

The invention relates to methods for purification of naphthalene. The method provides for the treatment of raw material with oxidizing agent and isolation of end product by distillation. As oxidizing agent elementary sulphur is used at an amount of 1 - 6 moles per mole of admixtures, at that the process of oxidation is performed at the temperature of 120 – 380 °C during 0.3 – 20 h at the pressure of 1 – 21 atmospheres