

(PREVIEW)

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Indian Standard
SPECIFICATION FOR *BOMBAY HALWA*
(*First Revision*)

0. FOREWORD

0.1 This Indian Standard (First Revision) was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 26 February 1975, after the draft finalized by the Bakery and Confectionery Sectional Committee had been approved by the Agricultural and Food Products Division Council.

0.2 This standard was first published in April 1964. In view of the experience gained in the manufacture of *BOMBAY HALWA*, the committee responsible for formulation of this specification decided to revise it. In this revision requirements for various characteristics have been reviewed and requirement for quantity of nuts has been modified. In addition the use of tin containers which may be either lacquered or unlacquered has been permitted. This revision also incorporates two amendments issued earlier.

0.3 *BOMBAY HAL WA* is a favourite item of Indian sweetmeats. It is made from maize starch, ghee, sugar and nuts. Colouring matter and flavouring essences are also added. *BOMBAY HAL WA* is being exported to some foreign countries. In order to preserve the *HALWA* for a long time without deterioration, specially when exported to foreign countries, it is packed in hermetically sealed containers.

0.4 While formulating this standard due consideration has been given to the relevant rules issued by the Government of India under the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954. This standard is, however, subject to the restrictions imposed under that Act, wherever applicable.

0.5 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 analysis, shall be rounded off in accordance with IS : 2-1960". The number of significant places retained in the rounded off value should be the same as that of the specified value in this standard.

1. SCOPE

1.1 This standard prescribes the requirements and the methods of sampling and test for *BOMBAY HALWA*.