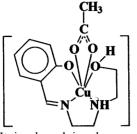
The invention relates to a new coordinative compound from the class of salicylideneaminoalcoholates of transition metals and to a process for cultivation of cyanobacterium *Spirulina platensis* with its use as a compound increasing the copper content in the cyanobacterium biomass.

It is claimed a coordinative compound acetato-N-[2-(2-hydroxyethylamino)-ethyl]-salicyli-deneimino(1-)copper of formula:



It is also claimed a process for cultivation of cyanobacterium *Spirulina platensis*, including the cultivation of Spirulina in a nutrient medium containing, g/l: NaNO₃ – 2.5; NaHCO₃ – 16.8; NaCl – 1.0; K₂SO₄ – 1.0; K₂HPO₄ – 0.5; MgSO₄·7H₂O – 0.2; CaCl₂ – 0.04; FeSO₄·7H₂O – 0.01; EDTA – 0.08; H₃BO₃ – 0.00286; MnCl₂·4H₂O – 0,00181; ZnSO₄·7H₂O – 0.00002; CuSO₄·5H₂O – 0.00008; MoO₃ – 0.000015 and distilled water up to 1 L, at the temperature of 30...32°C, pH 9.5...10.0 and light of 2000...3000 lx. At the same time, on the 2nd day of cultivation into the nutrient medium is added acetato-N-[2-(2-hydroxyetthylamino)-ethyl]-salicylideneimino(1-)copper, in a concentration of 2...4 mg/L, in which the quantity of Cu²⁺ is 0.47...0.94 mg/L.

Claims: 2 Fig.: 1