

(PREVIEW)

IS : 7472 - 1986

# *Indian Standard*

## **SPECIFICATION FOR PIG FEEDS**

*(First Revision)*

### **1. SCOPE**

**1.1** This standard prescribes the requirements, and methods of sampling and test for pig feeds.

### **FOREWORD**

**0.1** This Indian Standard ( First Revision ) was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 28 November 1986, after the draft finalized by the Animal Feeds Sectional Committee had been approved by the Agricultural and Food Products Division Council.

**0.2** Piggery development is making a rapid progress within the country. A large number of farms have been established where pig rearing and breeding has been undertaken on scientific lines. It is important that for the production of good quality pork at minimum cost, the pigs are properly fed so as to meet their nutritional requirements. To keep pace with the piggery development, the manufacture of compound pig feeds and their marketing has also commenced in the country. Therefore, with a view to enable the manufacturers to prepare pig feeds of known quality, this Indian Standard has been prepared.

**0.3** This standard was first published in 1974. In this revision, content has been increased. For the sake of uniformity in testing, reference has been given to IS : 7874 ( Part I)-1975\*.

**0.4** The Committee responsible for this standard is seized of the aflatoxin problem. The safe limit and the reliable method for its estimation will be included in the standard no sooner these are finalized.

**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.

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\*Methods of tests for animal feeds and feeding stuffs : Part 1 General methods.

†Rules for rounding off numerical values ( *revised*).