

Specification for

Packages for certain pre-packed foodstuffs: capacities of glass and metal containers

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National foreword

This British Standard is published under the direction of the Packaging and Freight Container Standards Committee.

Particular attention is drawn to **3.1** which lists a range of capacities. In the United Kingdom it is the intention that the 370 ml capacity be used only for glass containers and not for metal containers.

EC Directive 76/211, referred to in **5.1.1**, is implemented in the United Kingdom by the Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Regulations 1979 (SI 1979/1613) as amended by the Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) (Amendment) Regulations 1980 (SI 1980/1064). These Regulations were made under the Weights and Measures Act 1979, which introduced into the United Kingdom the “average system” of metrological control.

Copies of the above Regulations etc. are obtainable from Her Majesty’s Stationery Office.

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