

Calculate the weight of petroleum ether extract as % of original sample by the formulas,

$$\text{Oil, as-is \%} = [(A-B) \times 100] / W$$

$$\text{Oil, dry basis \%} = (\text{Oil as-is, \%} \times 100) / (100 - M)$$

Calculate the weight of petroleum ether extract

A = wt of flask + extracted fatty substances (g)

B = wt of flask (g)

W = wt of sample of cereal adjunct (g)

M = moisture content, % in cereal adjunct

Results

Oil, as-is, %

Oil, dry basis, %

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Oil, as is \%} &= [(37.538 - 37.462) \times 100] / 10.045 \\ &= 0.757 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0.76$$

$$\text{Oil, dry basis \%} = (0.757 \times 100) / (100 - 11.2)$$

$$= 0.85$$