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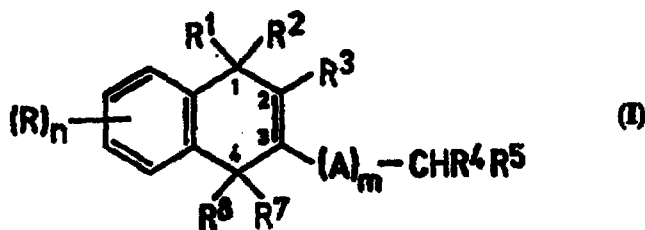
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(57) Abstract

Pesticidal as a pesticide against whitefly, Lepidoptera and certain fungi is provided of compound of general formula (I) or a salt thereof is provided, in which n represents an integer from 0 to 4; m represents an integer 0 or 1; each R independently represents a halogen atom or a nitro, cyano, hydroxyl, alkyl, alkenyl, haloalkyl, haloalkenyl, alkoxy, haloalkoxy, haloalkenoxy, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, alkoxy-carbonyl, carboxyl, alkanoxy, alkylthio, alkylsulphonyl, alkylsulphonyl, carbamoyl, alkylamido, cycloalkyl, aryl or aralkyl group; R¹ and R² each independently represent an optionally substituted alkoxy group or together represent a group -O-, -S- or -N-OR⁹, where R⁹ represents a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl group; R³ represents a hydroxyl group, or a group -OL where L is a leaving group, or a group which *in vivo* is transformed into a group -OL where L is a leaving group; R⁷ and R⁸ independently represent an optionally substituted alkoxy group or together represent a group -O-, -S- or -N-OR⁹, where R⁹ is as previously defined; wherein R₄ and R₅ independently represent a halogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl or alkenyl group, or together with the interjacent carbon atom represent an optionally substituted cycloalkyl or cycloalkenyl ring; and A represents a straight or branched chain alkyl or alkenyl group, which may be optionally substituted, an acyclic carbon chain of which links the 3-position of the naphthalene ring shown and the moiety -CH(R₄)R₅ and wherein A does not include a quaternary carbon atom in that chain; and wherein the total number of carbon atoms in the longest carbon chain running from the 3-position of the naphthalene ring shown is no more than 8.