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The invention relates to food and pharmaceutical industries, namely to a process for producing inulin from roots of *Asteraceae* family plants.

The process, according to the invention, provides for the shredding of fibrous roots, which are subjected to extraction in countercurrent with a hydroalcoholic solvent with the production of an extract from which is distilled the alcohol, the obtained aqueous extract is treated with N-sulphocationite, mixed and concentrated by evaporation, and then is separated the N-sulphocationite, which is washed with water at a temperature up to 70°C, the obtained solution is combined with the concentrated extract, treated with activated charcoal, concentrated to the 40% dry substance content, then is separated the coal, cooled and precipitated with ethanol, after which the precipitate is separated, dried and milled.

Claims: 1