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Foreword

This standard replaces GB 2721-2003 “Hygienic standard for food grade salt” and No. 1 Amendment.

Compared with GB 2721-2003, the major changes of this standard are listed as follows:

- the name of this standard has been revised to “National food safety standard Food grade salt”;
- the scope has been revised;
- the terms and definitions have been added;
- the sensory requirements have been revised;
- the physicochemical indicators have been revised;
- the labeling requirements have been added.

National Food Safety Standard

Food Grade Salt

1. Scope

This standard applies to food grade salt.

2. Terms and Definitions

2.1 Food grade salt

Food grade salt is edible salt consisting predominantly of sodium chloride.

2.2 Refined salt

With brine or salt as raw material, refined salt is food grade salt obtained through vacuum evaporation salt production process, mechanical thermocompression evaporation salt production process or processes of crushing, washing and drying.

2.3 Crushed and washed salt

Crushed and washed salt is food grade salt obtained through processes of crushing and washing with sea salt, lake salt or rock salt as raw material.

2.4 Solar salt

Solar salt is food grade salt obtained through processes of concentration and crystallization of brine under solar condition.

2.5 Low-sodium salt

Low-sodium salt is food grade salt processed by adding state-approved food additives (such as potassium chloride) so as to reduce the concentration of sodium cations with one or more following substances as raw materials: refined salt, crushed and washed salt and solar salt.

3. Technical Requirements

3.1 Raw material requirements

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