Draft Tanzania Standard

Sensory analysis -- Methodology -- Sequential analysis
NATIONAL FOREWORD

1.0 INTRODUCTION
This standard was adopted by sensory evaluation technical committee, under the supervision of Food and Agriculture Standards Divisional committee (AFDC).

This International Standard describes a procedure for statistically analyzing data from forced-choice sensory discrimination tests, such as the Triangle, Duo-Trio, 3-AFC, 2-AFC, in which after every trial of the discrimination test the decision can be made to stop testing and declare a difference, to stop testing and declare no difference, or to continue testing.

It is identical to ISO 16820:2004 Sensory analysis -- Methodology -- Sequential analysis which was published by International Organization for Standardization.

TERMINOLOGY AND CONVENTIONS.
This text of International standard, if found suitable, may be approved for publication as Tanzania standard without deviations.

Some terminologies and certain conventions are not identical with those used in Tanzania standards: attention is drawn especially to the following:

1. The comma has been used as decimal marker for Metric dimensions. In Tanzania standards, it’s currently practice to use “full point” on the baseline as decimal marker.

2. Where the words “International standard (s)” appear, referring to this standard they should read “Tanzania Standard(s)”.

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