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Abstract

Process for producing stock cubes

The invention relates to a process for producing stock cubes by mixing the customary constituents comprising salt, fat, extract and, if appropriate, water and also other customary additives, which is characterized in that the mixing is performed by continuous addition of the constituents one after the other in an extruder, an amount of fat which is reduced in comparison with customary formulations of 4-30%, in particular 5-25%, preferably 8-12%, based on the total mixture, being used, the mixture continuously processed in the extruder being extruded through a shaping die to form a dimensionally stable extrudate having a density of $1.0-2.0 \text{ g/cm}^3$, preferably $1.2-1.7 \text{ g/cm}^3$, and the extrudate being portioned to the individual pieces which are packaged.



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