

Abstract**METHOD OF REGULATING THE WATER CONTENT IN A CONTINUOUS METHOD
FOR PRODUCING METHACROLEIN**

5 The present invention concerns regulating the water content in a process for
production of methacrolein. Methacrolein is used in chemical synthesis
particularly as an intermediate for production of methacrylic acid, methyl
methacrylate or else of active, aroma or flavour chemicals. The present
invention is particularly concerned with regulating the water content in a
10 process for production of methacrolein from formaldehyde and
propionaldehyde via a Mannich condensation.

Figure 1.