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## (PREVIEW)

## Indian Standard SPECIFICATION FOR ZINEB, WATER DISPERSIBLE POWDERS

## FOREWORD

**0.1** This Indian Standard was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 28 July 1981, after the draft finalized by the Pest Control Sectional Committee had been approved by the Agricultural and Food Products Division Council and the Chemical Division Council.

**0.2** Zineb water dispersible powder is used for the control of diseases of plants.

**0.3** Zineb water dispersible powder is generally manufactured to contain 75 percent (m/m) zineb content.

**0.4** This standard was first published in 1966. Subsequently four amendments were issued. The present revision incorporates latest packing and marking requirements and additional requirements like zinc. Opportunity has been taken to give references for test methods as given in IS : 6940 1973\* for the sake of uniformity.

**0.5** In the preparation of this standard, due consideration has been given to the provisions of the Insecticides Act, 1968and the Rules framed thereunder. However, this standard is subject to the restrictions imposed under these, wherever applicable.

**0.6** 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 oft' 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 zineb, water dispersible powders.