

Methods for the analysis of

Oilseeds —

Part 8: Check of the calibration of moisture meters

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Part 2: Moisture meters for oilseeds]

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National foreword

This Part of BS 4289 has been prepared under the direction of the Food and Agriculture Standards Committee. It is identical with ISO 7700-2:1987 “*Check of the calibration of moisture meters — Part 2: Moisture meters for oilseeds*” published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) and in the preparation of which the United Kingdom played a full part.

Terminology and conventions. The text of the International Standard has been approved as suitable for publication as a British Standard without deviation. Some terminology and certain conventions are not identical with those used in British Standards; attention is drawn especially to the following.

The comma has been used as a decimal marker. In British Standards it is current practice to use a full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.

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Cross-references

International Standard	Corresponding British Standard
ISO 665-1977	BS 4289 <i>Methods for the analysis of oilseeds</i> Part 3:1978 <i>Determination of moisture and volatile matter content</i> (Identical)

The Technical Committee has reviewed the provisions of ISO 729, to which reference is made in the text, and has decided that they are acceptable for use in conjunction with this standard. A related British Standard to ISO 729-1985 is BS 4289 “*Methods for the analysis of oilseeds*” Part 5:1968 “*Determination of acidity of oil*”, which gives equivalent results.

In the Annex A reference is made to the International Organization of Legal Metrology OIML International Recommendation No. 59, which is obtainable from OIML, 11 Rue Turgot, 75009 Paris, France.

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