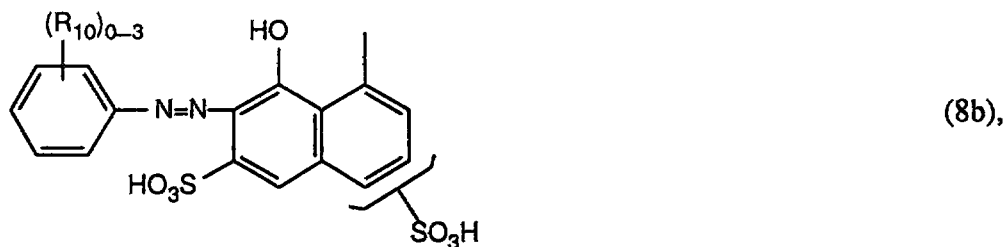
where D_1 , M and K can carry the substituents customary for azo dyes, for example those defined above. Such substituents are, in particular, C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkoxy which is unsubstituted or further substituted by hydroxyl, sulfo or sulfato, halogen, carboxyl, sulfo, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, sulfamoyl, carbamoyl, amino, ureido, hydroxyl, carboxyl, sulfomethyl, C_2 - C_4 alkanoylamino, benzoylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen or sulfo, phenyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, and fibre-reactive radicals, where the fibre-reactive radicals are as defined and preferred above. The dyes are furthermore the metal complexes derived from the dye radicals of the formulae (6) and (7), the dye radicals being, in particular, those of a 1:1 copper complex azo dye of the benzene or naphthalene series, in which the copper atom is bonded to in each case a metallizable group on both sides in the ortho-position relative to the azo bridge.

Particularly preferred radicals of a mono or disazo dye are the following:



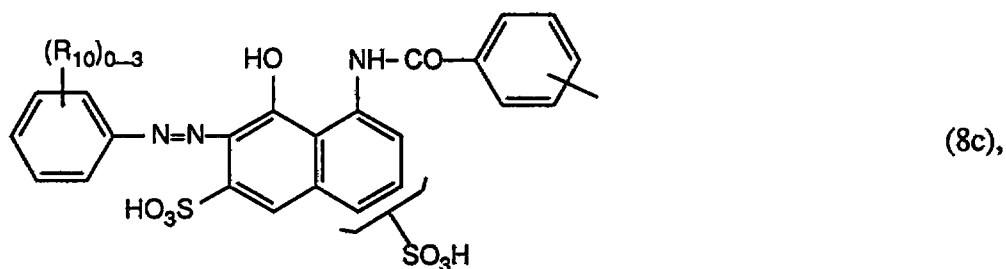
in which

R_{10} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



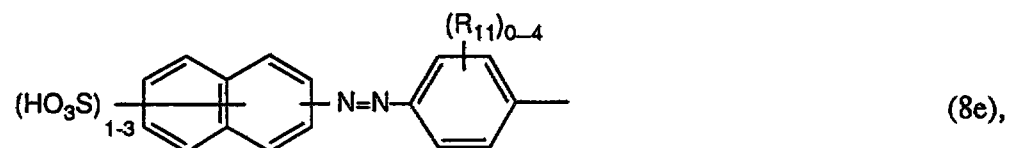
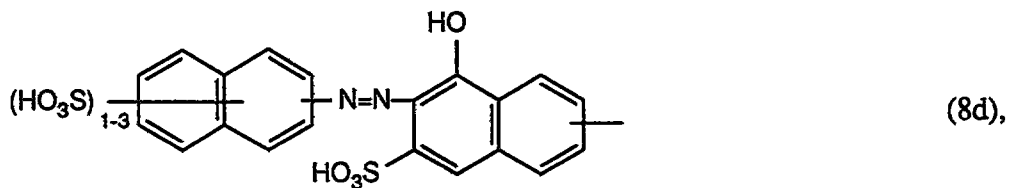
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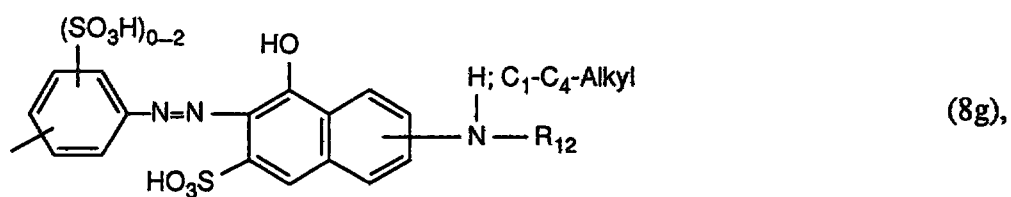
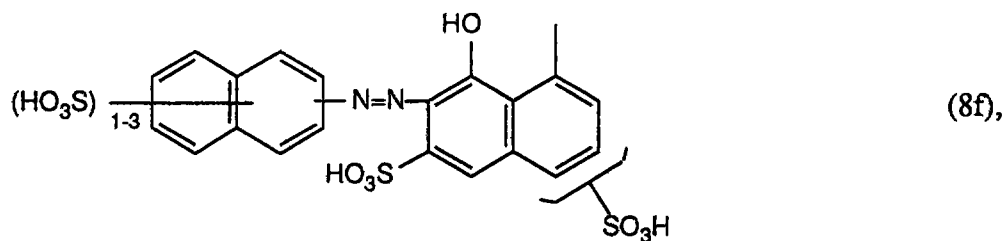
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R_{10} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



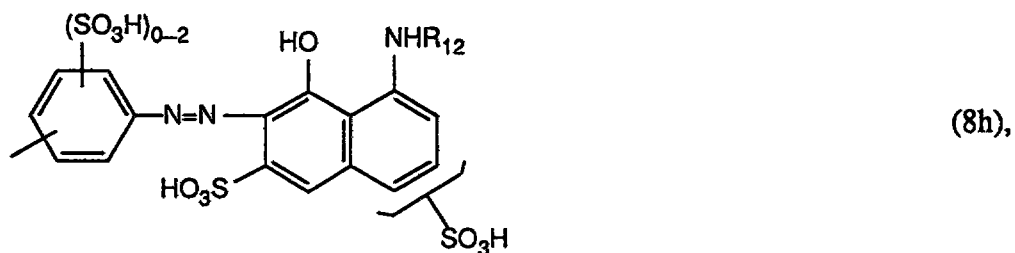
in which

R_{11} is 0 to 4 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of halogen, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, sulfamoyl, carbamoyl, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, amino, acetylamino, ureido, hydroxyl, carboxyl, sulfomethyl and sulfo,



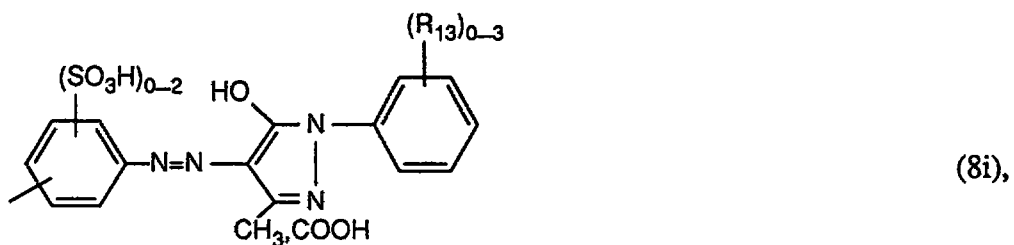
in which

R_{12} is C_1 - C_4 alkanoyl, benzoyl or a halogenotriazinyl radical which is unsubstituted or further substituted,



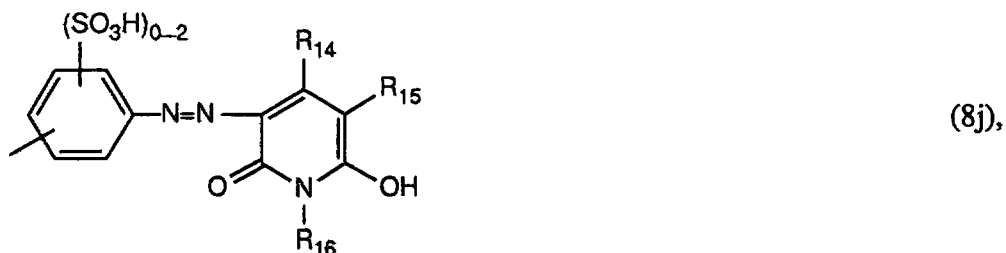
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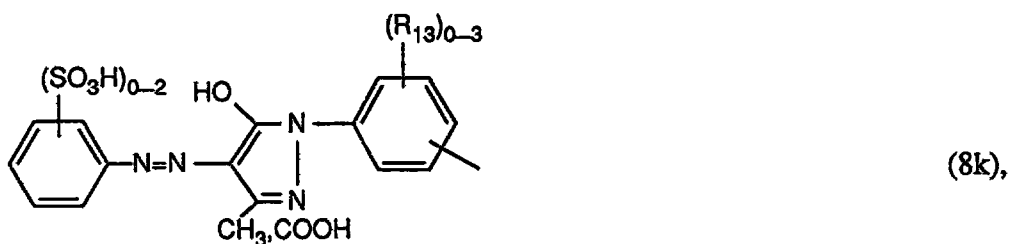
in which

R_{13} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



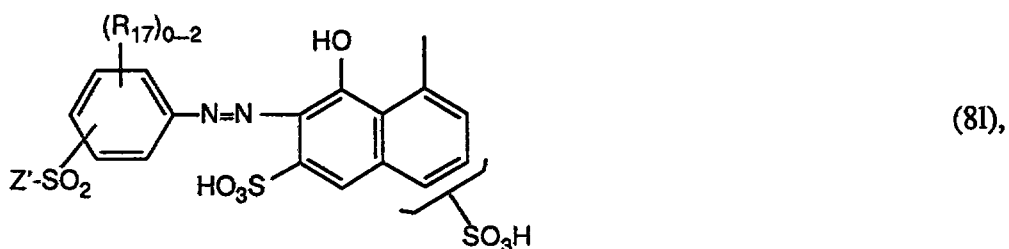
in which

R_{14} and R_{16} independently of one another are hydrogen, C_1 - C_4 alkyl or phenyl, and R_{15} is hydrogen, cyano, carbamoyl or sulfomethyl,



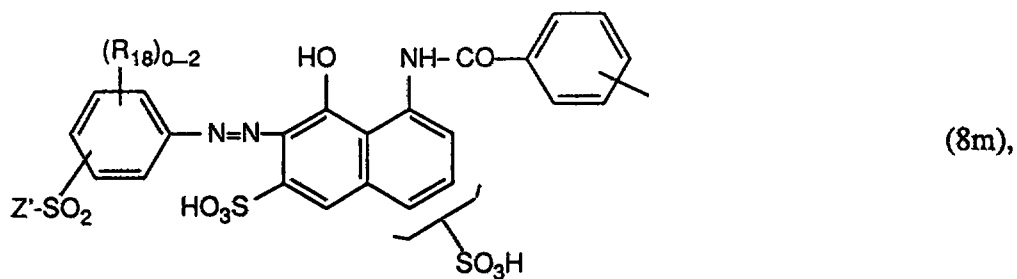
in which

R_{13} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



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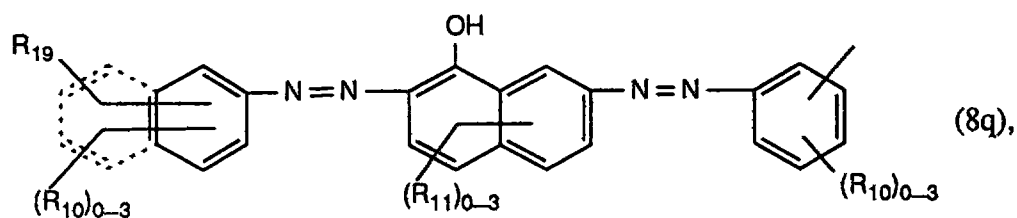
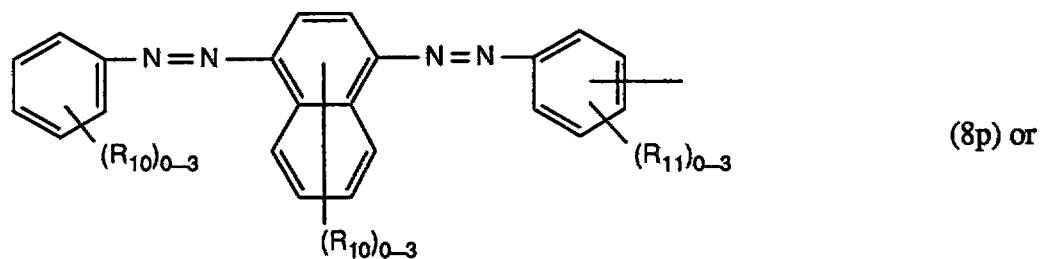
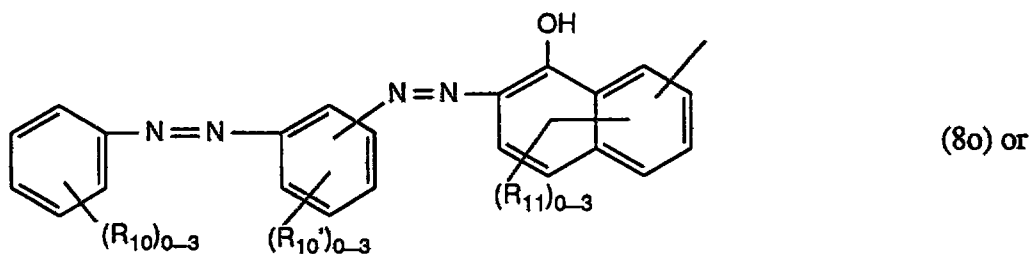
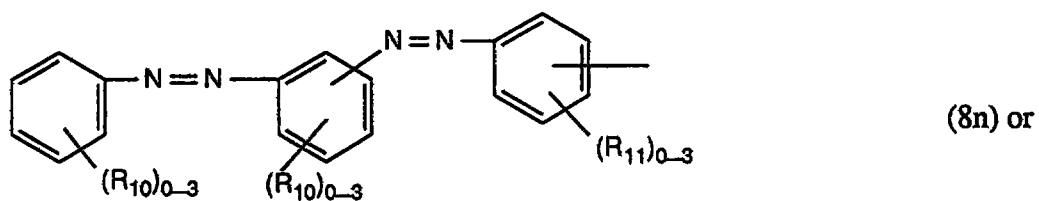
R_{17} is 0 to 2 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo; and Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl,



in which

R_{18} is 0 to 2 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo; and

Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl,



in which

R₁₀ is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C₁-C₄alkyl,

C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,

R₁₀' is as defined for R₁₀ and can additionally be C₁-C₄hydroxyalkoxy or

C₁-C₄sulfatoalkoxy,

R₁₁ is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of halogen, nitro,

cyano, trifluoromethyl, sulfamoyl, carbamoyl, C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, amino,

acetyl-amino, ureido, hydroxyl, carboxyl, sulfomethyl and sulfo and

R_{10} is hydrogen or a radical of the formula $-SO_2Z'$, $-NH-CO-(CH_2)_{2-3}-SO_2Z'$,

-NH-CO-C(Hal)=CH₂, or -NH-CO-CH(Hal)-CH₂-Hal, in which

Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl and

Hal is halogen.

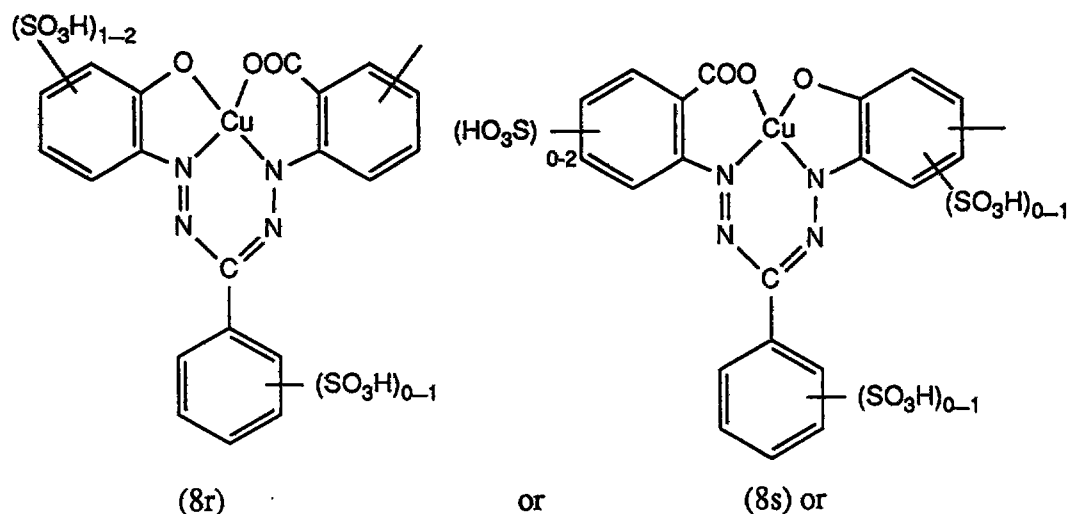
The radicals of the formulae (8a) to (8q) can also contain as a further substituent in the

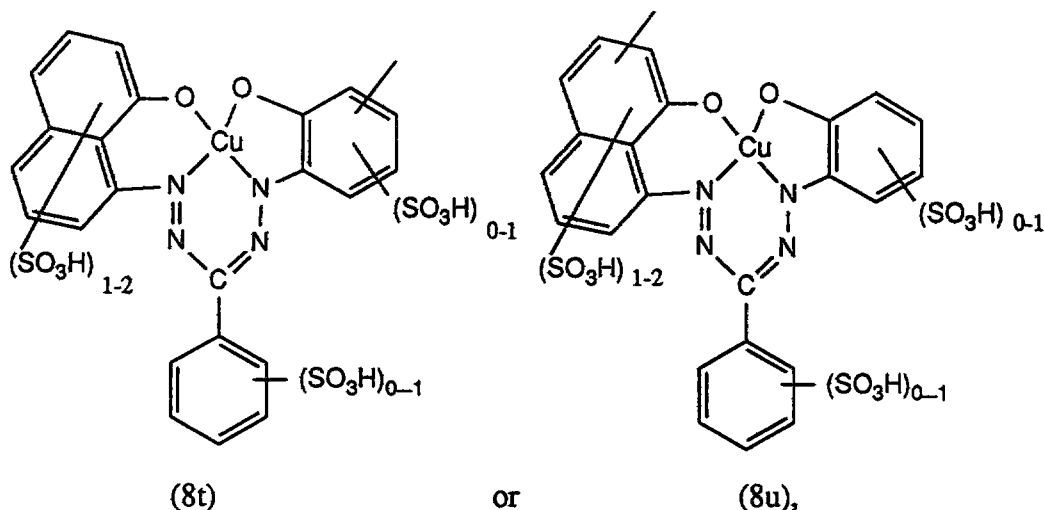
phenyl or naphthyl ring a radical of the formula $-SO_2Z'$, in which

Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or

vinyl. Z' is preferably β -sulfatoethyl or vinyl, in particular Vinyl.

The radical of a formazan dye is preferably a dye radical of the formula





in which the benzene nuclei contain no further substituents or are further substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfonyl, halogen or carboxyl.

The radical of a phthalocyanine dye is preferably a radical of the formula



in which

Pc is the radical of a metal phthalocyanine, in particular the radical of a copper or nickel phthalocyanine;

W' is $-OH$ and/or $-NR_9R_9'$;

R_9 and R_9' independently of one another are hydrogen or C_1 - C_4 alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by hydroxyl or sulfo;

R_8 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

E' is a phenylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, or a C_2 - C_6 alkylene radical; and

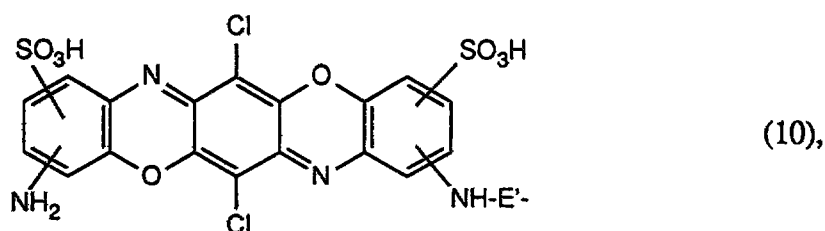
k is 1 to 3.

R_9 and R_9' are preferably hydrogen.

E' is preferably a phenylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo.

Pc is preferably the radical of a copper phthalocyanine.

The radical of a dioxazine dye is preferably a radical of the formula



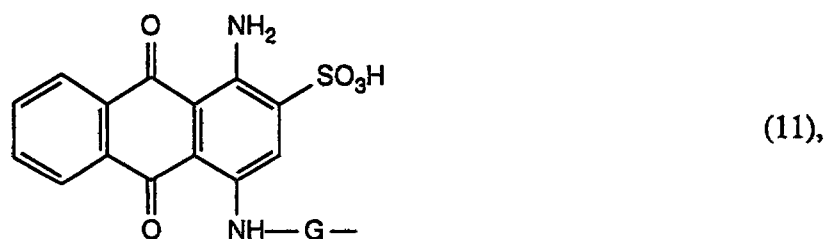
in which

E' is a phenylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, or a C₂-C₆alkylene radical and

the outer benzene rings in the formula (10) contain no further substituents or are further substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, acetylamino, nitro, halogen, carboxyl, sulfo or -SO₂-Z', in which

Z' is β-sulfatoethyl, β-thiosulfatoethyl, β-phosphatoethyl, β-acyloxyethyl, β-haloethyl or vinyl.

The radical of an anthraquinone dye is preferably a radical of the formula



in which

G is a phenylene, cyclohexylene, phenylenemethylene or C₂-C₆alkylene radical, where the anthraquinone nucleus can be substituted by a further sulfo group and a phenyl radical G can be substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, and the dye preferably contains at least 2 sulfo groups. Preferably, G is a phenyl radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo.

A₁ and A₂ are especially preferably radicals of the formulae (8a) to (8u), (9), (10) or (11). The radicals Y₁, Y₂, R₁, R₂, R₃ and R₄ and the number n of the dyes of the formula (1) are as defined and preferred above.

Dyes of the formula (1) are, in particular, those in which
 Y_1 and Y_2 independently of one another are fluorine or, preferably, chlorine,
 R_1, R_2, R_3 and R_4 independently of one another are hydrogen, methyl or ethyl, in
 particular hydrogen, and
 A_1 and A_2 are the radicals of the formulae (8a) to (8u), (9), (10) or (11). Here, the number
 n is as defined and preferred above.

The present invention furthermore relates to dye mixtures which comprise at least two
 dyes of the above formula (1). The dyes of the formula (1) and the radicals $A_1, A_2, Y_1, Y_2,$
 R_1, R_2, R_3 and R_4 and the number n are as defined and preferred above.

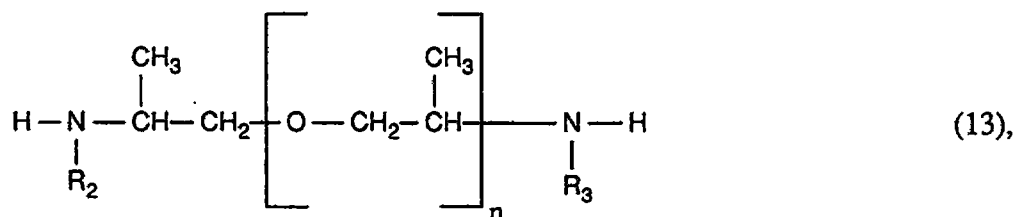
The dye mixtures according to the invention preferably comprise at least two dyes of the
 formula (1) which differ from one another in respect of the bridge member which joins the
 two triazine rings. Preferably, the dyes differ in respect of the number n . The number n
 here is as defined and preferred above. Particularly preferably, the meanings of the other
 substituents of the two dyes of the formula (1) mentioned are identical here.

Dye mixtures which comprise at least two dyes of the formula (1), the ratio of these two
 dyes of the formula (1) being preferably 5:95 to 95:5, in particular 10:90 to 90:10, and
 preferably 40:60 to 60:40, are of very particular interest.

The present invention furthermore relates to a process for the preparation of dyes of the
 formula (1), which comprises reacting at least one compound of the formulae



or corresponding dye intermediates, at least one halotriazine compound and at least one
 diamine of the formula



and if appropriate at least one compound of the formulae



in which

A_1 , A_2 , R_1 , R_2 , R_3 , R_4 and n are as defined above under formula (1) and Y_1 and Y_2 independently of one another are carboxypyridinium, substituted or unsubstituted amino or a heterocyclic radical bonded via a nitrogen atom, with one another in any sequence, if appropriate a further conversion reaction subsequently being carried out and, if dye intermediates are used, the resulting intermediates are converted into the desired dyes.

The preparation of the end dyes from intermediates is, above all, a coupling reaction which leads to azo dyes. The coupling reactions are carried out by processes known per se, for example in an aqueous medium at an acid, or neutral to weakly alkaline pH, in particular at a pH of 2 to 8, and at temperatures of, for example, 0 to 50°C.

Since the individual process steps described above can be carried out in different sequences, and if appropriate in some cases also simultaneously, various process variants are possible. In general, the reaction is carried out stepwise in succession, the sequence of the simple reactions between the individual reaction components advantageously depending on the particular conditions.

One process variant comprises subjecting one of the compounds of the formulae (12a) and (12b) to a condensation reaction with a halotriazine compound, subjecting the resulting product to a condensation reaction with a diamine of the formula (13) and reacting the resulting reaction product with the other compound of the formulae (12b) and (12a), which has first been subjected to a condensation reaction with a halotriazine compound. If appropriate, condensation with at least one of the compounds of the formulae (14a) and (14b) follows.

The present invention furthermore relates to a process for the preparation of the dye mixtures according to the invention. This can be carried out, on the one hand, by mixing the individual components, or as described above for the preparation of the dyes of the formula (1), at least two compounds of the formulae (12a) and (12b) which differ from one another, or at least two compounds of the formulae (14a) and (14b) which differ from one another, or at least two compounds of the formula (13) which differ from one another, or at least two halotriazine compounds which differ from one another being used. Preferably, different diamines of the formula (13) are used.

If the compounds of the formulae (12a) and (12b) have identical meanings, for example, these compounds are preferably subjected to a condensation reaction with a halotriazine compound and the resulting product is subjected to a condensation reaction with at least two diamines of the formula (13).

If only one diamine of the formula (13) is used, for example, a mixture of compounds of the formulae (12a) and (12b) which differ from one another is first subjected to a condensation reaction with a halotriazine compound and the resulting reaction mixture is then reacted with a diamine of the formula (13).

The halotriazine compounds used are preferably cyanuric halides, for example cyanuric chloride or cyanuric fluoride. A carboxypyridinium compound or a compound of the formula (14a) or (14b) is as a rule introduced after a condensation reaction of the corresponding cyanuric halides, and this is carried out by processes known for this purpose.

The compounds of the formulae (12a), (12b), (13), (14a) and (14b) and the halotriazine compounds are known or can be obtained analogously to known compounds.

The individual condensation reactions are carried out, for example, by processes known per se, as a rule in aqueous solution, at a temperature of, for example, 0 to 50°C and at a pH of, for example, 4 to 10.

Mixtures of individual dyes can as a rule be separated by suitable separation methods, for example by chromatographic separation methods.

The dyes of the formula (1) which contain a sulfo or sulfato group are either in the form of their free acids or, preferably, in the form of salts thereof. Salts are, for example, the alkali metal, alkaline earth metal or ammonium salts or the salts of an organic amine. Examples are the sodium, lithium, potassium or ammonium salts or the salt of mono-, di- or triethanolamine.

The dye mixtures according to the invention and the dyes according to the invention are suitable for dyeing and printing the most diverse materials, such as fibre materials containing hydroxyl groups or nitrogen. Examples are silk, leather, wool, polyamide fibres and polyurethanes, and in particular all types of cellulosic fibre materials. Such cellulosic

fibre materials are, for example, the naturally occurring cellulose fibres, such as cotton, linen and hemp, and cellulose and regenerated cellulose. The dye mixtures according to the invention and the dyes according to the invention are also suitable for dyeing or printing fibres which contain hydroxyl groups and are contained in blend fabrics, for example mixtures of cotton with polyester fibres or polyamide fibres. The dye mixtures according to the invention and the dyes according to the invention are particularly suitable for dyeing or printing cellulosic fibre materials. They can furthermore be used for dyeing or printing naturally occurring or synthetic polyamide fibre materials.

The dye mixtures according to the invention and the dyes according to the invention can be applied to the fibre material and if appropriate fixed to the fibre in various ways, in particular in the form of aqueous dye solutions and printing pastes. They are suitable both for the exhaust method and for dyeing by the pad-dyeing method, in which the goods are impregnated with aqueous dye solutions, which may contain salts, and the dyes are fixed, after treatment with alkali or in the presence of alkali, if appropriate under the action of heat. They are particularly suitable as reactive dyes for the so-called cold pad-batch process, in which the dye is applied on the padder together with the alkali and then fixed by storage at room temperature for several hours. After fixing, the dyeings or prints are rinsed thoroughly with cold and hot water, if appropriate with the addition of an agent which has a dispersing action and promotes diffusion of the non-fixed portions.

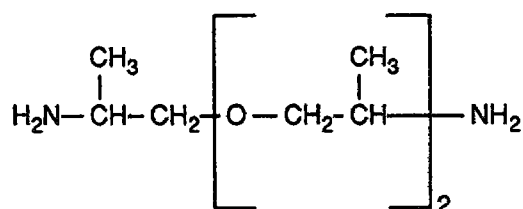
The dyes according to the invention and the dye mixtures according to the invention are distinguished by a high reactivity, good fixing capacity, a very good build-up capacity and good solubility. They can therefore be employed by the exhaust dyeing method at low dyeing temperatures, and require only short steaming times in the pad-steam process. The degrees of fixing of the reactive dyes are high and the non-fixed portions can easily be washed out, the difference between the degree of exhaustion and degree of fixing being remarkably small, i.e. the soaping loss being very low. The dyes according to the invention, and in particular the dye mixtures according to the invention, are also particularly suitable for printing, in particular on cotton, but also for printing nitrogen-containing fibres, for example wool or silk, or blend fabrics which comprise wool or silk.

The reactive dyeings and prints produced with the dyes according to the invention and with the dye mixtures according to the invention have a high colour strength and a high fibre-dye bond stability both in the acid and in the alkaline range. The dyeings and prints produced with the dyes according to the invention and with the dye mixtures according to

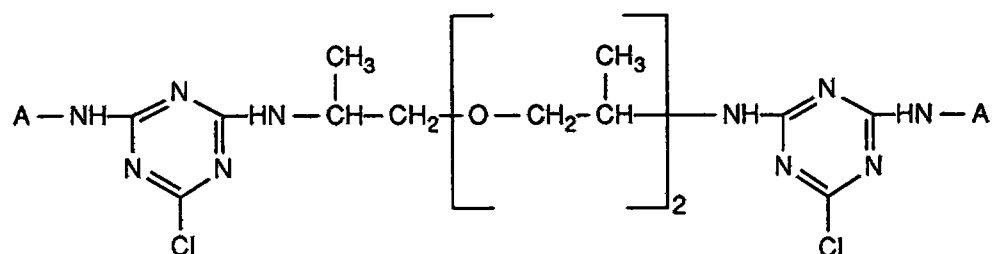
the invention furthermore have a good fastness to light and very good wet fastness properties, such as fastnesses to washing, water, sea water, crossdyeing and perspiration, as well as a good fastness to pleating, fastness to ironing and fastness to rubbing.

The following examples serve to illustrate the invention. The temperatures are in degrees Celsius and parts and percentages are by weight, unless noted otherwise. Parts by weight bear the same relationship to parts by volume as the kilogram to the litre.

Example 1: 19 parts of cyanuric chloride are stirred vigorously into 50 parts of water, with the addition of a wetting agent and 5 parts of a disodium hydrogen phosphate, at a temperature of 0°C. A neutral solution of 27 parts of 4,6-diaminobenzene-1,3-disulfonic acid in 200 parts of water is added dropwise; during this operation, the pH is kept at a value of 4.5 by addition of sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, 25 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 7 parts of sodium nitrite are added, the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes and the excess nitrite is destroyed with sulfamic acid. The suspension is added dropwise to a neutral solution of 20 parts of 1-ethyl-6-hydroxy-4-methyl-2-pyridonecarboxylamide in 50 parts of water, during which the pH is kept constant at a value of 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. A solution of 9.5 parts of a diamine of the formula

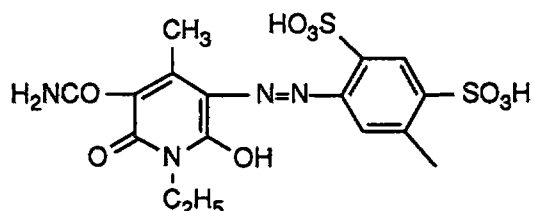


in 30 parts of water is then added dropwise such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9. Towards the end of the reaction, the mixture is then heated to a temperature of 40°C. When the condensation reaction has ended, the resulting product is precipitated by addition of sodium chloride, filtered off with suction and dried. A dye which, in the form of the free acid, is the compound of the formula



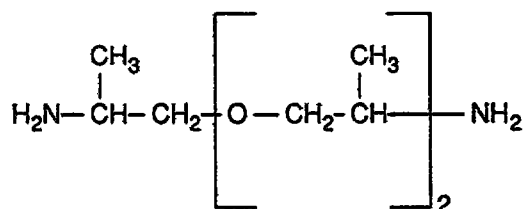
in which

A in each case is a radical of the formula



is obtained. The resulting dye dyes cotton in brilliant yellow colour shades.

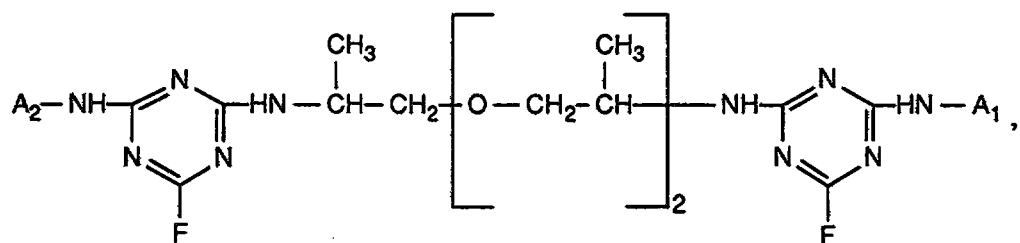
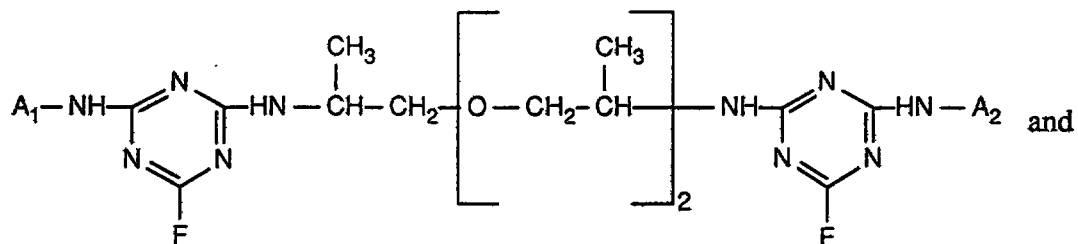
Example 2: 14 parts of cyanuric fluoride are added dropwise to a neutral solution of 50 parts of 7-amino-4-hydroxy-3-(2,5-disulfophenylazo)-naphthalene-2-sulfonic acid and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate in 500 parts of water at a temperature below 2°C; during this operation, the pH is kept constant by addition of aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, a solution of 18.5 parts of a diamine of the formula



in 90 parts of water is added such that the pH does not exceed a value of 6, and the pH is kept at a value of 6. Solution 1 is obtained.

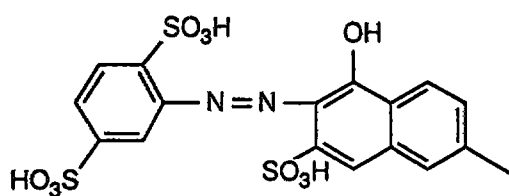
14 parts of cyanuric fluoride are added dropwise to a neutral solution of 45 parts of 7-amino-4-hydroxy-3-(4-methoxy-2-sulfo-phenylazo)-naphthalene-2-sulfonic acid and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate in 500 parts of water at a temperature below 2°C; during this operation, the pH is kept constant by addition of aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. Solution 2 is obtained.

Solution 2 is added to solution 1 and the pH is increased to and kept at a value of 8.5. The solution is allowed to warm to room temperature and is freed from salt by dialysis, and the resulting product is evaporated. A mixture of the dyes, shown in the form of the free acids, of the formulae

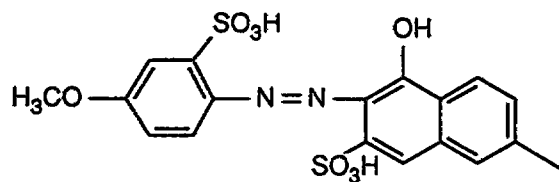


in which

A_1 is a radical of the formula

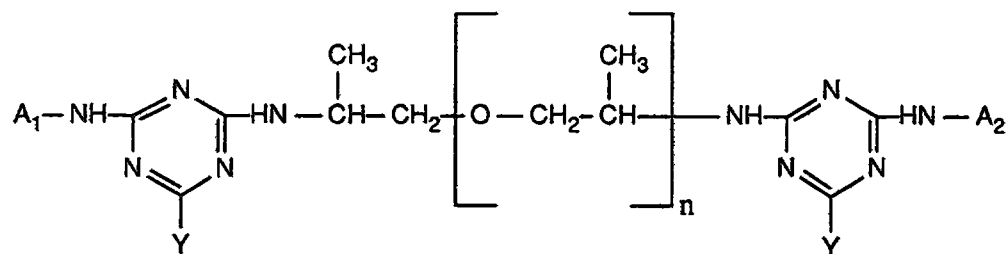


and A_2 is a radical of the formula



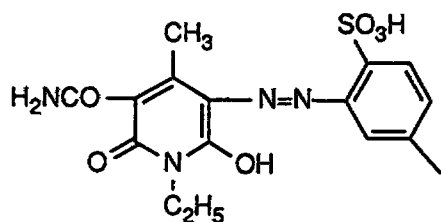
is obtained. The resulting dye mixture dyes cotton in brilliant orange colour shades.

Examples 3 to 106: Dyes of the formula

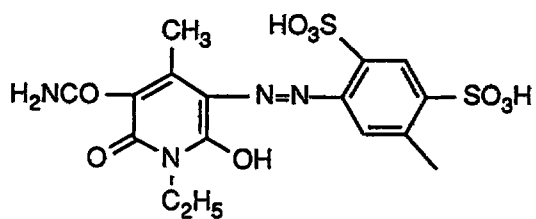


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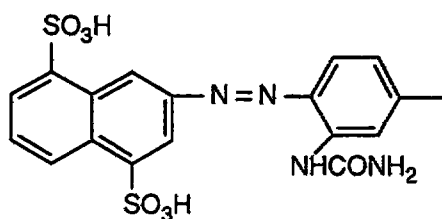
A_1 , A_2 , n and Y are as defined in columns 2 to 5 in the following Table 1, can be obtained in a manner analogous to the instructions in Example 1 or 2. The dyes dye cotton in the colour shades stated in column 6 in Table 1. The radicals A_1 and A_2 are designated by the letters A to Z6, which have the following meanings:



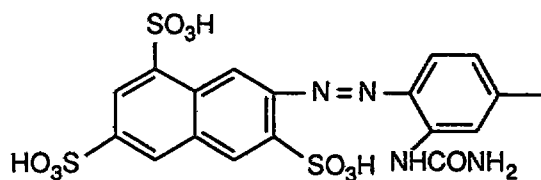
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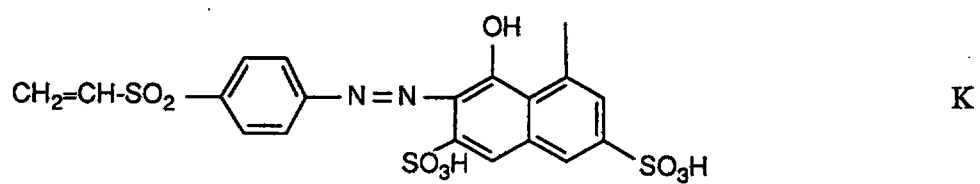
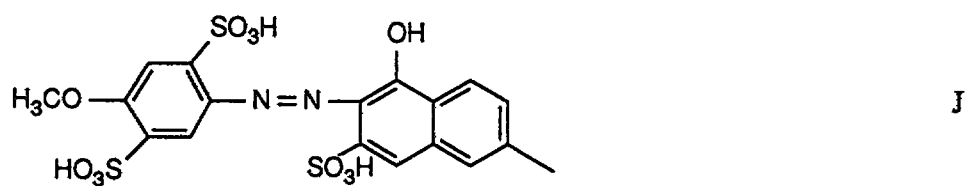
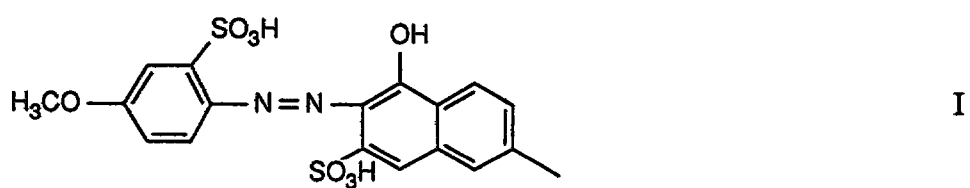
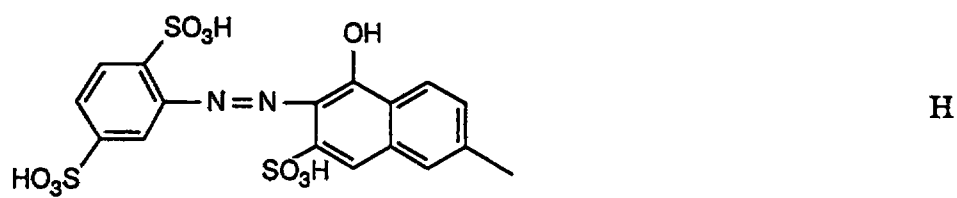
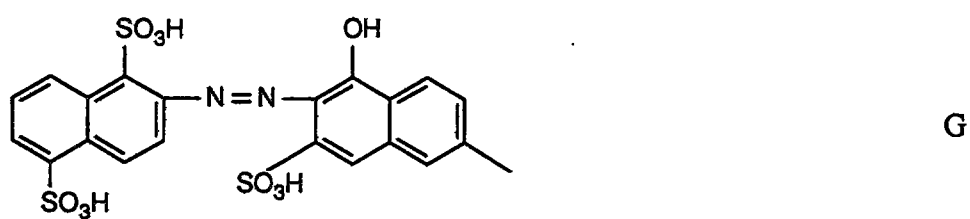
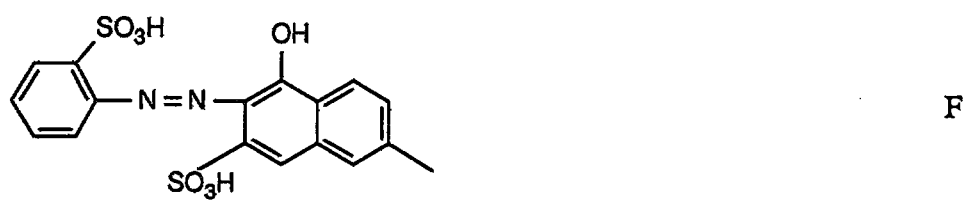
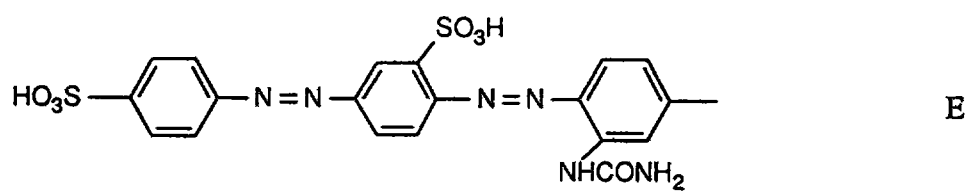
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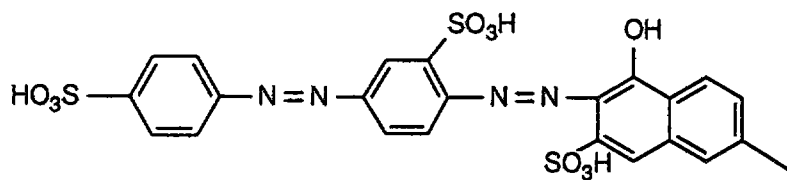


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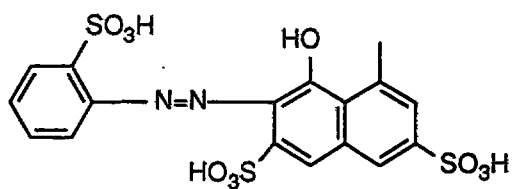


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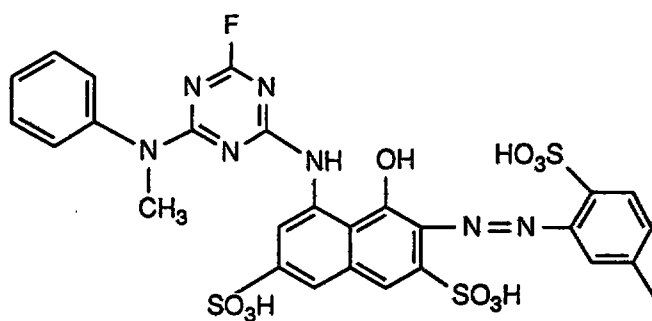




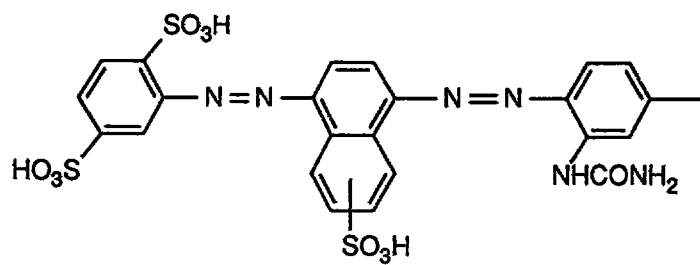
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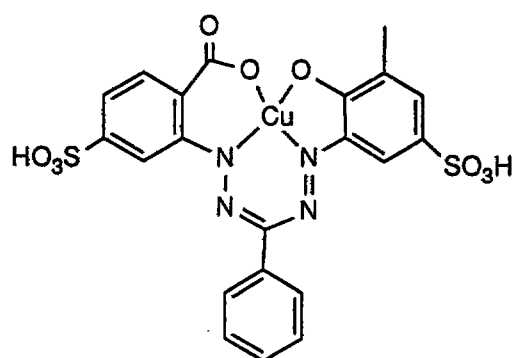
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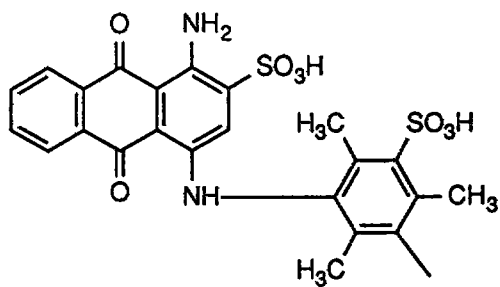
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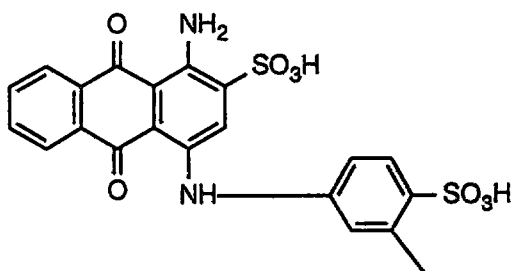
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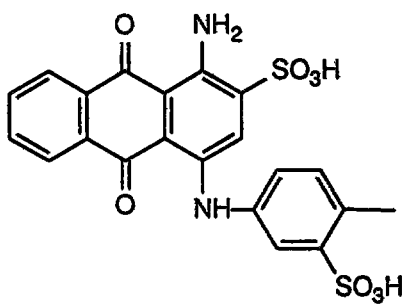
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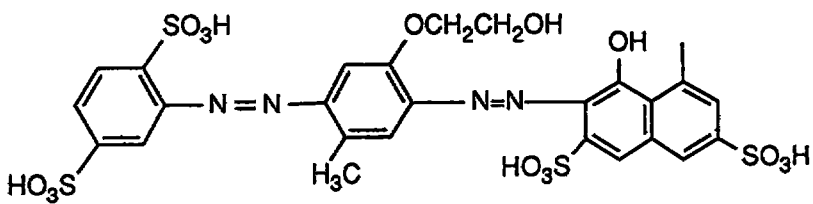
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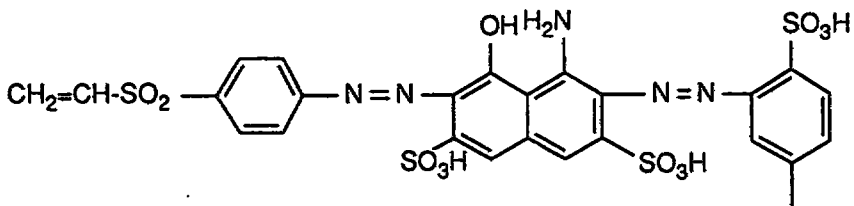
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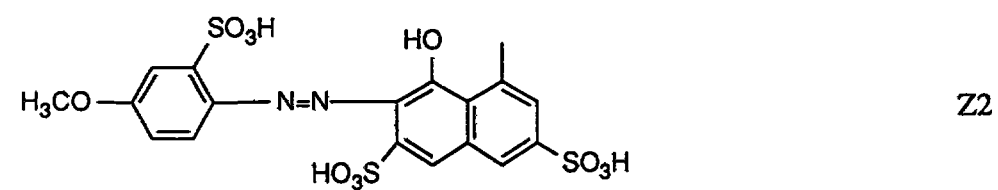
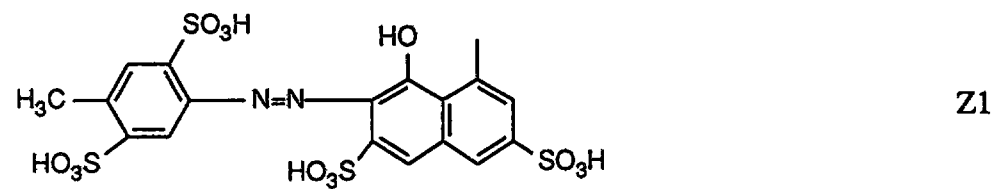
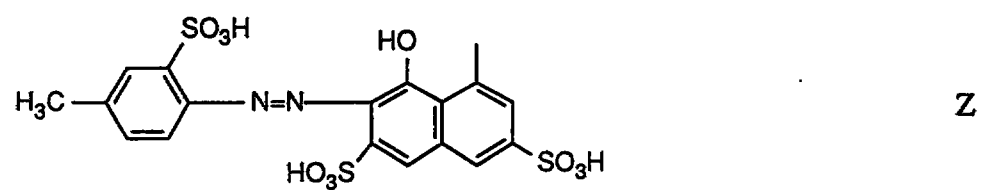
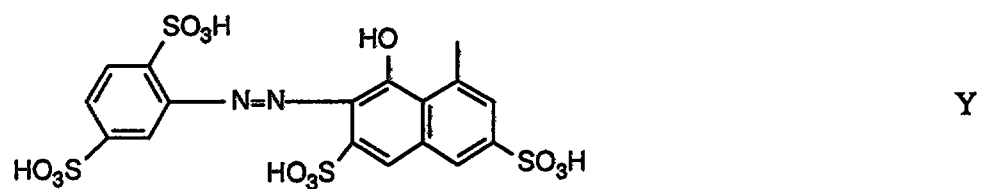
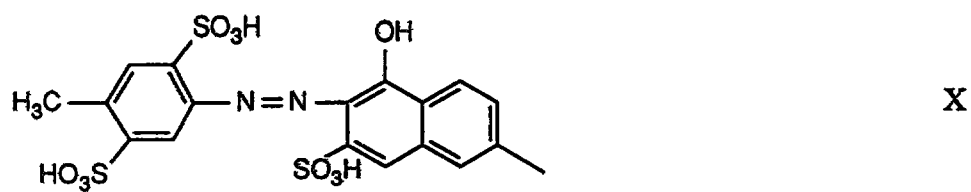
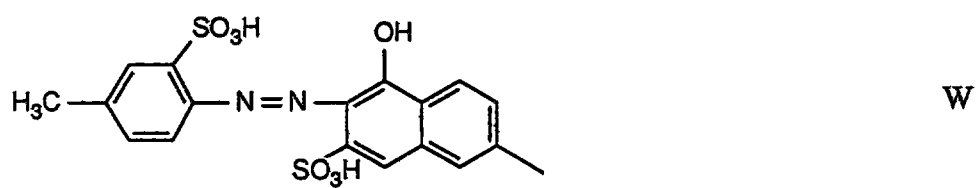
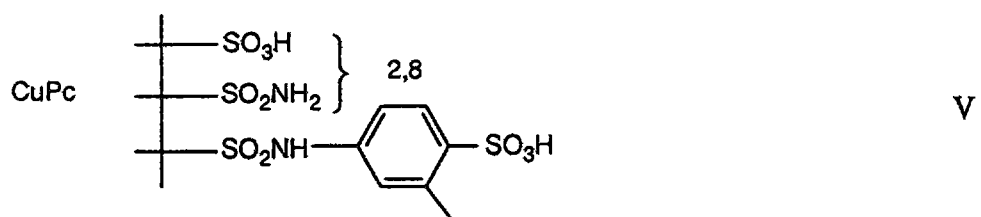
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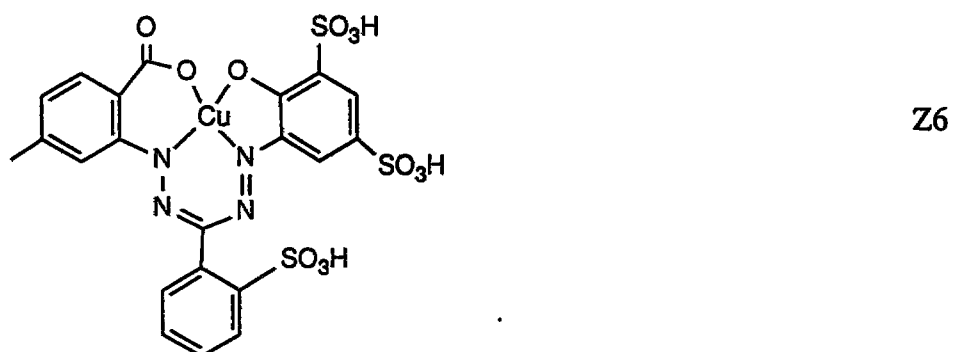
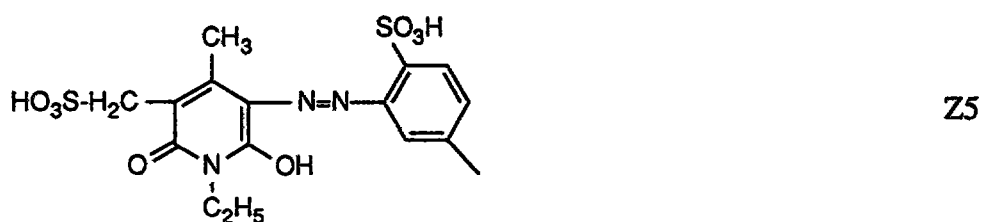
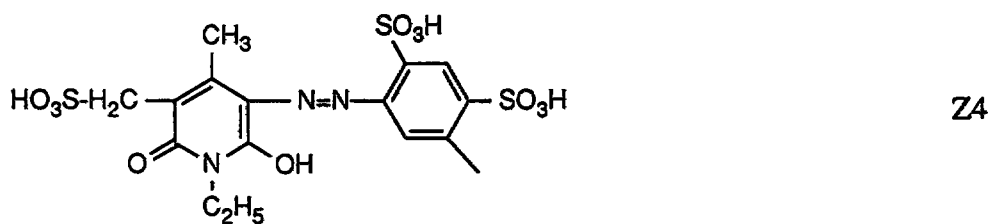
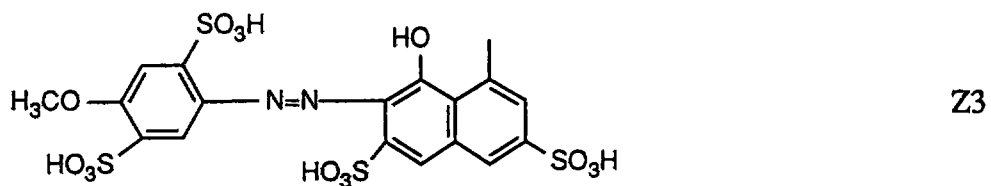


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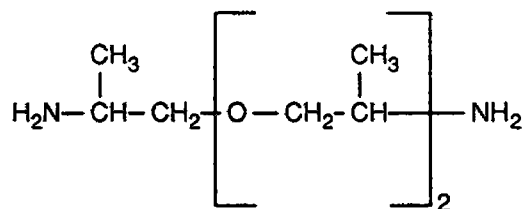
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5	C	C	2	chlorine	golden yellow
6	D	D	3	chlorine	golden yellow
7	E	E	3	chlorine	orange
8	F	F	2	chlorine	orange
9	G	G	3	chlorine	orange

10	H	H	2	chlorine	orange
11	I	I	2	chlorine	scarlet
12	J	J	2	chlorine	scarlet
13	K	K	3	chlorine	red
14	L	L	3	chlorine	red
15	M	M	2	chlorine	red
16	N	N	2	chlorine	red
17	O	O	2	chlorine	brown
18	P	P	3	chlorine	blue
19	Q	Q	3	chlorine	blue
20	R	R	3	chlorine	blue
21	S	S	3	chlorine	blue
22	T	T	3	chlorine	blue
23	U	U	2	chlorine	navy blue
24	V	V	3	chlorine	turquoise blue
25	W	W	2	chlorine	scarlet
26	X	X	2	chlorine	scarlet
27	Y	Y	3	chlorine	red
28	Z	Z	2	chlorine	red
29	Z1	Z1	2	chlorine	red
30	Z2	Z2	2	chlorine	bluish-tinged red
31	Z3	Z3	2	chlorine	bluish-tinged red
32	Z4	Z4	3	chlorine	yellow
33	Z5	Z5	3	chlorine	yellow
34	A	A	2	fluorine	yellow
35	B	B	2	fluorine	yellow
36	C	C	2	fluorine	golden yellow
37	D	D	3	fluorine	golden yellow
38	E	E	3	fluorine	orange
39	F	F	2	fluorine	orange
40	G	G	3	fluorine	orange
41	H	H	2	fluorine	orange
42	I	I	2	fluorine	scarlet
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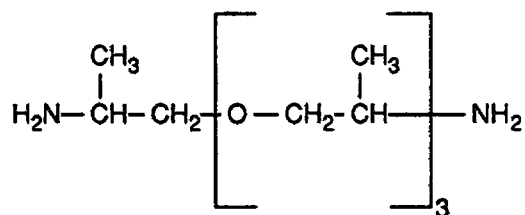
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50	Q	Q	3	fluorine	blue
51	R	R	3	fluorine	blue
52	S	S	3	fluorine	blue
53	T	T	3	fluorine	blue
54	U	U	2	fluorine	navy blue
55	V	V	6	fluorine	turquoise blue
56	W	W	2	fluorine	scarlet
57	X	X	2	fluorine	scarlet
58	Y	Y	3	fluorine	red
59	Z	Z	2	fluorine	red
60	Z1	Z1	2	fluorine	red
61	Z2	Z2	5	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
62	Z3	Z3	2	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
63	Z4	Z4	3	fluorine	yellow
64	Z5	Z5	4	fluorine	yellow
65	Z6	Z6	2	fluorine	blue
66	A	Q	2	chlorine	green
67	A	R	1	chlorine	green
68	B	D	3	chlorine	reddish-tinged yellow
69	C	D	2	fluorine	golden yellow
70	C	L	4	chlorine	reddish-tinged orange
71	D	R	2	chlorine	olive
72	D	S	4	chlorine	olive
73	E	L	3	chlorine	scarlet
74	E	O	6	fluorine	brown
75	F	H	7	chlorine	orange
76	F	I	2	fluorine	reddish-tinged orange
77	G	H	3	chlorine	scarlet
78	G	I	5	chlorine	red-orange
79	H	Z2	2	chlorine	red
80	H	Z3	2	chlorine	red
81	I	M	4	chlorine	red
82	I	N	3	chlorine	red
83	J	Z2	2	chlorine	red

84	J	Z3	3	chlorine	red
85	K	L	3	fluorine	red
86	K	M	2	chlorine	red
87	L	S	2	chlorine	violet
88	L	U	2	chlorine	violet
89	Z6	Z6	2	chlorine	blue
90	M	V	2	chlorine	violet
91	N	P	2	chlorine	violet
92	N	S	3	chlorine	violet
93	P	T	3	chlorine	blue
94	P	U	3	chlorine	blue
95	Q	R	3	fluorine	blue
96	Q	S	5	chlorine	blue
97	R	T	2	chlorine	blue
98	R	U	2	chlorine	blue
99	S	T	2	chlorine	blue
100	T	U	4	chlorine	navy blue
101	Y	N	3	chlorine	red
102	Z	N	3	chlorine	red
103	Z1	W	3	chlorine	yellowish-tinged red
104	Z3	N	2	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
105	Z4	V	2	chlorine	green
106	Z5	B	3	chlorine	greenish-tinged yellow

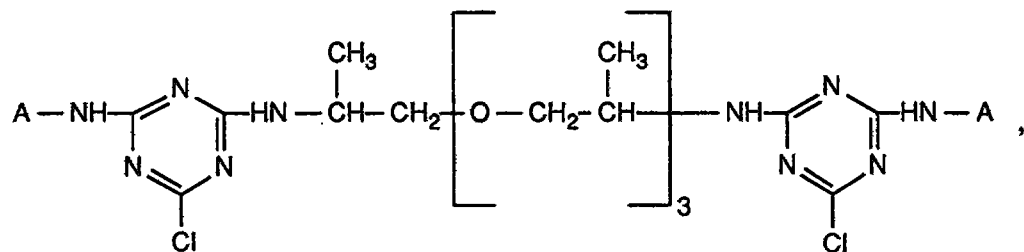
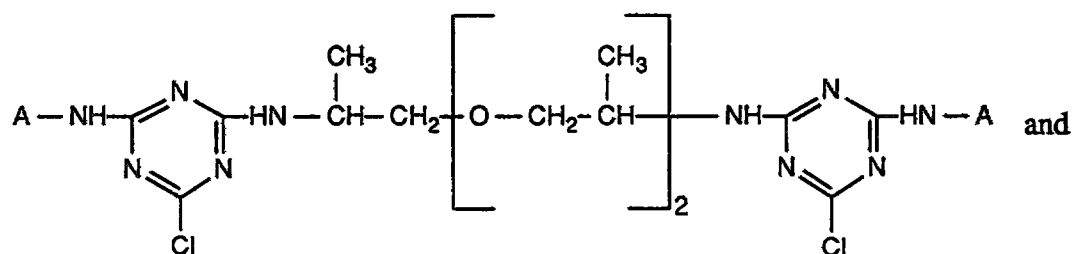
Example 107: 19 parts of cyanuric chloride are stirred vigorously into 50 parts of water, with the addition of a wetting agent and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate, at a temperature of 0°C. A neutral solution of 27 parts of 4,6-diaminobenzene-1,3-disulfonic acid in 200 parts of water is added dropwise; during this operation, the pH is kept at a value of 4.5 by addition of sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, 25 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 7 parts of sodium nitrite are added, the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes and the excess nitrite is destroyed with sulfamic acid. The suspension is added dropwise to a neutral solution of 20 parts of 1-ethyl-6-hydroxy-4-methyl-2-pyridonecarbonylamide in 50 parts of water, during which the pH is kept constant at a value of 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. A solution of 4 parts of a diamine of the formula



and 5.3 parts of a diamine of the formula

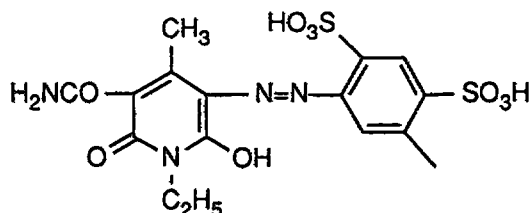


in 30 parts of water is then added dropwise such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9. Towards the end of the reaction, the mixture is then heated to a temperature of 40°C. When the condensation reaction has ended, the resulting product is precipitated by addition of sodium chloride, filtered off with suction and dried. A dye mixture which comprises the dyes, shown in the form of the free acid, of the formulae



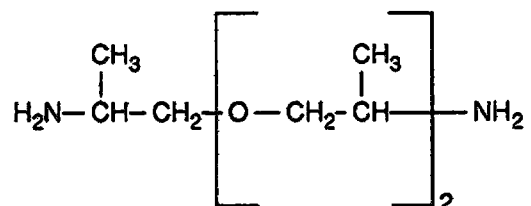
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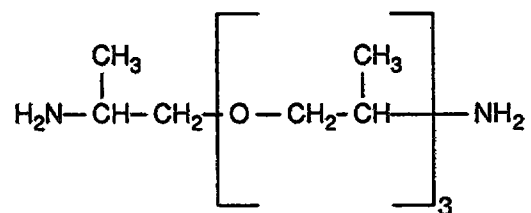


is obtained. The resulting dye mixture dyes cotton in brilliant yellow colour shades.

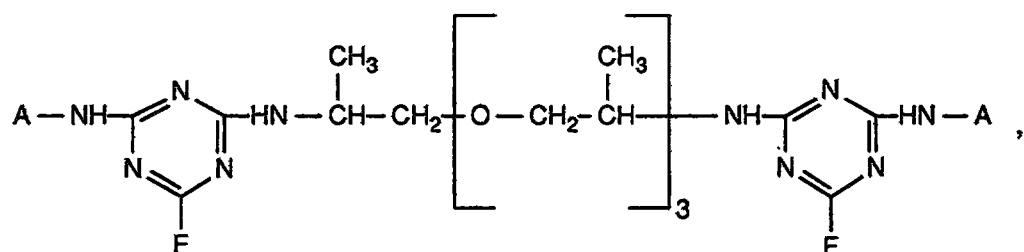
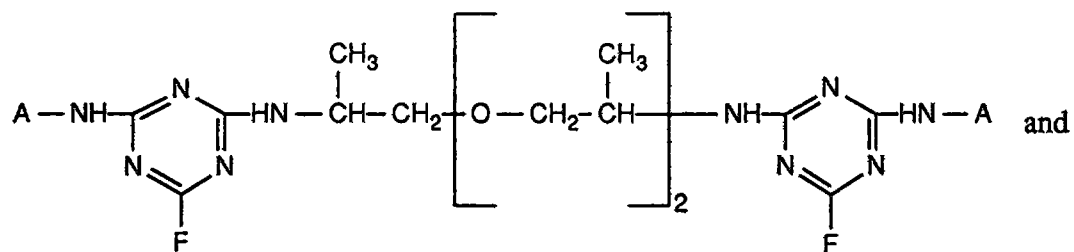
Example 108: 14 parts of cyanuric fluoride are added dropwise to a neutral solution of 42 parts of 7-amino-4-hydroxy-3-(2-sulfophenylazo)-naphthalene-2-sulfonic acid and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate in 500 parts of water at a temperature below 2°C; during this operation, the pH is kept constant by addition of aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, a solution of 4 parts of a diamine of the formula



and 5.3 parts of a diamine of the formula

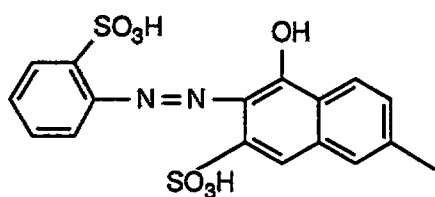


in 30 parts of water are added dropwise such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9.5, and the pH is kept constant at a value of 9.5 by addition of sodium hydroxide solution. The solution is allowed to warm to room temperature and is freed from salt by dialysis and the resulting product is evaporated. A dye mixture which comprises the dyes, shown in the form of the free acid, of the formulae



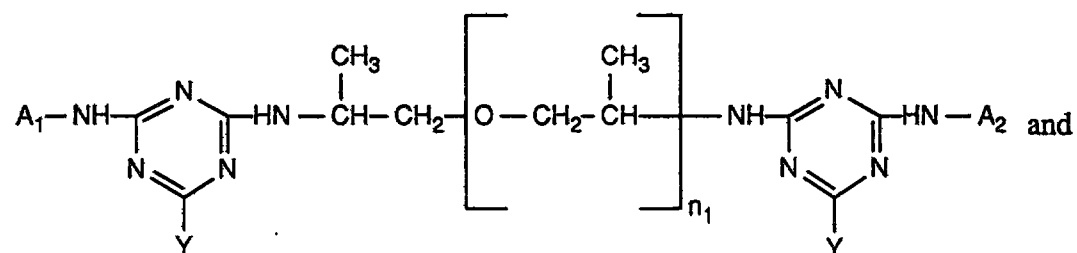
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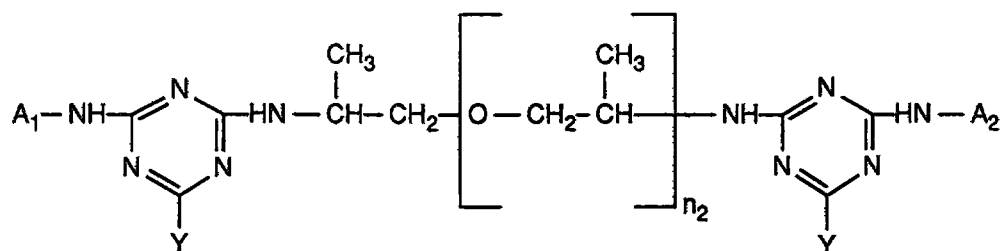
A in each case is a radical of the formula



is obtained. The resulting dye mixture dyes cotton in brilliant orange colour shades.

Examples 109 to 212: Dye mixtures which comprise, as the main components, the dyes of the formulae





in which

A_1 , A_2 , Y , n_1 and n_2 are as defined in columns 2 to 6 in the following Table 2, can be obtained in a manner analogous to the instructions in Example 107 or 108. The dye mixtures dye cotton in the colour shades stated in column 7 in Table 2. The radicals A_1 and A_2 are designated with letters A to Z6 which are as defined above.

Table 2

Ex-ample	A_1	A_2	n_1	n_2	Y	Colour shade on cotton
109	A	A	3	2	chlorine	yellow
110	B	B	3	2	chlorine	yellow
111	C	C	3	2	chlorine	golden yellow
112	D	D	2	3	chlorine	golden yellow
113	E	E	2	3	chlorine	orange
114	F	F	3	2	chlorine	orange
115	G	G	2	3	chlorine	orange
116	H	H	3	2	chlorine	orange
117	I	I	3	2	chlorine	scarlet
118	J	J	3	2	chlorine	scarlet
119	K	K	2	3	chlorine	red
120	L	L	2	3	chlorine	red
121	M	M	3	2	chlorine	red
122	N	N	3	2	chlorine	red
123	O	O	3	2	chlorine	brown
124	P	P	2	3	chlorine	blue
125	Q	Q	2	3	chlorine	blue
126	R	R	2	3	chlorine	blue
127	S	S	2	3	chlorine	blue

128	T	T	2	3	chlorine	blue
129	U	U	3	2	chlorine	navy blue
130	V	V	2	3	chlorine	turquoise blue
131	W	W	3	2	chlorine	scarlet
132	X	X	3	2	chlorine	scarlet
133	Y	Y	2	3	chlorine	red
134	Z	Z	3	2	chlorine	red
135	Z1	Z1	3	2	chlorine	red
136	Z2	Z2	3	2	chlorine	bluish-tinged red
137	Z3	Z3	3	2	chlorine	bluish-tinged red
138	Z4	Z4	2	3	chlorine	yellow
139	Z5	Z5	2	3	chlorine	yellow
140	A	A	1	2	fluorine	yellow
141	B	B	4	2	fluorine	yellow
142	C	C	5	2	fluorine	golden yellow
143	D	D	6	3	fluorine	golden yellow
144	E	E	2	3	fluorine	orange
145	F	F	3	2	fluorine	orange
146	G	G	2	3	fluorine	orange
147	H	H	1	2	fluorine	orange
148	I	I	3	2	fluorine	scarlet
149	J	J	4	2	fluorine	scarlet
150	K	K	5	3	fluorine	red
151	L	L	2	3	fluorine	red
152	M	M	3	2	fluorine	red
153	N	N	4	2	fluorine	red
154	O	O	3	2	fluorine	brown
155	P	P	1	3	fluorine	blue
156	Q	Q	2	3	fluorine	blue
157	R	R	2	3	fluorine	blue
158	S	S	2	3	fluorine	blue
159	T	T	2	3	fluorine	blue
160	U	U	6	2	fluorine	navy blue
161	V	V	1	6	fluorine	turquoise blue
162	W	W	3	2	fluorine	scarlet
163	X	X	3	2	fluorine	scarlet
164	Y	Y	2	3	fluorine	red

165	Z	Z	4	2	fluorine	red
166	Z1	Z1	3	2	fluorine	red
167	Z2	Z2	2	5	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
168	Z3	Z3	3	2	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
169	Z4	Z4	2	3	fluorine	yellow
170	Z5	Z5	2	4	fluorine	yellow
171	Z6	Z6	2	3	chlorine	blue
172	A	R	2	3	chlorine	green
173	B	D	2	3	chlorine	reddish-tinged yellow
174	C	D	2	3	fluorine	golden yellow
175	C	L	2	3	chlorine	reddish-tinged orange
176	D	R	2	3	chlorine	olive
177	D	S	2	3	chlorine	olive
178	E	L	2	3	chlorine	scarlet
179	E	O	2	3	fluorine	brown
180	F	H	2	3	chlorine	orange
181	F	I	2	3	fluorine	reddish-tinged orange
182	G	H	3	1	chlorine	scarlet
183	G	I	3	4	chlorine	reddish-orange
184	H	Z2	3	2	chlorine	red
185	H	Z3	3	5	chlorine	red
186	I	M	3	6	chlorine	red
187	I	N	3	2	chlorine	red
188	J	Z2	3	2	chlorine	red
189	J	Z3	3	2	chlorine	red
190	K	L	3	2	fluorine	red
191	K	M	3	2	chlorine	red
192	L	S	3	2	chlorine	violet
193	L	U	3	1	chlorine	violet
194	M	U	3	2	chlorine	violet
195	M	V	2	3	chlorine	violet
196	N	P	2	3	chlorine	violet
197	N	S	2	3	chlorine	violet
198	P	T	2	3	chlorine	blue
199	P	U	2	3	chlorine	blue
200	Q	R	2	3	fluorine	blue
201	Q	S	2	3	chlorine	blue

202	R	T	2	3	chlorine	blue
203	R	U	2	3	chlorine	blue
204	S	T	2	3	chlorine	blue
205	T	U	2	3	chlorine	marineblau
206	Y	N	3	1	chlorine	red
207	Z	N	3	2	chlorine	red
208	Z1	W	3	2	chlorine	yellowish-tinged red
209	Z3	N	3	2	fluorine	bluish-tinged red
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211	Z5	B	3	2	chlorine	greenish-tinged yellow
212	Z6	Z6	3	2	fluorine	blue

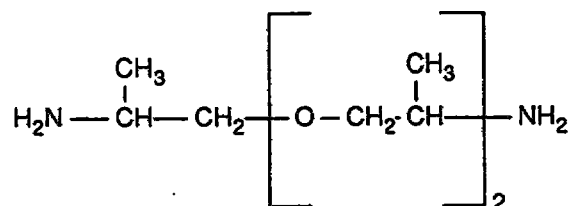
If the radicals A₁ and A₂ in the above Table 2 differ from one another, the starting compounds required for these are employed as an equimolar mixture.

The dye mixtures shown in Table 2 can also be prepared by mixing the individual dyes, it being possible for the individual dyes to be obtained analogously to Example 1 or 2.

Example 213:

a) 19 parts of cyanuric chloride are stirred vigorously into 50 parts of water, with the addition of a wetting agent and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate, at a temperature of 0°C. A neutral solution of 27 parts of 4,6-diaminobenzene-1,3-disulfonic acid in 200 parts of water is added dropwise, the pH being kept at a value of 4.5 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

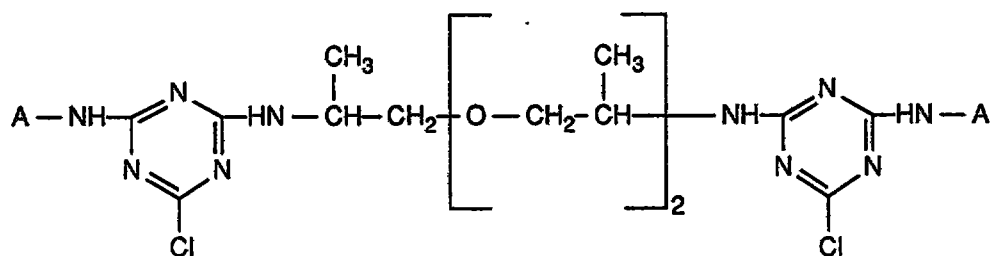
b) 9.5 parts of a diamine of the formula



in 30 parts of water are added dropwise at a temperature of 0°C to the solution obtained as described under a) such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9. The pH is then kept at a value of 9.5 with an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. Towards the end of the reaction, the mixture is heated to a temperature of 40°C.

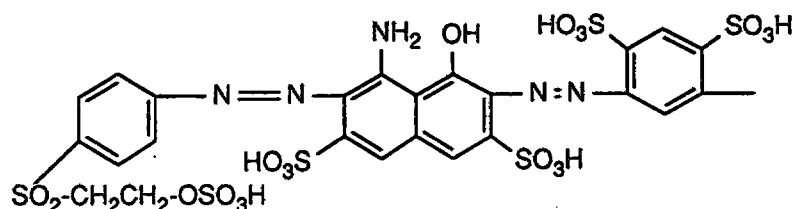
c) To prepare a separate solution, 56 parts of 4-(2-sulfatoethylsulfonyl)-phenylamine are suspended in 560 parts of water. 50 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 14 parts of sodium nitrite are added and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. A neutral solution of 64 parts of 3,6-disulfo-8-hydroxy-naphthylamine in 640 parts of water is then added and the pH is increased slowly, until coupling starts, by addition of sodium carbonate. When the coupling reaction has ended, the mixture is neutralized with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

d) 25 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 7 parts of sodium nitrite are added to the solution obtained according to b) and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. The resulting diazo compound is added dropwise to the solution obtained according to c), the pH being kept at a value between 6 and 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, the solution is desalinated and evaporated in the customary manner. A dye which, in the form of the free acid, is the compound of the formula



in which

A in each case is a radical of the formula

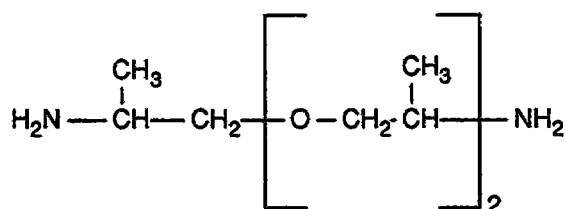


is obtained. The resulting dye dyes cotton in blue colour shades.

Example 214:

a) 14 parts of cyanuric fluoride are added dropwise to a neutral solution of 27 parts of 4,6-diaminobenzene-1,3-disulfonic acid in 200 parts of water at a temperature of 0°C. The pH is kept at a value of 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

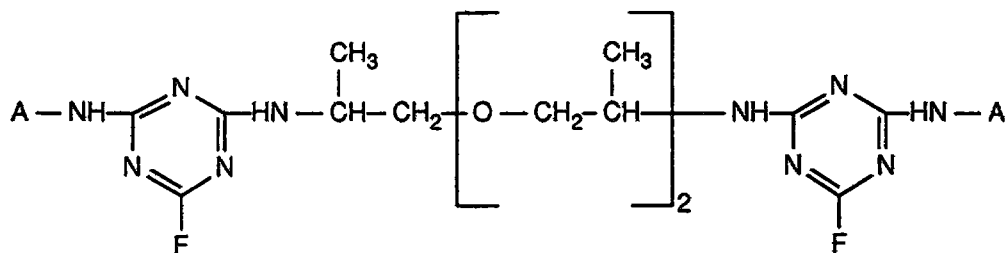
b) 9.5 parts of a diamine of the formula



in 30 parts of water are added dropwise, at a temperature of 0°C, to the solution obtained as described under a) such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9. The pH is then kept at a value of 9.5 with an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. Towards the end of the reaction, the mixture is heated to a temperature of 40°C.

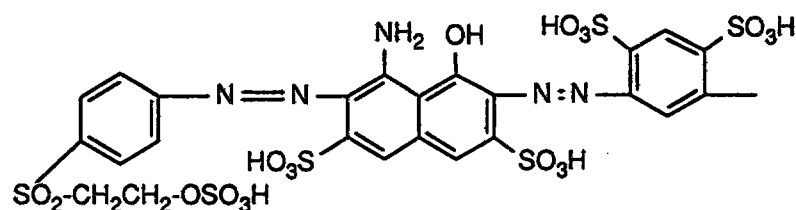
c) To prepare a separate solution, 56 parts of 4-(2-sulfatoethylsulfonyl)-phenylamine are suspended in 560 parts of water. 50 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 14 parts of sodium nitrite are added and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. A neutral solution of 64 parts of 3,6-disulfo-8-hydroxy-naphthylamine in 640 parts of water is then added and the pH is increased slowly, until coupling starts, by addition of sodium carbonate. When the coupling reaction has ended, the mixture is neutralized with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

d) 25 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 7 parts of sodium nitrite are added to the solution obtained according to b) and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. The resulting diazo compound is added dropwise to the solution obtained according to c), the pH being kept at a value between 6 and 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, the solution is desalinated and evaporated in the customary manner. A dye which, in the form of the free acid, is the compound of the formula



in which

A in each case is a radical of the formula

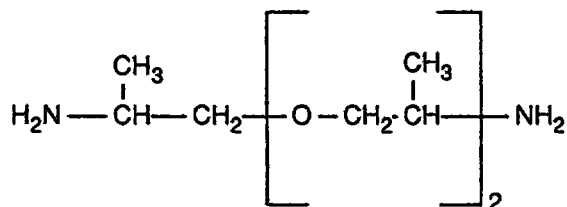


is obtained. The resulting dye dyes cotton in blue colour shades.

Example 215:

a) 19 parts of cyanuric chloride are stirred vigorously into 50 parts of water, with the addition of a wetting agent and 5 parts of disodium hydrogen phosphate, at a temperature of 0°C. A neutral solution of 27 parts of 4,6-diaminobenzene-1,3-disulfonic acid in 200 parts of water is added dropwise, the pH being kept at a value of 4.5 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

b) 9.5 parts of a diamine of the formula

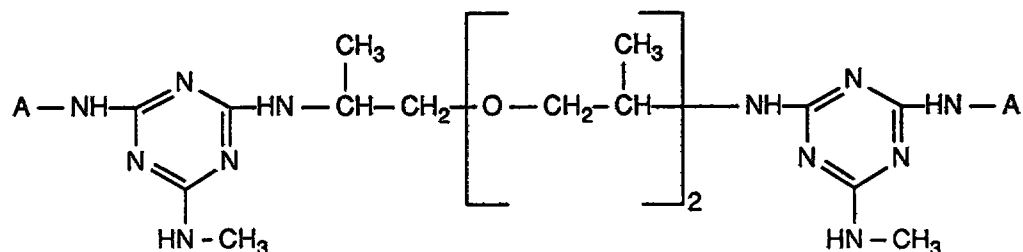


in 30 parts of water are added dropwise, at a temperature of 0°C, to the solution obtained as described under a) such that the pH does not exceed a value of 9. The pH is then kept at a value of 9.5 with an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. Towards the end of the reaction, the mixture is heated to a temperature of 40°C.

c) 3.1 parts of methylamine are added dropwise to the warm solution of 40°C obtained according to b). The temperature is increased to 60°C and the pH is kept at a value of 9.5 with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

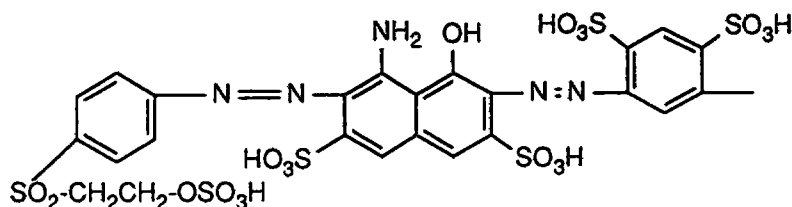
d) To prepare a separate solution, 56 parts of 4-(2-sulfatoethylsulfonyl)-phenylamine are suspended in 560 parts of water. 50 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 14 parts of sodium nitrite are added and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. A neutral solution of 64 parts of 3,6-disulfo-8-hydroxy-naphthylamine in 640 parts of water is then added and the pH is increased slowly, until coupling starts, by addition of sodium carbonate. When the coupling reaction has ended, the mixture is neutralized with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution.

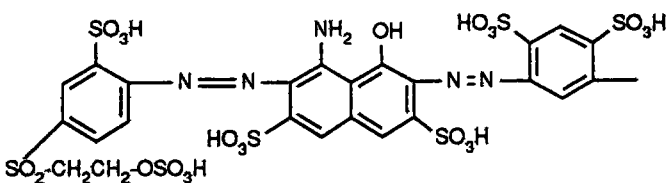
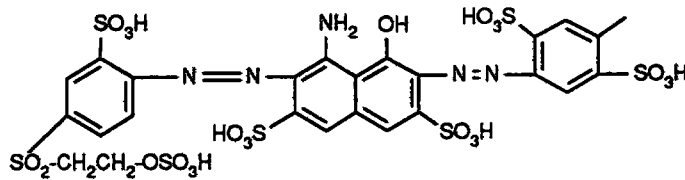
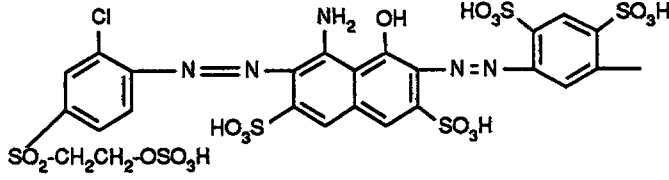
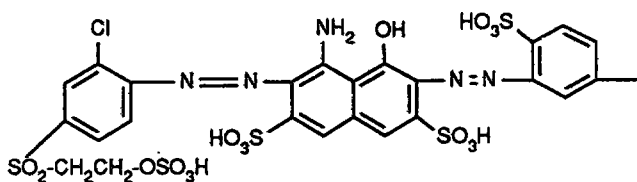
e) 25 parts of 32 % hydrochloric acid and 7 parts of sodium nitrite are added to the solution obtained according to c) and the mixture is stirred for 30 minutes. The excess nitrite is destroyed by addition of a little sulfamic acid. The resulting diazo compound is added dropwise to the solution obtained according to d), the pH being kept at a value between 6 and 7 by addition of an aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. When the reaction has ended, the solution is desalinated and evaporated in the customary manner. A dye which, in the form of the free acid, is the compound of the formula

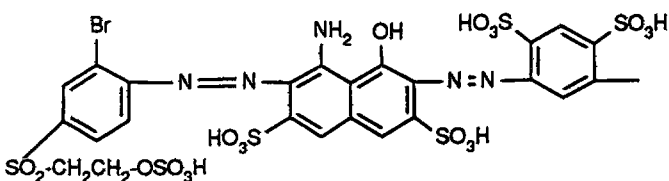
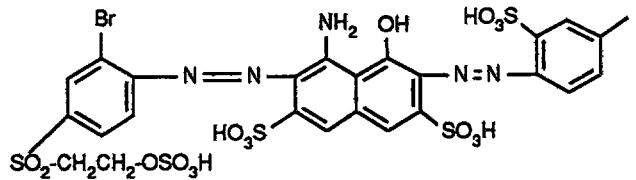
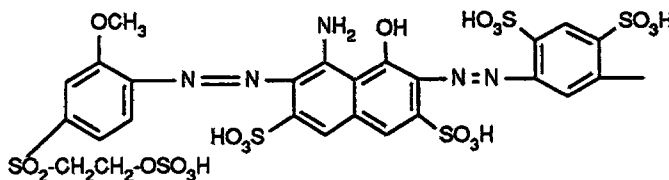
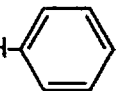
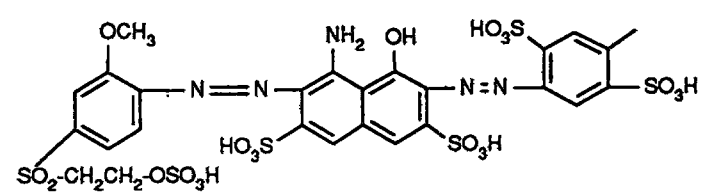


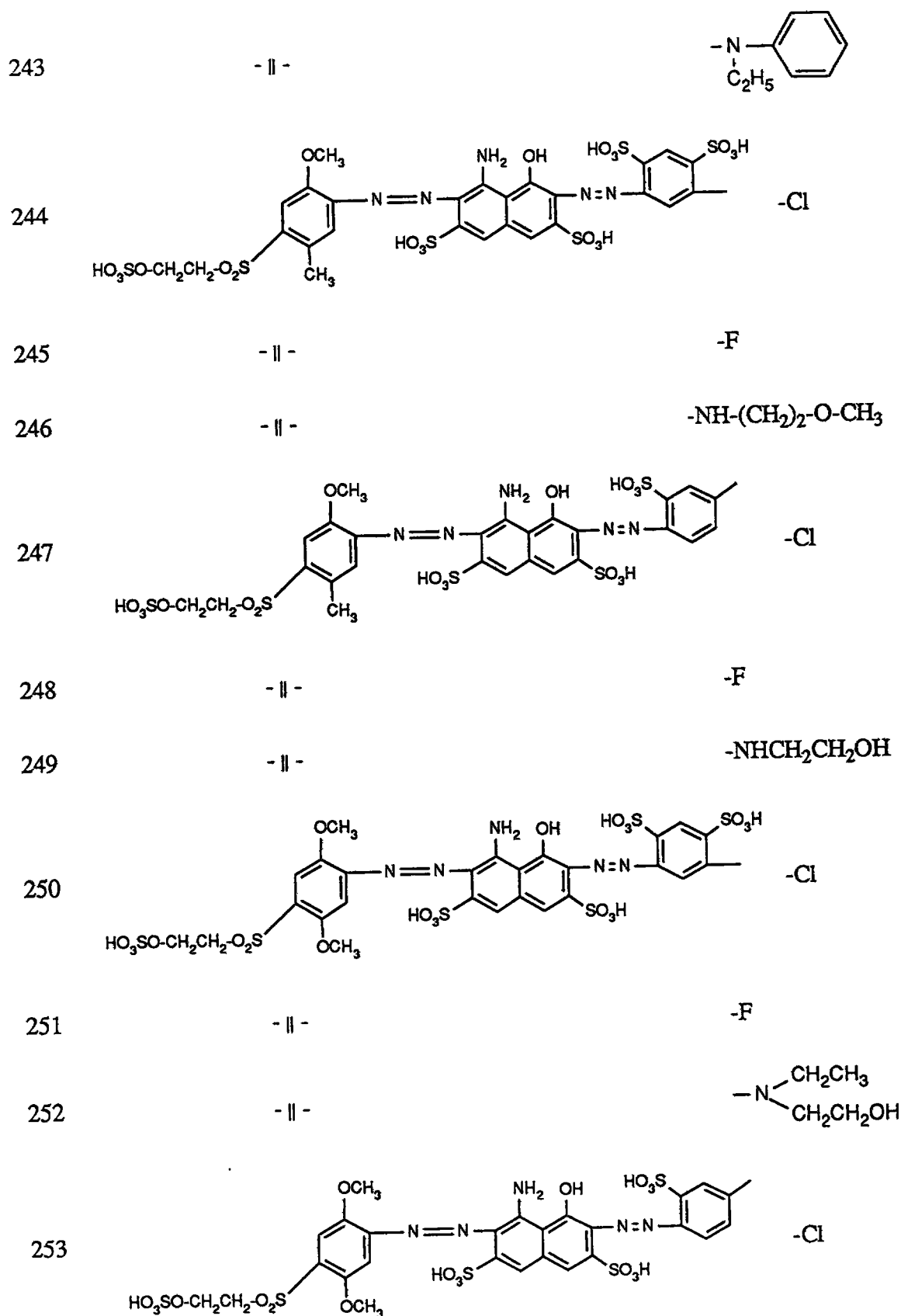
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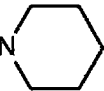
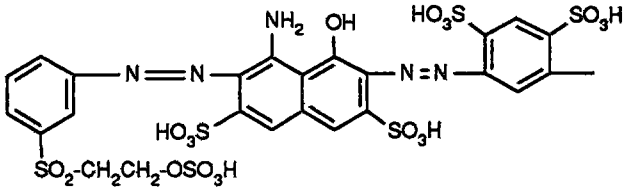
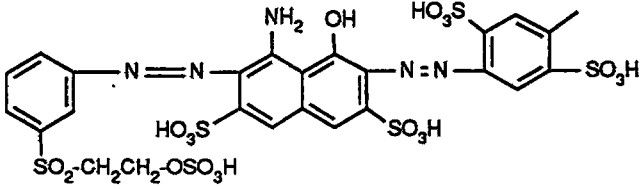
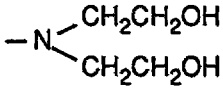
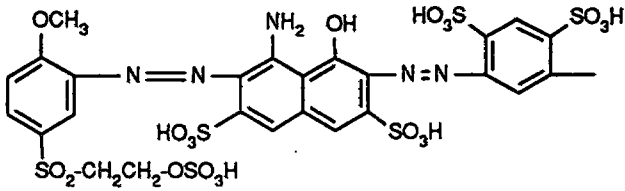
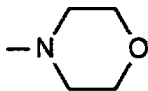
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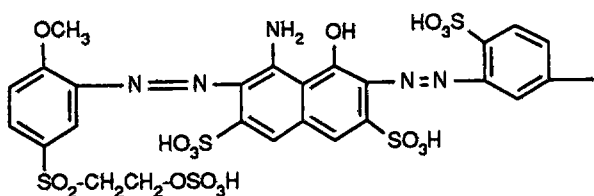
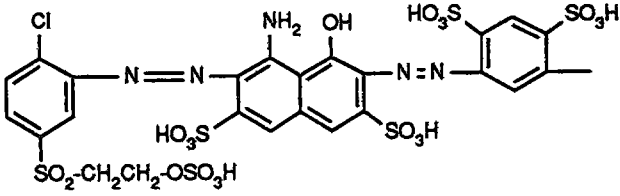
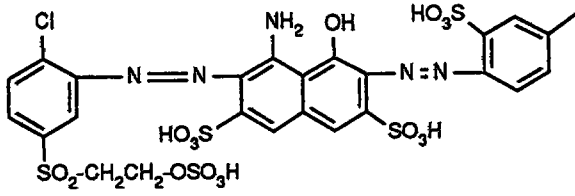
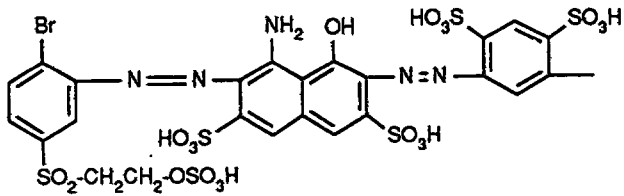


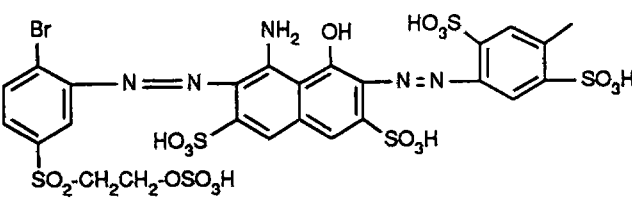
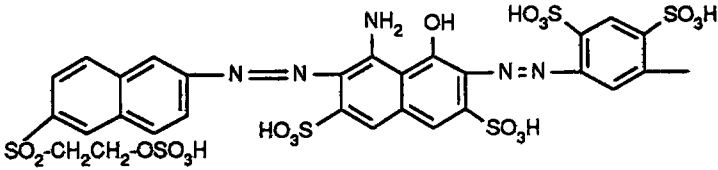
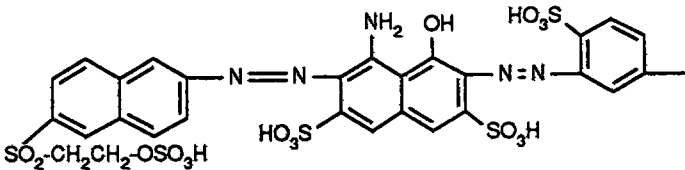
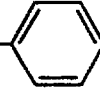
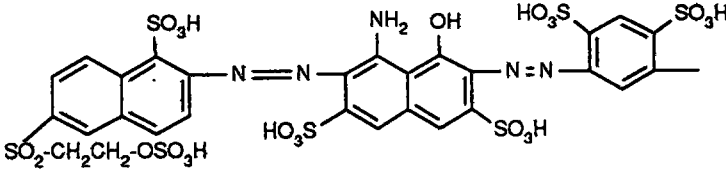
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224	- -	-F
225	- -	-NH ₂
226		-Cl
227	- -	-F
228	- -	-N(CH ₃)-CH ₂ CH ₂ SO ₃ H
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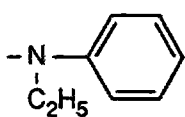
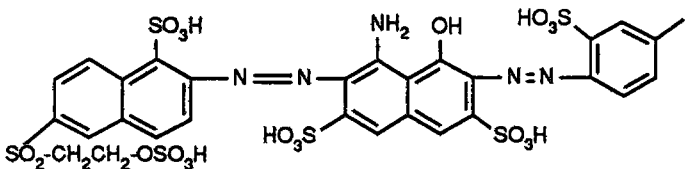
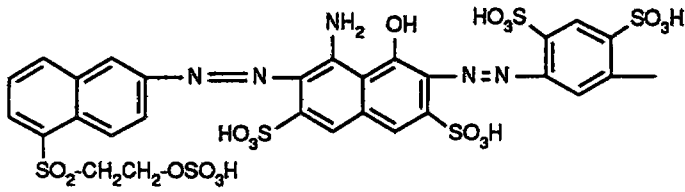
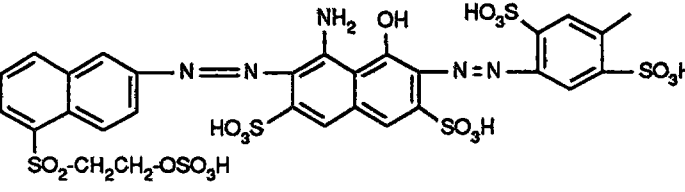
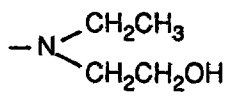
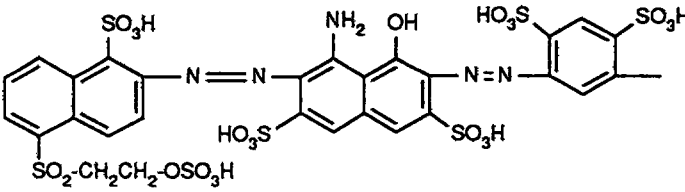
- 232  -Cl
- 233 - || - -F
- 234 - || - -NH-(CH₂)₂-O-(CH₂)₂-OH
- 235  -Cl
- 236 - || - -F
- 237 - || - $\text{—N—CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
|
CH₃
- 238  -Cl
- 239 - || - -F
- 240 - || - —NH— 
- 241  -Cl
- 242 - || - -F

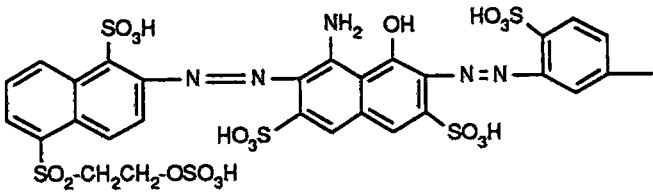
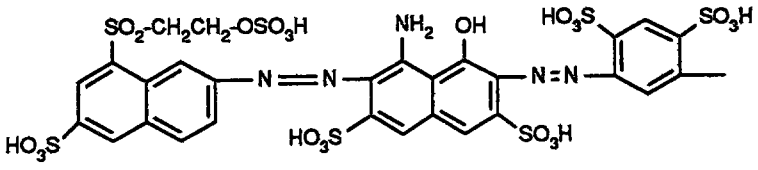
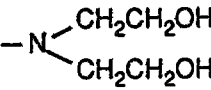
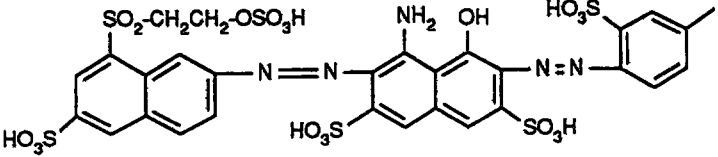
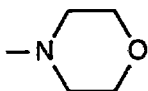


254	- -	-F
255	- -	-NH-CH ₂ CH ₂ -N 
256		-Cl
257	- -	-F
258	- -	-NH-(CH ₂) ₃ -OH
259		-Cl
260	- -	-F
261	- -	-N 
262		-Cl
263	- -	-F
264	- -	-N 

265		-Cl
266	- -	-F
267	- -	-N(CH ₃) ₂
268		-Cl
269	- -	-F
270	- -	-NHCH ₂ CH ₃
271		-Cl
272	- -	-F
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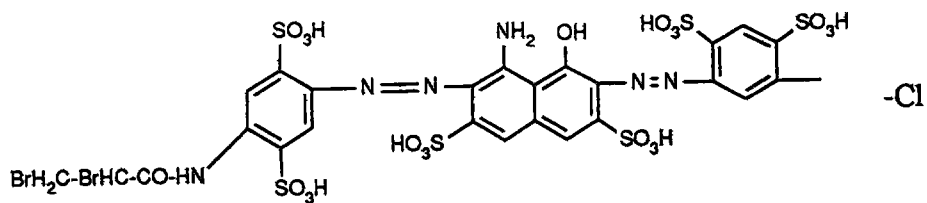
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- 278 - || - -F
- 279 - || - -NH-(CH₂)₂-O-(CH₂)₂-OH
- 280  -Cl
- 281 - || - -F
- 282 - || - $\begin{array}{c} \text{--- N --- CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \\ | \\ \text{CH}_3 \end{array}$
- 283  -Cl
- 284 - || - -F
- 285 - || - -NH-
- 286  -Cl
- 287 - || - -F

288	- -	
289		-Cl
290	- -	-F
291	- -	-NH-(CH ₂) ₂ -O-CH ₃
292		-Cl
293	- -	-F
294	- -	-NHCH ₂ CH ₂ OH
295		-Cl
296	- -	-F
297	- -	
298		-Cl

299	- -	-F
300	- -	-NH-CH ₂ CH ₂ -N 
301		-Cl
302	- -	-F
303	- -	-NH-(CH ₂) ₃ -OH
304		-Cl
305	- -	-F
306	- -	-N 
307		-Cl
308	- -	-F
309	- -	-N 

310		-Cl
311	- -	-F
312	- -	-N(CH ₃) ₂
313		-Cl
314	- -	-F
315	- -	-NHCH ₂ CH ₃
316		-Cl
317	- -	-F
318	- -	-N-CH ₂ CH ₂ SO ₃ H CH ₃
319		-Cl
320	- -	-F
321	- -	-NHCH ₂ CH ₂ SO ₃ H

322



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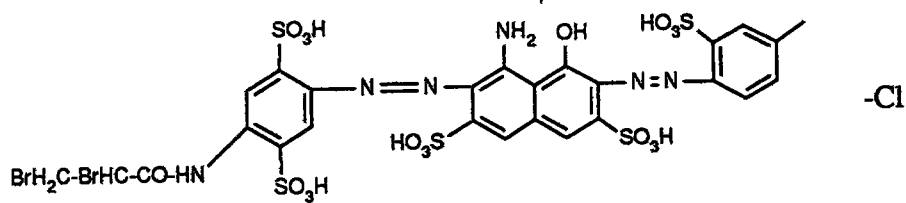
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$$-\text{NH}-(\text{CH}_2)_2-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_2)_2-\text{OH}$$

325



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- 11 -

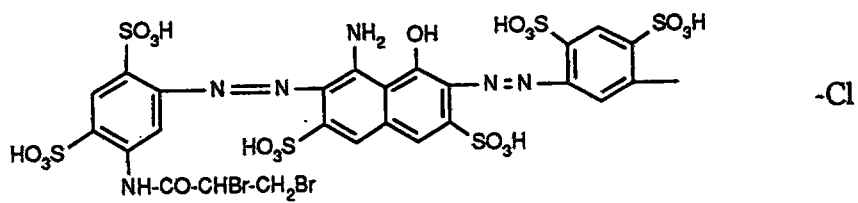
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$$-\text{NH}_2$$

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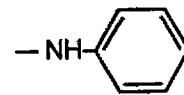
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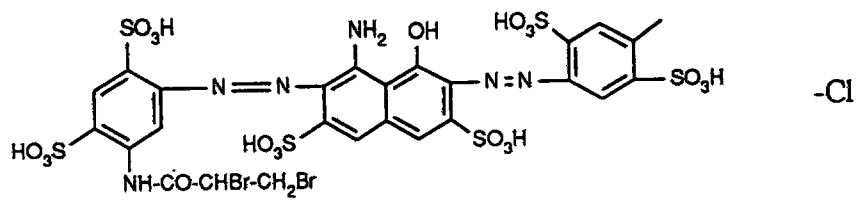
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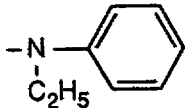
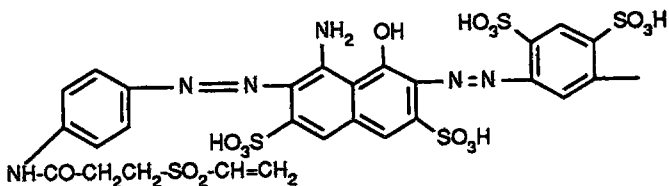
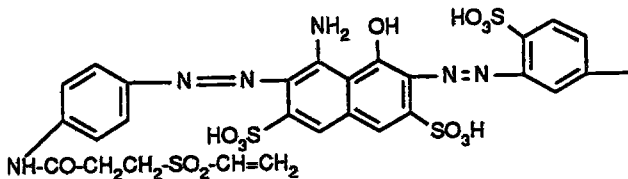
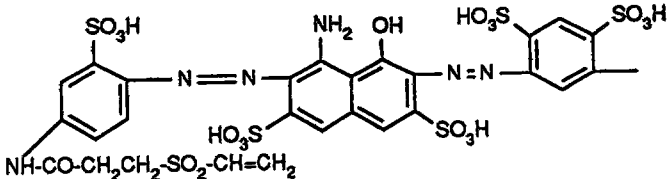
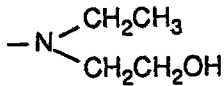
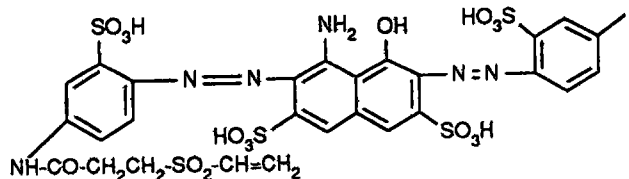
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332

- 11 -

-F

333	- -	
334		-Cl
335	- -	-F
336	- -	-NH-(CH2)2-O-CH3
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339	- -	-NHCH2CH2OH
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341	- -	-F
342	- -	
343		-Cl

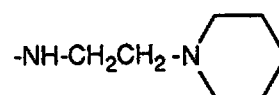
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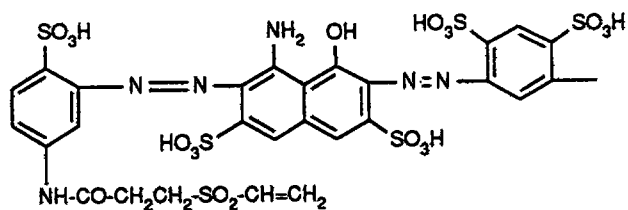
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346



-Cl

347

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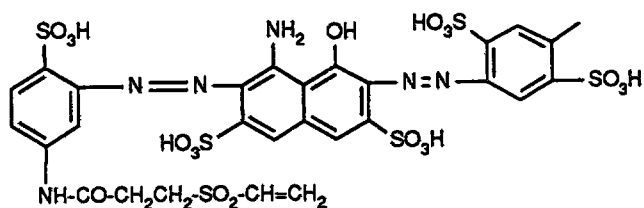
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-NH-(CH₂)₃-OH

349



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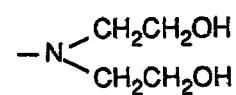
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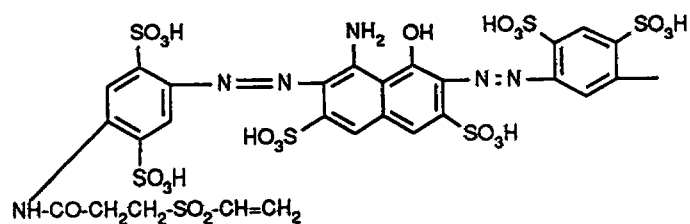
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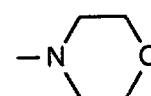
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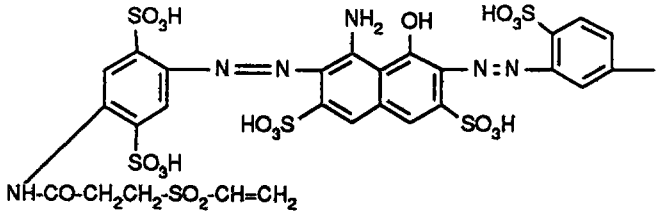
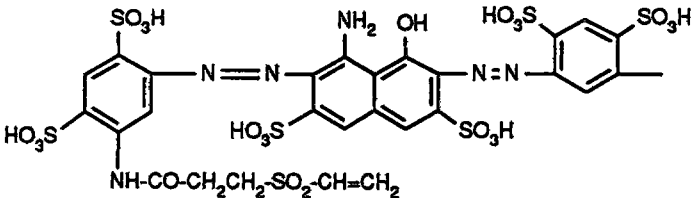
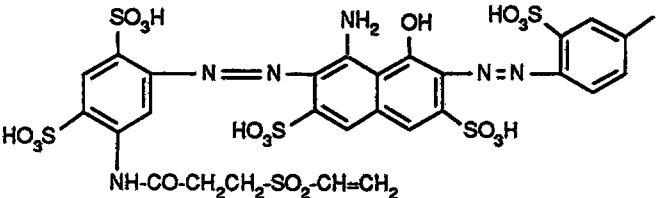
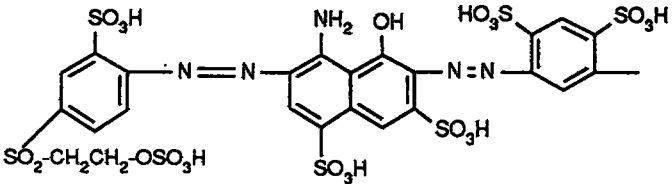
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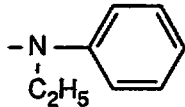
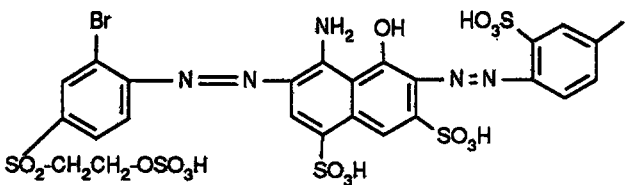
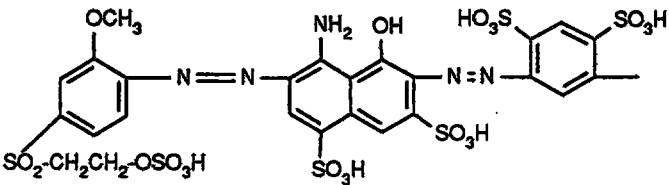
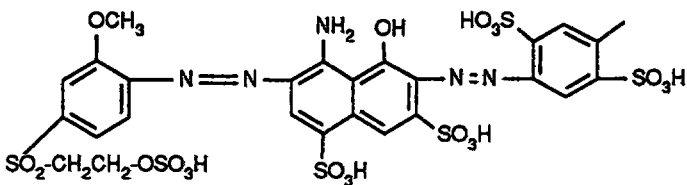
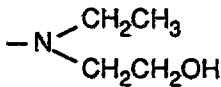
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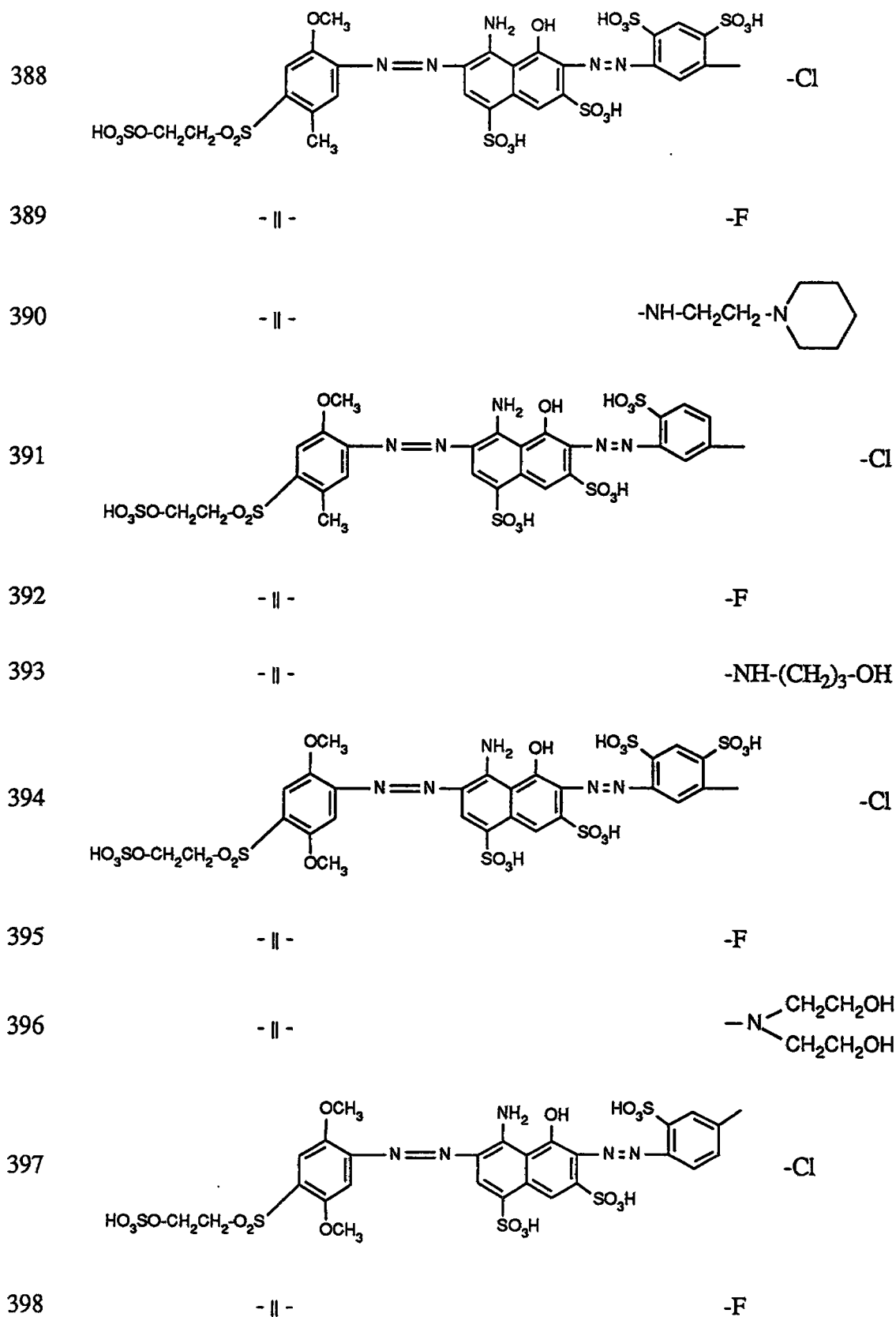
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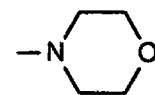
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- 356 - II - -F
- 357 - II - -N(CH₃)₂
- 358  -Cl
- 359 - II - -F
- 360 - II - -NHCH₂CH₃
- 361  -Cl
- 362 - II - -F
- 363 - II - $\text{—N—CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{SO}_3\text{H}$
|
CH₃
- 364  -Cl
- 365 - II - -F

377	- -	-F
378	- -	
379		-Cl
380	- -	-F
381	- -	-NH-(CH ₂) ₂ -O-CH ₃
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384	- -	-NHCH ₂ CH ₂ OH
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387	- -	

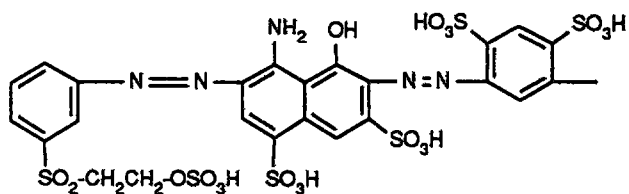


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-Cl

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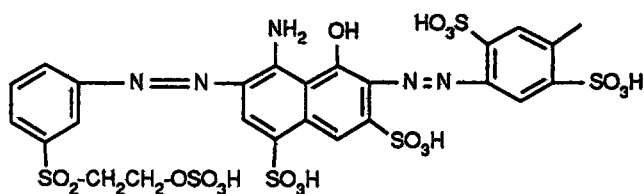
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402

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-N(CH₃)₂

403



-Cl

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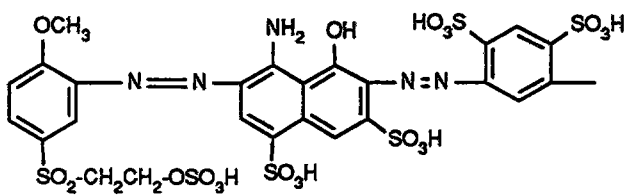
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-NHCH₂CH₃

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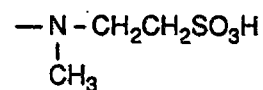
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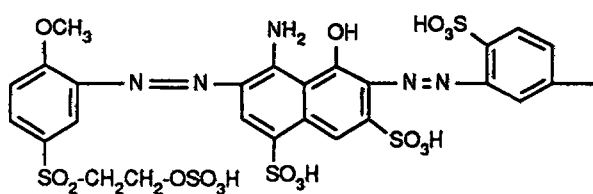
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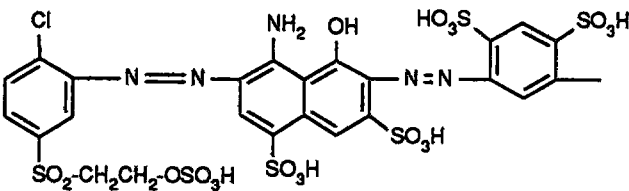
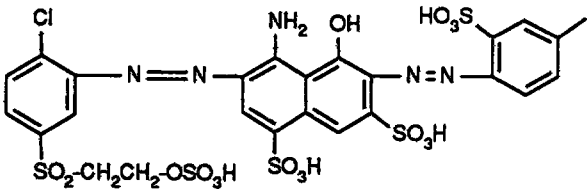
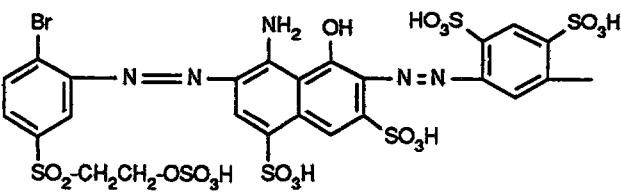
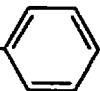
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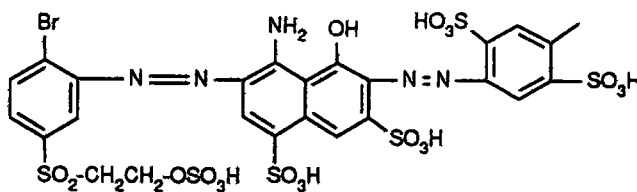
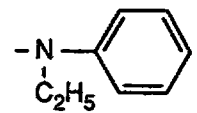
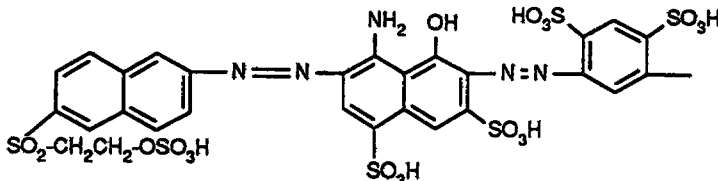
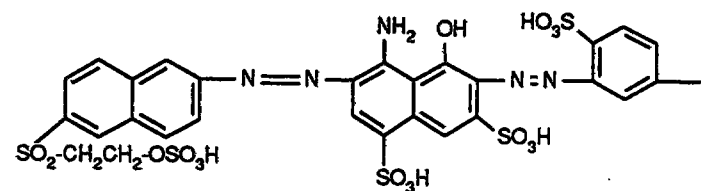
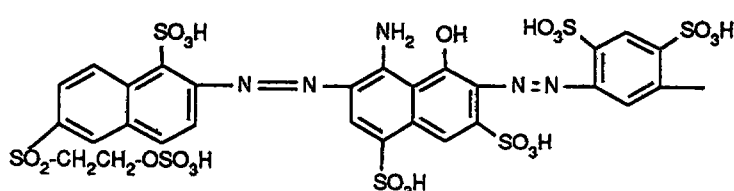


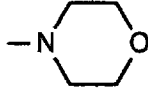
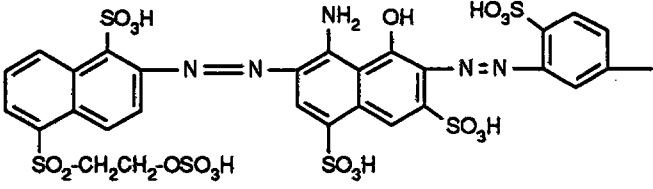
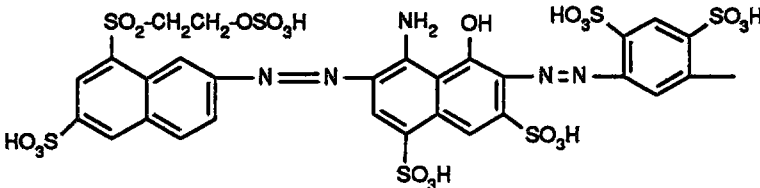
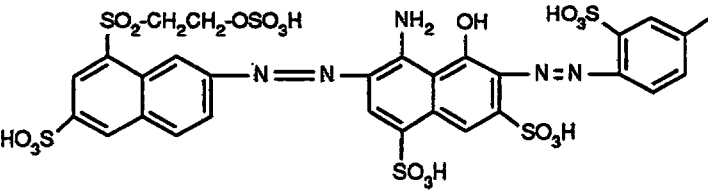
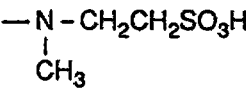
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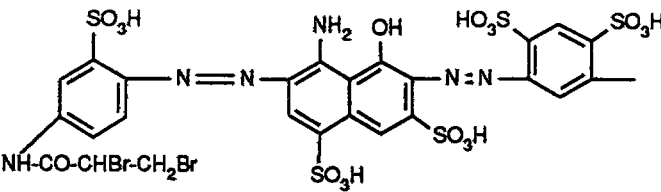
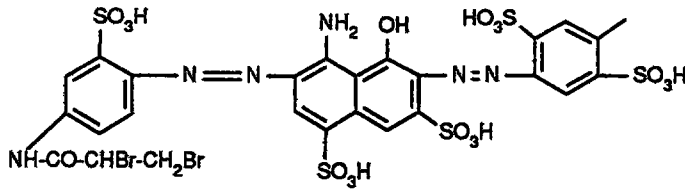
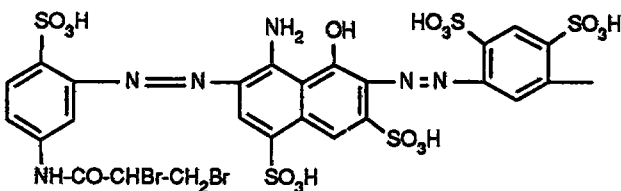
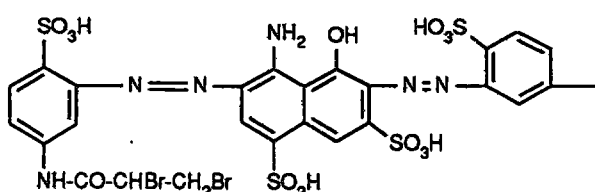


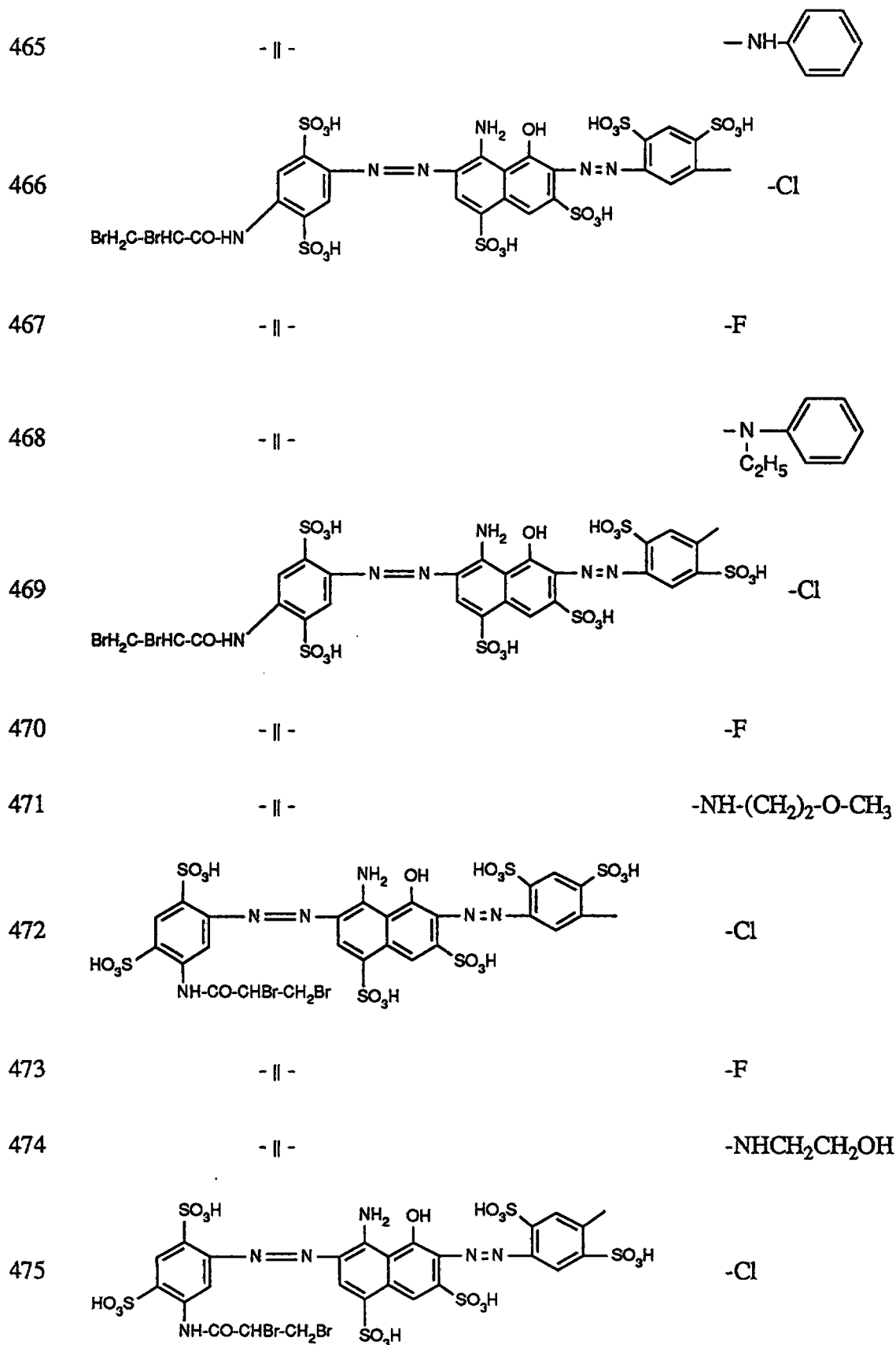
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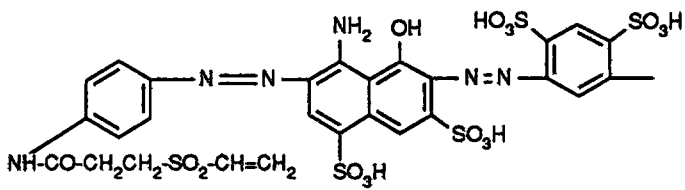
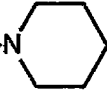
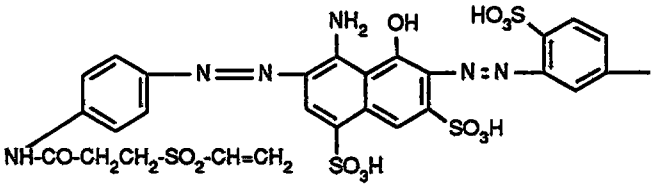
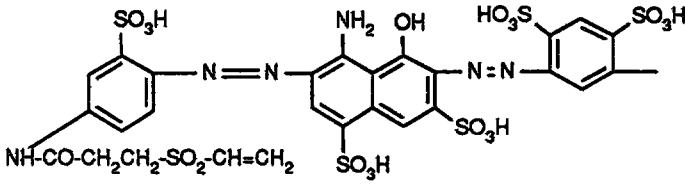
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412		-Cl
413	- II -	-F
414	- II -	-NH-(CH ₂) ₂ -O-(CH ₂) ₂ -OH
415		-Cl
416	- II -	-F
417	- II -	$\begin{array}{c} \text{---N---CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \\ \\ \text{CH}_3 \end{array}$
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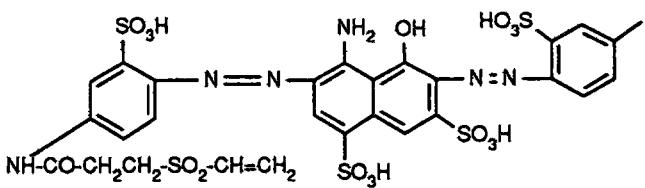
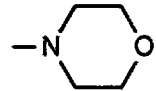
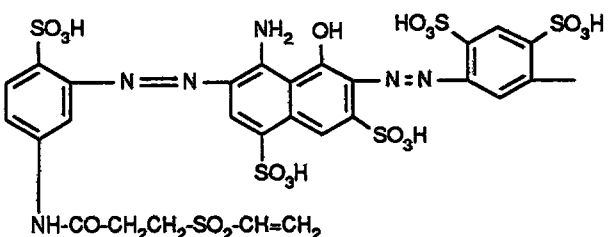
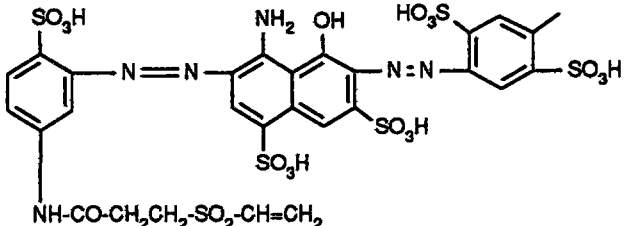
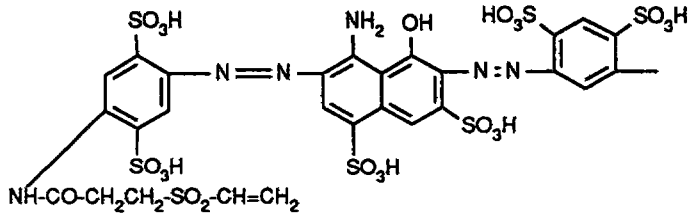
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- 422 - || - -F
- 423 - || -  -N-C₂H₅
- 424  -Cl
- 425 - || - -F
- 426 - || - -NH-(CH₂)₂-O-CH₃
- 427  -Cl
- 428 - || - -F
- 429 - || - -NHCH₂CH₂OH
- 430  -Cl
- 431 - || - -F

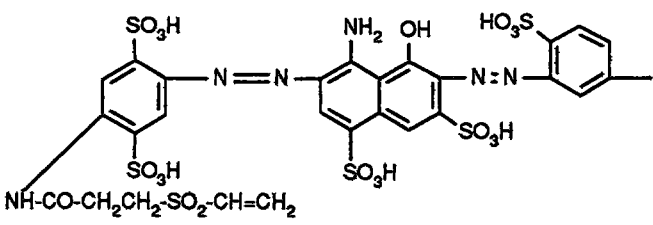
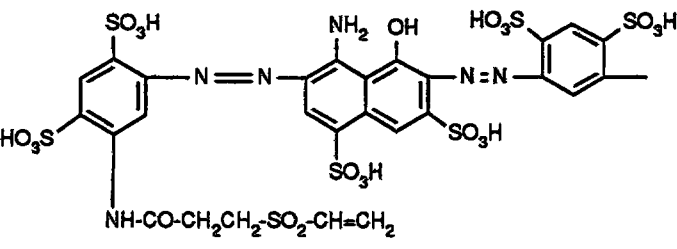
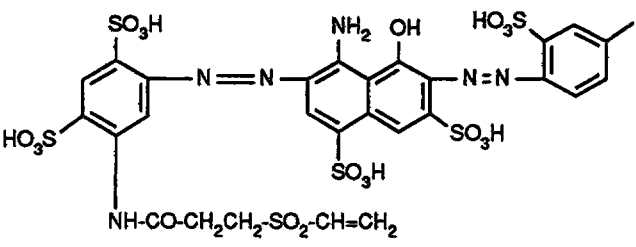
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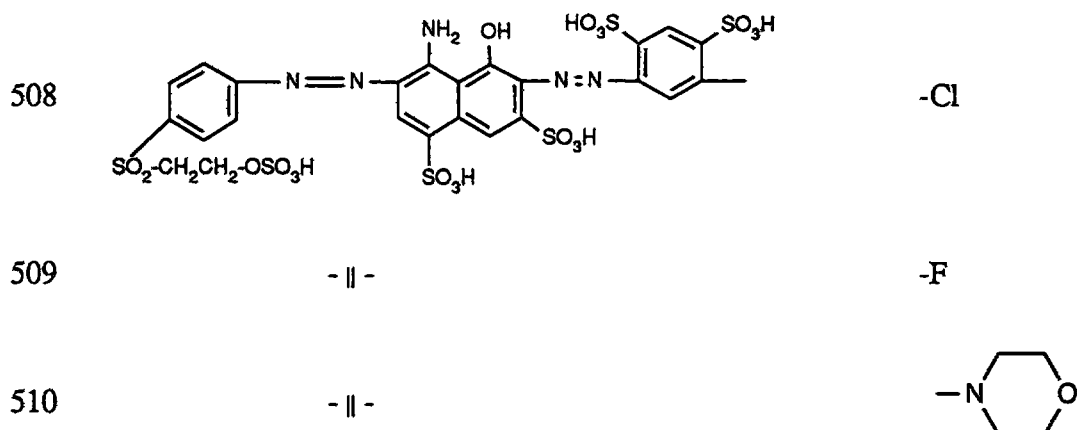
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460		-Cl
461	- -	-F
462	- -	-N-CH ₂ CH ₂ OH CH ₃
463		-Cl
464	- -	-F



- 476 - || - -F
- 477 - || - $\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \\ \diagup \text{N} \diagdown \\ \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \end{array}$
- 478  -Cl
- 479 - || - -F
- 480 - || - -NH-CH2CH2-N 
- 481  -Cl
- 482 - || - -F
- 483 - || - -NH-(CH2)3-OH
- 484  -Cl
- 485 - || - -F
- 486 - || - $\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \\ \diagup \text{N} \diagdown \\ \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} \end{array}$

- 487  -Cl
- 488 - || - -F
- 489 - || - 
- 490  -Cl
- 491 - || - -F
- 492 - || - -N(CH₃)₂
- 493  -Cl
- 494 - || - -F
- 495 - || - -NHCH₂CH₃
- 496  -Cl

- 497 - || - -F
- 498 - || - $\text{—N—CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{SO}_3\text{H}$
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 CH_3
- 499  -Cl
- 500 - || - -F
- 501 - || - -NHCH₂CH₂SO₃H
- 502  -Cl
- 503 - || - -F
- 504 - || - -NH-(CH₂)₂-O-(CH₂)₂-OH
- 505  -Cl
- 506 - || - -F
- 507 - || - $\text{—N—CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
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 CH_3



Dyeing instructions

2 parts of the dye mixture obtained according to Example 108 are dissolved in 400 parts of water; 1500 parts of a solution which comprises 53 g of sodium chloride per litre are added. 100 parts of cotton fabric are introduced into this dyebath at 40°C. After 45 minutes, 100 parts of a solution which comprises 16 g of sodium hydroxide and 20 g of calcined sodium carbonate per litre are added. The temperature of the dyebath is kept at 40°C for a further 45 minutes. The dyed goods are then rinsed, soaped at the boil with a nonionic detergent for quarter of an hour, rinsed again and dried.

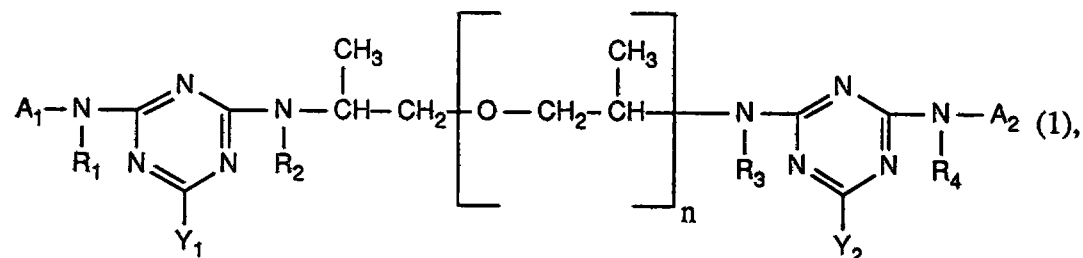
Printing instructions

3 parts of the dye mixture obtained according to Example 108 are sprinkled, with rapid stirring, into 100 parts of a stock thickener comprising 50 parts of 5 % sodium alginate thickener, 27.8 parts of water, 20 parts of urea, 1 part of sodium m-nitrobenzenesulfonate and 1.2 parts of sodium bicarbonate. A cotton fabric is printed with the printing paste thus obtained and is dried, and the resulting printed material is steamed in saturated steam at 102°C for 2 minutes. The printed fabric is then rinsed, if appropriate soaped at the boil and rinsed again, and then dried.



WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A dye of the formula



in which

A₁ and A₂ independently of one another are the radical of a monoazo, polyazo, metal complex azo, anthraquinone, phthalocyanine, formazan, azomethine, dioxazine, phenazine, stilbene, triphenylmethane, xanthene, thioxanthone, nitroaryl, naphthoquinone, pyrenequinone or perylenetetracarbinide dye,

R₁, R₂, R₃ and R₄ independently of one another are hydrogen or substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₄alkyl,

Y₁ and Y₂ independently of one another are halogen, carboxypyridinium, substituted or unsubstituted amino or a heterocyclic radical bonded via a nitrogen atom and n is a number from 1 to 7.

2. A dye according to claim 1, in which

Y₁ and Y₂ independently of one another are fluorine, chlorine, carboxypyridinium, amino, N-mono- or N,N-di-C₁-C₄alkylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the alkyl part by hydroxyl, sulfo, sulfato, carboxyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, C₁-C₄hydroxyalkoxy or piperidin-1-yl, C₅-C₇cycloalkylamino, which is unsubstituted or substituted in the cycloalkyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, phenylamino or N-C₁-C₄alkyl-N-phenylamino which is unsubstituted or substituted in the phenyl ring by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, carboxyl, sulfo or halogen, morpholino or piperidin-1-yl.

3. A dye according to claim 1 or 2, in which

Y₁ and Y₂ independently of one another are fluorine or chlorine.

4. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 3, in which

R₁, R₂, R₃ and R₄ independently of one another are hydrogen, methyl or ethyl, in particular hydrogen.



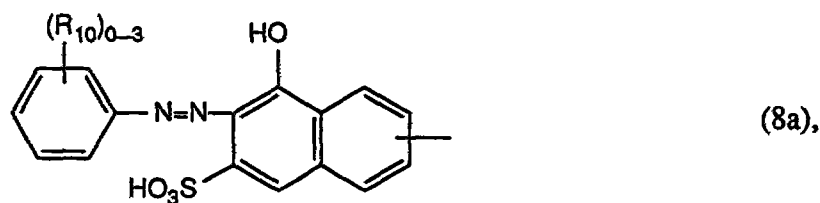
5. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 4, in which n is a number from 2 to 6.

6. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 5, in which n is the number 2, 3, 4 or 5.

7. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 6, in which n is the number 2 or 3.

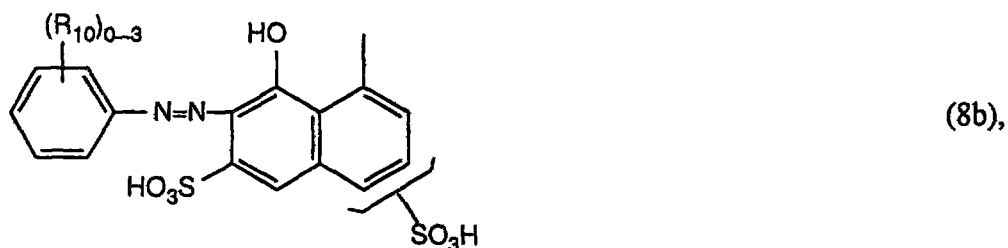
8. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 7, in which A_1 and A_2 independently of one another are the radical of a monoazo, disazo, anthraquinone, dioxazine, phthalocyanine or formazan dye.

9. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 8, in which A_1 and A_2 independently of one another are radicals of the formulae



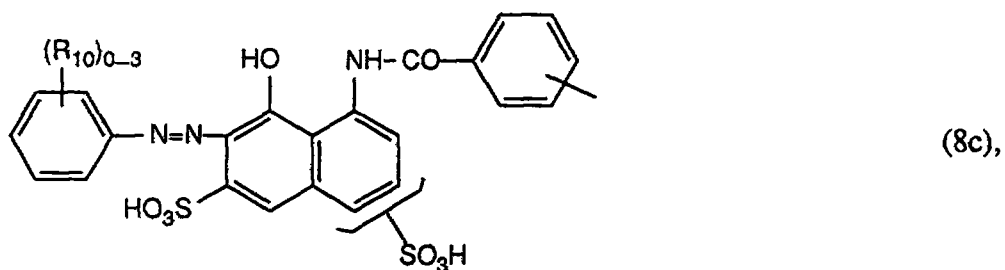
in which

R_{10} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



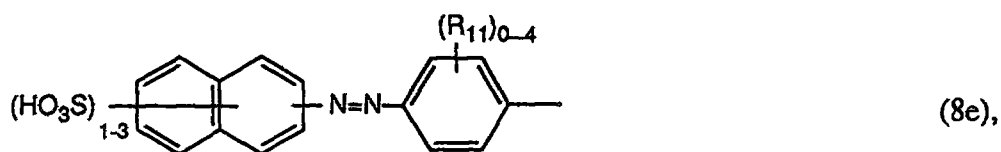
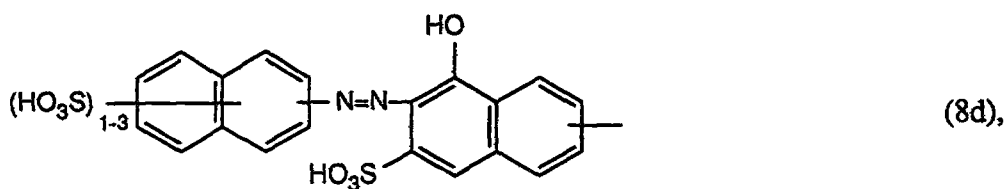
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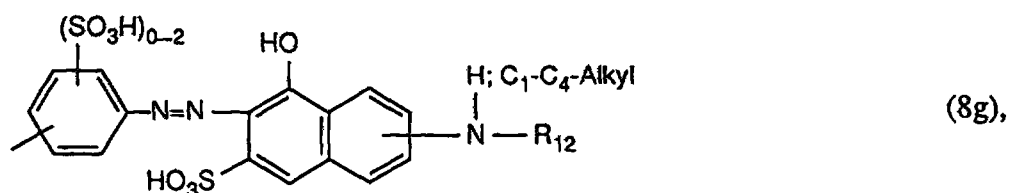
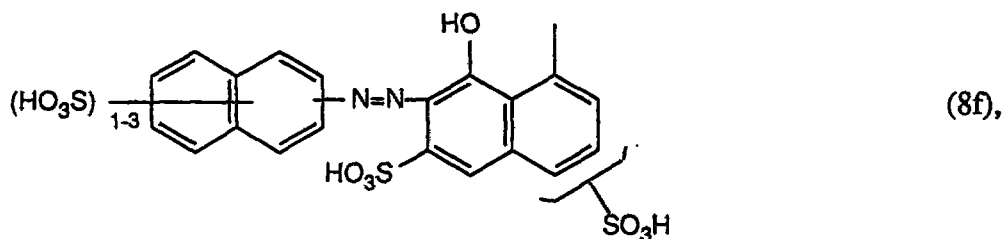
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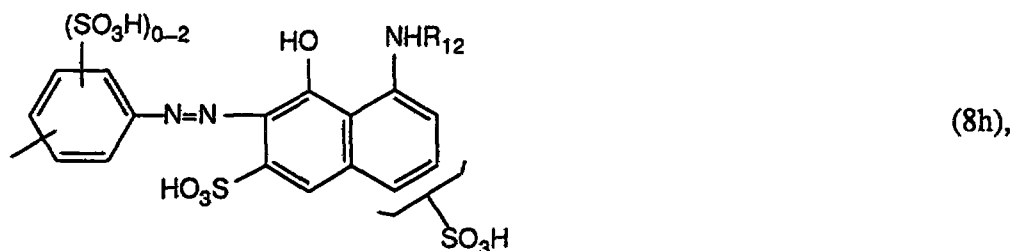
in which

R_{11} is 0 to 4 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of halogen, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, sulfamoyl, carbamoyl, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, amino, acetamino, ureido, hydroxyl, carboxyl, sulfomethyl and sulfo,



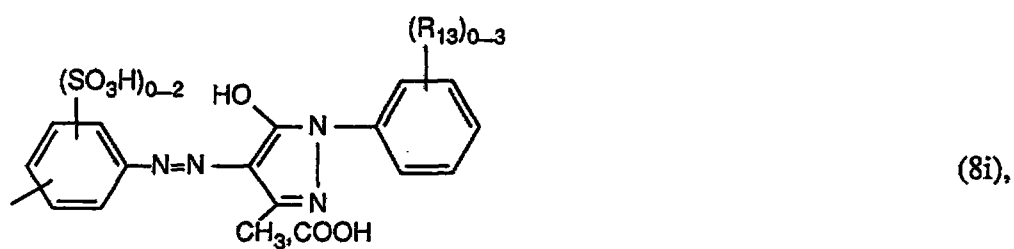
in which

R_{12} is C_1 - C_4 alkanoyl, benzoyl or a halogenotriazinyl radical which is unsubstituted or further substituted,



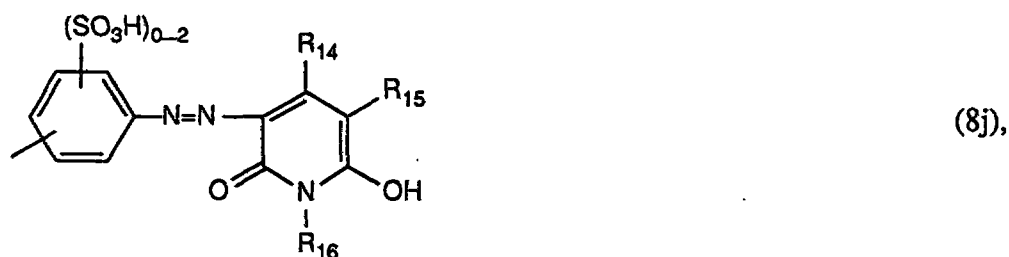
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R_{12} is C_1 - C_4 alkanoyl, benzoyl or a halogenotriazinyl radical which is unsubstituted or further substituted,



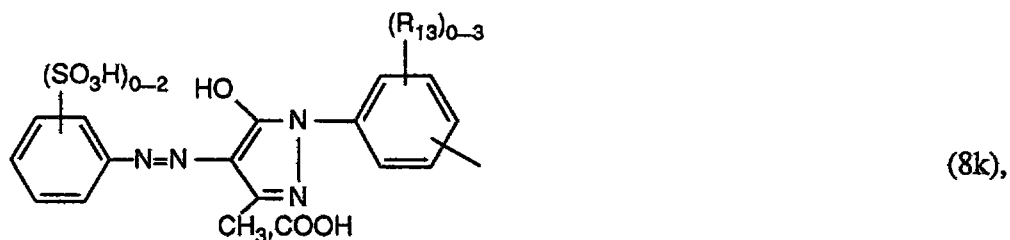
in which

R_{13} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



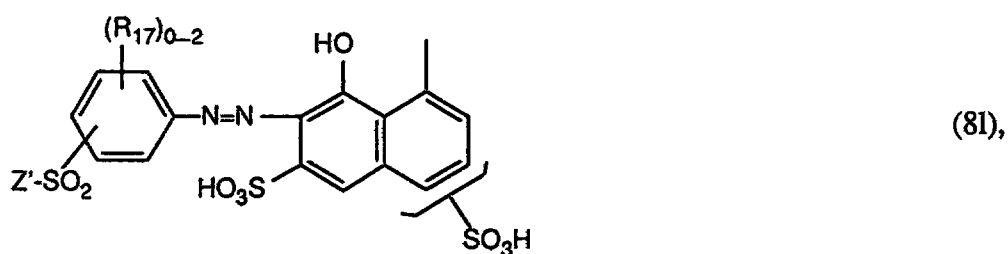
in which

R_{14} and R_{16} independently of one another are hydrogen, C_1 - C_4 alkyl or phenyl, and R_{15} is hydrogen, cyano, carbamoyl or sulfomethyl,



in which

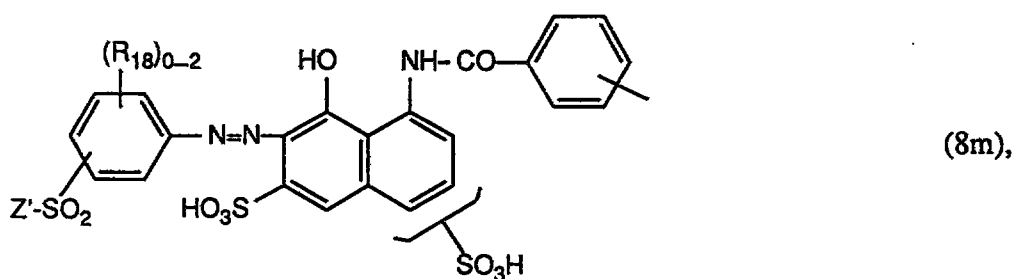
R_{13} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,



in which

R_{17} is 0 to 2 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo; and

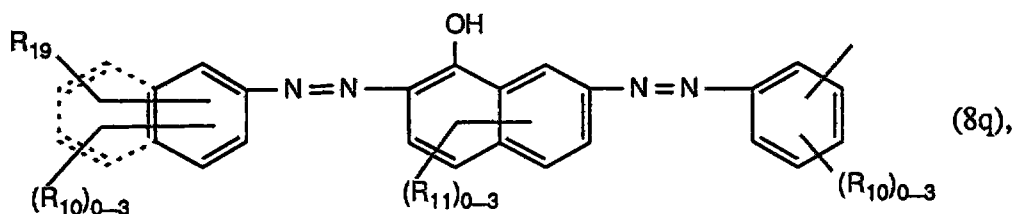
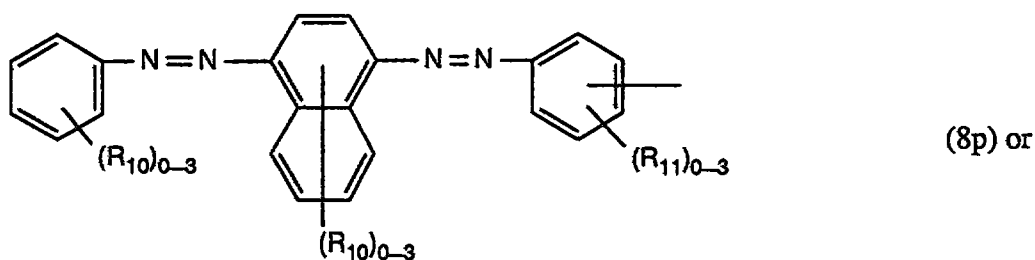
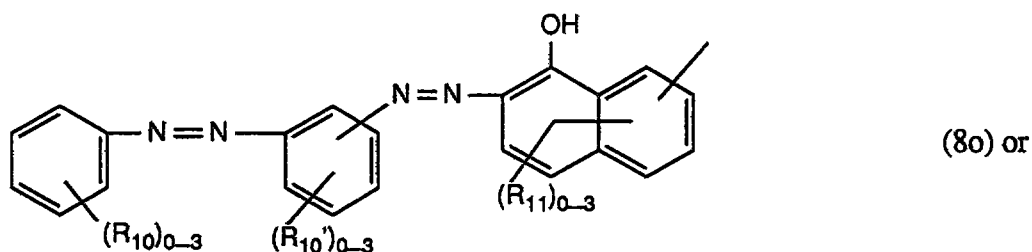
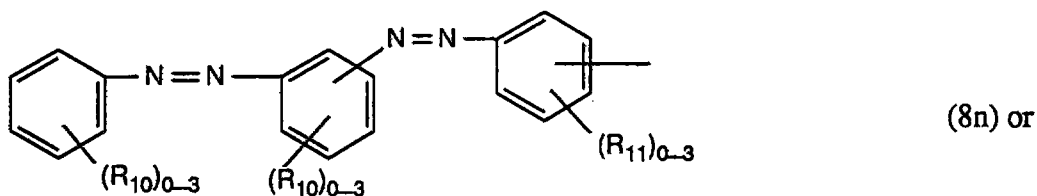
Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl,



in which

R_{18} is 0 to 2 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo; and

Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl,



in which

R_{10} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl and sulfo,

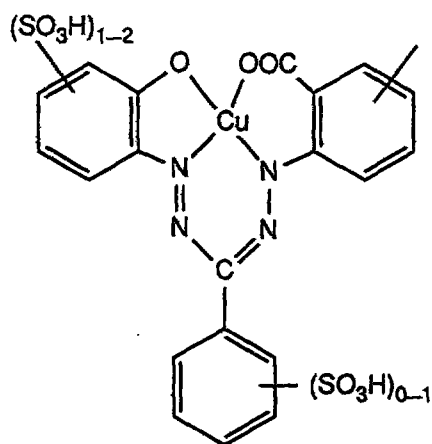
R_{10}' is as defined for R_{10} and can additionally be C_1 - C_4 hydroxyalkoxy or C_1 - C_4 sulfatoalkoxy,

R_{11} is 0 to 3 identical or different substituents from the group consisting of halogen, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, sulfamoyl, carbamoyl, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, amino, acetyl amino, ureido, hydroxyl, carboxyl, sulfomethyl and sulfo and

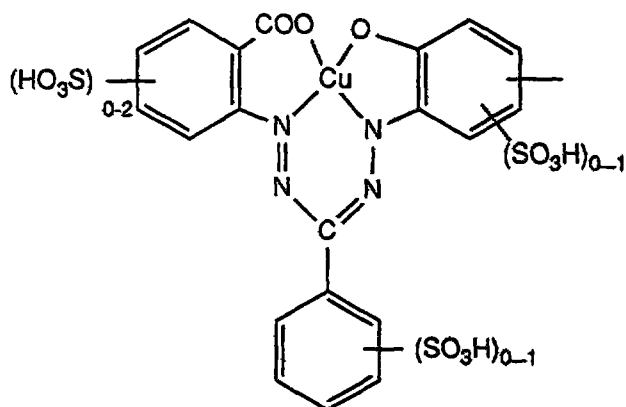
R_{19} is hydrogen or a radical of the formula $-SO_2Z'$, $-NH-CO-(CH_2)_{2-3}-SO_2Z'$, $-NH-CO-C(Hal)=CH_2$ or $-NH-CO-CH(Hal)-CH_2-Hal$, in which

Z' is β -sulfatoethyl, β -thiosulfatoethyl, β -phosphatoethyl, β -acyloxyethyl, β -haloethyl or vinyl and

Hal is halogen,

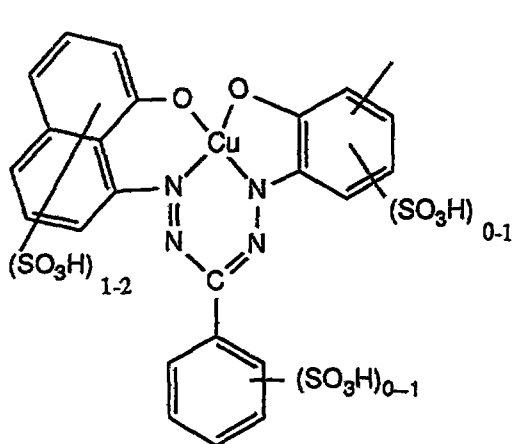


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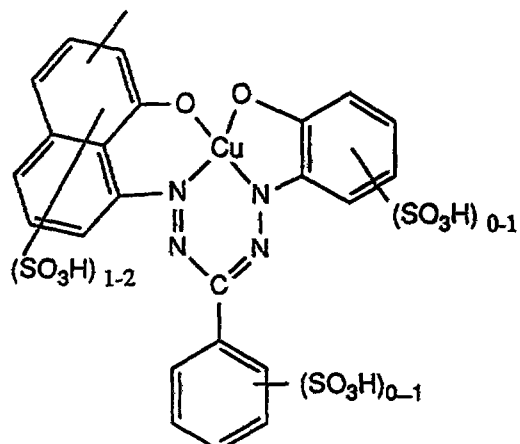


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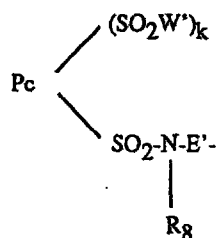
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or

in which the benzene nuclei contain no further substituents or are further substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfonyl, halogen or carboxyl,



(9),

in which

Pc is the radical of a metal phthalocyanine, in particular the radical of a copper or nickel phthalocyanine;



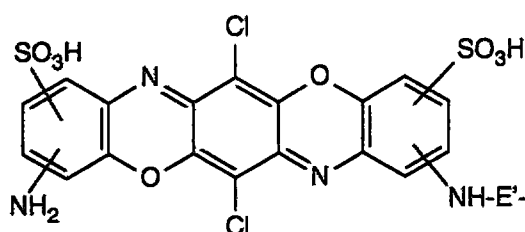
W' is -OH and/or -NR₉R₉';

R₉ and R₉' independently of one another are hydrogen or C₁-C₄alkyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by hydroxyl or sulfo;

R₈ is hydrogen or C₁-C₄alkyl;

E' is a phenylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, or a C₂-C₆alkylene radical; and

k is 1 to 3,



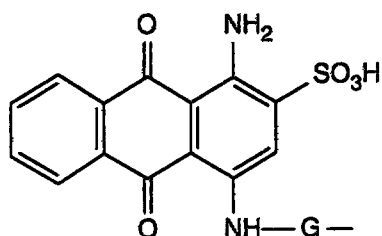
(10),

in which

E' is a phenylene radical which is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo, or a C₂-C₆alkylene radical and

the outer benzene rings in the formula (10) contain no further substituents or are further substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, acetylamino, nitro, halogen, carboxyl, sulfo or -SO₂-Z', in which

Z' is β-sulfatoethyl, β-thiosulfatoethyl, β-phosphatoethyl, β-acyloxyethyl, β-haloethyl or vinyl, or



(11),

in which

G is a phenylene, cyclohexylene, phenylenemethylene or C₂-C₆alkylene radical, where the anthraquinone nucleus contains no further substituents or is substituted by a further sulfo group and a phenyl radical G is unsubstituted or substituted by C₁-C₄alkyl, C₁-C₄alkoxy, halogen, carboxyl or sulfo.

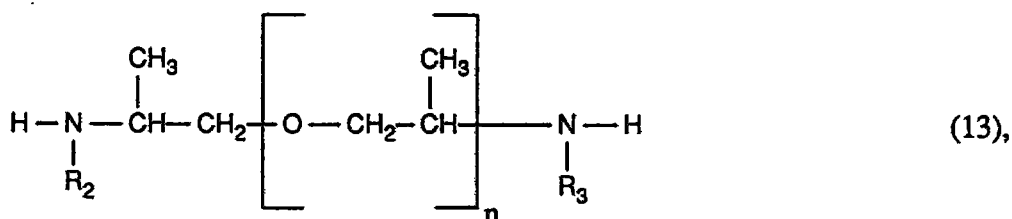
10. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 9, in which the radicals A₁ and A₂ each contain at least one sulfo group.



11. A dye according to any one of claims 1 to 10, in which A_1 and A_2 have identical meanings.
12. A dye mixture which comprises at least two dyes according to any one of claims 1 to 11.
13. A dye mixture according to claim 12, wherein the dyes mentioned differ only in respect of the number n .
14. A process for the preparation of a dye according to claim 1, which comprises reacting at least one compound of the formulae



or a corresponding dye intermediate, at least one halotriazine compound and at least one diamine of the formula



and if appropriate at least one compound of the formulae



in which

A_1 , A_2 , R_1 , R_2 , R_3 , R_4 and n are as defined in claim 1 and Y_1 and Y_2 independently of one another are carboxypyridinium, substituted or unsubstituted amino or a heterocyclic radical bonded via a nitrogen atom, with one another in any sequence, if appropriate a further conversion reaction subsequently being carried out and, if a dye intermediate is used, the resulting intermediate being converted into the desired dye.

15. The use of a dye according to any one of claims 1 to 11 or of a dye mixture according



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to claim 12 or 13 for dyeing or printing fibre materials containing hydroxyl groups or nitrogen.

16. The use according to claim 15 for dyeing or printing cellulosic fibre materials or naturally occurring or synthetic polyamide fibre materials.