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PROCESS FOR PREPARING PRACTICALLY PURE 1-AMINO-8-NITRO-4,5-DIHYDROXY ANTHRAQUINONE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: US4154747A] A process for the preparation of 1-amino-8-nitro-4,5-dihydroxyanthraquinone by partially reducing the corresponding dinitrohydroxyanthraquinone and isolating the reduction product, in which crude 1,8-dinitro-4,5-dihydroxyanthraquinone obtained by nitrating 4,5-dihydroxyanthraquinone is partially reduced in a phenol-water mixture, which contains from 5 to 50% by weight of water, in the presence of an alkali metal phenolate, by means of a reductone, reductonate or a mixture of these. The product is virtually free from by-products and is suitable for use for the synthesis of dyes.

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