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Indian Standard

SPECIFICATION FOR EMULSIFIABLE LARVICIDAL OIL, PYRETHRUM BASED

(First Revision)

1. SCOPE

1.1 This standard prescribes the requirements and the methods of sampling and tests for the emulsifiable larvicidal oil, pyrethrum based.

FOREWORD

- **0.1** This Indian Standard (First Revision) was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 31 January 1978, 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** The emulsifiable larvicidal oil is intended for use as a larvicide for mosquito abatement and control in breeding places like lakes, pools and other stagnant waters, and marshes.
- **0.3** Emulsifiable larvicidal oil, pyrethrin based is generally manufactured to contain 0.2 percent (m/m) of pyrethrin.
- **0.4** This standard was first issued in 1970. This has been revised to align with the statutory requirements regarding packing. This revision also incorporates certain modifications in the testing procedure based on the experience gained during its implementation.
- **0.5** In the preparation of this standard, due consideration has been given to the provisions of the Insecticides Act, 1968 and the Rules framed thereunder. However, this standard is subject to the restrictions imposed under these, wherever applicable.
- **0.6** This edition 2.5 incorporates Amendment No. 4 (August 1989) and Amendment No. 5 (May 1994). Side bar indicates modification of the text as the result of incorporation of the amendments. Amendment Nos. 1, 2 & 3 had been incorporated earlier.
- **0.7** 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.

^{*}Rules for rounding off numerical values (revised).