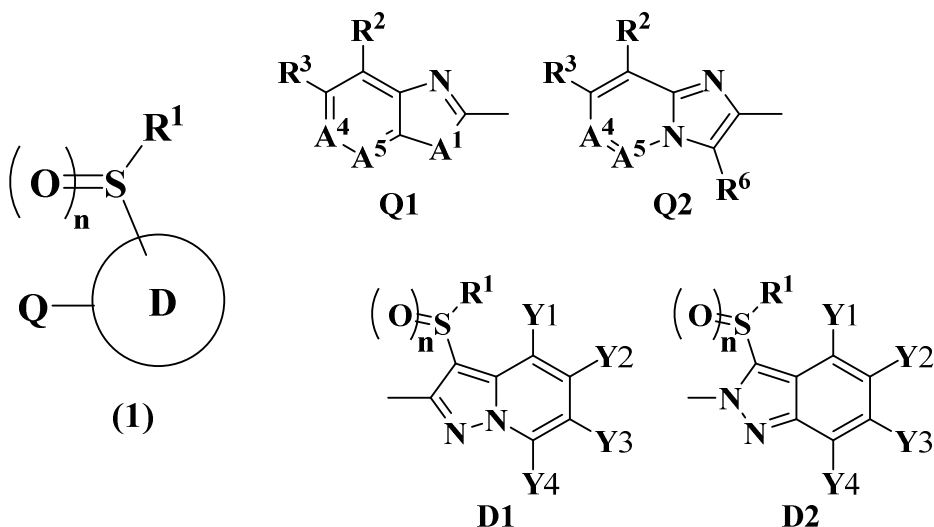


ABSTRACT

To provide novel pesticides, especially insecticides or acaricides.

A condensed heterocyclic compound represented by the formula (1) or its salt, or

5 N-oxide thereof:



wherein Q is a structure represented by Q1, Q2 or the like, D substituted with $-S(O)_n R^1$ is a structure represented by D1 or D2, A^1 is $N(A^{1a})$ or the like, A^{1a} is C_1-C_6 alkyl or the like, A^4 is a nitrogen atom or $C(R^4)$, A^5 is a nitrogen atom or $C(R^5)$,

10 R^1 is C_1-C_6 alkyl or the like, each of R^2 , R^5 and R^6 is independently a hydrogen atom or C_1-C_6 alkyl, each of R^3 , R^4 , $Y1$, $Y2$, $Y3$ and $Y4$ is independently a halogen atom, halo (C_1-C_6) alkyl or the like, and n is an integer of 0, 1 or 2.