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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 Director General as vice chairperson of council on 2020-12-23 in the absence of chairman. This was ratified by the Council of Sri Lanka Standards Institution on 2021-01-13.

This Standard was first published in 1974 and revised in 1988. This Standard has revised to be in line with the (Milk & milk products) regulation. In this revision butter types have been included and microbiological requirements updated.

This Standard is subjected to the restriction imposed under the Sri Lanka Food Act No. 26 of 1980 and the regulations framed thereunder.

For 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 should be the same as that of the specified value in this Standard.

In formulation of this Standard, the valuable assistance derived from the following publications is gratefully acknowledged.

Codex Standard **279-1971**- Codex Standard for butter
IS 13690-1992 (Reaffirmed 2003) Indian Standard for pasteurized butter specification

1 SCOPE

This Standard prescribes the requirements and methods of sampling and tests for butter.

2 REFERENCES

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| SLS | 80 Edible iodized salt (powdered form) |
| SLS | 102 Rules for rounding off numerical values |
| SLS | 143 Code of practice for general principles of food hygiene |
| SLS | 181 Raw and processed milk |
| SLS | 313 Methods for analysis of animal and vegetable fats and oils |
| SLS | 428 Random sampling methods. |
| SLS | 516 Methods of tests for microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs |
| | Part 2 Horizontal method for the enumeration of yeasts and moulds. Section 1: Colony count technique in products with water activity greater than 0.95 |
| | Part 3 Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of coliforms |
| | Section 1: Most probable number technique |
| | Part 5 Horizontal method for the detection of <i>Salmonella spp.</i> |