



**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>TANZANIA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)
<b>3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Rape, colza or mustard oil and fractions thereof, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified (HS code(s): 1514); Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200.20)
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> AFDC 19(3881) DTZS, Canola (Rapeseed) seeds for oil extraction — Specification, First Edition. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 7 <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/TZA/26_01290_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/TZA/26_01290_00_e.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and testing methods for canola seeds of the species <i>Brassica napus</i> L., <i>Brassica rapa</i> L., <i>Brassica juncea</i> L. and <i>Brassica tournefortii</i> Gouan intended for oil extraction for human consumption.  Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under TBT Committee.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
<b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b> <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>

<p><b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. CXS 192, General standard for food additives</li> <li>2. CXS 193, General Standard for Contaminants and Toxins in Food and Feed</li> <li>3. TZS 4, Rounding off numerical values</li> <li>4. TZS 109, Food processing units – Code of hygiene – General</li> <li>5. TZS 538, Packaging and labeling of foods</li> <li>6. TZS 742, Oleaginous seeds – Sampling</li> <li>7. TZS 799, Foodstuffs – Determination of aflatoxin B1, and the total content of aflatoxins B1, B2, G1 and G2 in cereals, nuts and derived products – High-performance liquid chromatographic method</li> <li>8. TZS 1314 – 1, Oilseeds – Determination of content of impurities</li> <li>9. TZS 1314 – 2, Oilseeds – Determination of moisture and volatile matter content</li> <li>10. TZS 1314 – 3, Oilseeds – Determination of oil content (Reference method)</li> <li>11. TZS 1314 – 4, Oilseeds – Determination of acidity of oils</li> <li>12. TZS 288-4, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Gas chromatography of fatty acid methyl esters – Part 4: Determination by capillary gas chromatography</li> </ol>
<p><b>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined and notified.  <b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p>
<p><b>11. Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.  <b>[X] Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<p><b>12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 5 May 2026  <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [ ] National Notification Authority, [ ] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</b></p> <p>Tanzania Bureau of Standards  Ubungo, Morogoro Road/Sam Nujoma Road  P. O. Box 9524  DAR ES SALAAM, TANZANIA  Tel: +(255 22) 245 0298  +(255 22) 245 0206  Fax: +(255 22) 245 0959  E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@tbs.go.tz">info@tbs.go.tz</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.tbs.go.tz">http://www.tbs.go.tz</a></p>
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