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- the Scope has been updated;
- silica gel has been added as a desiccant ([5.2](#));
- the use of platinum dishes and a temperature of incineration of 900 °C for the flour analysis has replaced a choice of a temperature between 900 °C and 550 °C (see [Table 1](#));
- the interlaboratory critical difference ($C_{D,R}$) has been updated in [11.4.2](#).

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