

Technical Datasheet

Analysis Name: Determination of Total Nitrogen by

Combustion

Method Number: LIBR 024

Scope Application: Description of a general method for the

determination of total nitrogen by combustion according to Dumas principle. For the calculation of protein content,

various conversion factors are used.

Description: Samples are converted to gases by heating

in a combustion tube, which gasifies samples. Interfering components are removed from the resulting gas mixture. The nitrogen components in the gas mixture or a representative part of them are converted to molecular nitrogen, which is quantitatively determined by a thermal conductivity

detector.

Sample Weight Required: 120 g

Method Reference:

Analytical Platform: Combustion

Special Information: Method accredited ABNT ISO 17025: 2017.

Analyte Reported	Alias	Unit of Measure	Typical Limit of Quantification	Uncertainty
Nitrogen	-	g/100g	0.04	< 20 %
Protein (Conversion factor 6.25)	-	g/100g	0.25	< 20%