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### **Abstract**

A simple and rapid sequential injection spectrophotometric method for the detn. of cyanide is proposed. The method is based on the reaction of cyanide with 2,2-dihydroxy-1,3-indanedione (Ninhydrin), which produces a red colored product that can be monitored at a wavelength of 600 nm. The linear range found is between 2.00 and 7.00 mg L<sup>-1</sup> with a detection limit of 0.16 mg L<sup>-1</sup>. The sampling rate was calcd. to be 45 samples per h. The proposed method has precision and accuracy comparable with std. methods.