

Draft of Sanitation Standard for Edible Oils and Fats

Article 1

This Standard is prescribed in accordance with the provisions of Article 17 of the Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation.

Article 2

The edible oils and fats referred in this standard, include products that are derived from plant, animal or marine sources, or their mixtures.

Article 3

Limit of heavy metals:

Item	Limit (ppm)
Arsenic	0.1
Lead	0.1
Mercury	0.05
Copper	0.4
Tin	250 (for canned products)

Article 4

Edible oils or fats shall not contain more than 5.0 % erucic acid. Any food with the addition of oil or fat shall not contain more than 5.0 % erucic acid based on the total oil content of that food.

Article 5

Edible cotton seed oil shall be free from gossypol. (The detection limit of analysis method is 0.05 ppm for free form gossypol and 1 ppm of total gossypol)

Article 6

The content of mycotoxins in edible oils and fats shall meet the requirements set in the Sanitation Standard for the Tolerance of Mycotoxins in Foods.

Article 7

This Standard shall be implemented from the date of promulgation.