

Hydrogenation of dihydrofurans to give tetrahydrofurans

Abstract

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In a process for the catalytic hydrogenation of 2,5- and 2,3-dihydrofuran with hydrogen to give tetrahydrofuran, use is made of a catalyst in which a metal or a plurality of metals have been deposited by vapor deposition or sputtering on a metal wire 10 mesh or a metal foil as support.

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