

Abstract

The invention relates to a supported platinum group metal
5 catalyst obtainable by controlled electroless deposition of at
least one platinum group metal from a deposition solution which
comprises

- 10 i) at least one homogeneously dissolved platinum group metal
compound,
- ii) a reducing agent and
- 15 iii) at least one control agent selected from isopolyacids and
heteropolyacids of niobium, tantalum, molybdenum, tungsten
and vanadium or their salts.

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