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## **FOREWORD**

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

Processed cereal-based foods for infants and young children are used as part of a diversified diet and do not constitute the sole source of nourishment of infants and young children.

This revised Standard covers food stuffs for particular nutritional use fulfilling the particular requirements of infants and young children in good health in the community and are intended for use by infants while they are being weaned and by young children as a supplement to their diet and/ or for their progressive adaptation to ordinary food.

This Standard was first published in 1995 and revised in 2011. This second revision has been undertaken to update it in the light of further experience and technological developments made in the industry and to align with international practices.

This Standard is subject to the restrictions imposed under the Sri Lanka 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 retained in the rounded off value shall be the same as that of the specified value in this Standard.

In the preparation of this standard, the assistance derived from the following publications is gratefully acknowledged:

Codex Stan 074 - 2006 Codex standard for processed cereal-based foods for infants and young children

2006/125/EC European Directive on processed cereal based foods for infants and young children

## **1 SCOPE**

**1.1** This Standard prescribes the requirements, methods of sampling and test for processed cereal-based foods intended for feeding infants as a complementary food from the age of six months onwards, taking into account infants, individual nutritional requirements, and for feeding young children as part of a progressively diversified diet.