



DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARD

Dentistry — Oral care products — Oral rinses

TANZANIA BUREAU OF STANDARDS

National foreword

The Tanzania Bureau of Standards is the statutory National standards body for Tanzania, established under the Act.No.3 of 1975, amended by Act.No.2 of 2009.

This Draft Tanzania Standard is being adopted by Medical devices Technical Committee under the supervision of the Chemicals Divisional Standards Committee.

This Draft Tanzania Standard is the identical adoption of an International Standard, ISO 16408:2025, *Dentistry — Oral care products — Oral rinses*.

This second edition cancels and replaces TZS 732: 2008, *Non-medicinal mouth rinses/mouthwash — Specification*.

Terminology and conventions

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

The comma has been used as a decimal marker for metric dimensions. In Tanzania Standards, its current practice to use full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.

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

Scope

This document specifies physical and chemical requirements and test methods for oral rinses. It also specifies requirements on the accompanying information to be given in the manufacturer's instructions for use and on containers as well as the requirements for packaging. Common labelling aspects are specified in order to enhance international understanding and trade.

This document is not applicable to other delivery systems (e.g. mouth sprays, foams, powders). It is not intended to describe regulatory aspects, e.g. methods of prescription.

This document is not applicable to oral rinses available by prescription only.