## Jatropha curcas seed oil as new substrate for enzymatic methylhydroxylaminolysis.

## ABSTRACT

Synthesis of methyl fatty hydroxamic acids (MFHAs) was carried out using lipozyme RM IM based on Jatropha Curcas seed oil. Optimized conditions were obtained at a mole ratio of 6/1 of methyl hydroxylamine/oil, temperature at 41°C, enzyme 30mg/mmol and 72 h of reaction time. At this optimal condition, the yield% of methyl fatty hydroxamic based on Jatropha Curcas seed oil was 93.92%. The product was characterized by Fourier transform infrared (FTIR), and proton and carbon nuclear magnetic resonance (<sup>1</sup>H-NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR) spectra.

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