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FOREWORD

This Standard was approved by the Sectoral Committee on Food Products and authorized for adoption and publication as a Sri Lanka Standard by the Council of the Sri Lanka Standards Institution on 2020-05-27.

This Standard was first published in 1993. In this first revision, types of rice flour have been included and covered string hopper rice flour. Limits for heavy metals, iron dust, pesticide residues and mycotoxins have been introduced.

This Standard is subject to the provisions of the Food Act No. 26 of 1980 and the regulations framed thereunder.

For the purpose of deciding whether a particular requirement of this Standard is complied with, the final value, observed or calculated, expressing the result of a test or an analysis shall be rounded off in accordance with **SLS 102**. The number of significant places to be retained in the rounded off value shall be the same as that of the specified value in this Standard.

In revising this Standard, the valuable assistance derived from the following publications is gratefully acknowledged:

CODEX STAN 198-1995 Codex standard for rice
 Pearson's chemical analysis of foods 8th Edition 1981

1 SCOPE

This Standard prescribes the requirements, methods of sampling and tests for rice flour.

2 REFERENCES

- SLS 102 Rules for rounding off numerical values
- SLS 124 Test sieves
- SLS 143 Code of practice for general principles of food hygiene
- SLS 303 Method for the determination of cadmium
- SLS 311 Method for the determination of lead
- SLS 312 Method for the determination of arsenic
- SLS 428 Random sampling methods
- SLS 467 Labelling of prepackaged foods
- SLS 516 Methods of test for microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs
 Part 2 Horizontal for the enumeration of yeasts and moulds.
 Section 2: Colony count technique in products with water activity less than or equal to 0.95