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NATIONAL FOREWORD

This Sri Lanka Standard was approved by the Sectoral Committee on Agriculture and was authorized for adoption and publication as a Sri Lanka Standard by the Director General as vice chairperson of council on 2020-12-21 in the absence of chairman. This was ratified by the Council of Sri Lanka Standards Institution on 2021-01-13.

This Sri Lanka Standard is identical with **ISO 11545:2009** Agricultural irrigation equipment — Centre-pivot and moving lateral irrigation machines with sprayer or sprinkler nozzles — Determination of uniformity of water distribution, published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO).

ISO 11545:2009 specifies an in-field method for determining the uniformity of water distribution in the field from center-pivot and moving lateral irrigation machines equipped with sprayer or sprinkler nozzles. The calculation of the coefficient of uniformity is also specified.

It is applicable to agricultural irrigation machines for which the water application device is more than 1.5 m above the soil surface and for which the water distribution from successive devices overlaps. It is not applicable to the evaluation of center-pivot irrigation machines equipped with various corner arm application devices.

Terminology and conventions

The text of the International Standard has been accepted as suitable for publication, without deviation, as a Sri Lanka Standard. However, certain terminology and conventions are not identical with those used in Sri Lanka Standards. Attention is therefore drawn to the following:

- a) Wherever the words “International Standard” appear referring to this standard, they should be interpreted as “Sri Lanka Standard”.
- b) The comma has been used throughout as a decimal marker. In Sri Lanka Standards it is the current practice to use a full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.
- c) Wherever page numbers are quoted, they are ISO page numbers.

The test temperature adopted in Sri Lanka is 27 ± 2 °C and relative humidity 65 ± 5 per cent is recommended.

**Agricultural irrigation equipment —
Centre-pivot and moving lateral irrigation
machines with sprayer or sprinkler
nozzles — Determination of uniformity of
water distribution**

*Matériel agricole d'irrigation — Pivots et rampes frontales équipés de
buses d'arrosage ou d'asperseurs — Détermination de l'uniformité de la
distribution d'eau*



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