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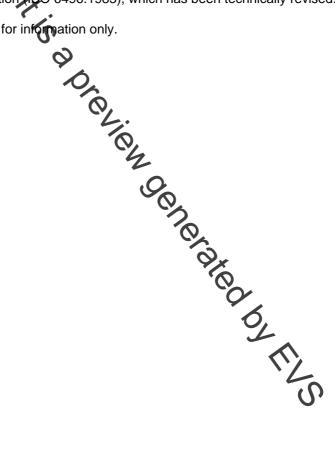
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Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of moisture and other volatile matter content

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies a method for the determination of the moisture and other volatile matter content of animal feeding stars

The method is applicable to animal feeding stuffs with the exception of:

- a) milk products;
- b) mineral substances;
- c) mixtures containing a considerable amount of milk products or mineral substances, for example milk replacers;
- d) animal feeding stuffs containing humectant e.g. propylene glycol);
- e) the following simple animal feeding stuffs:
 - animal and vegetable fats and oils (for which method A specified in ISO 662 [1] is applicable);
 - oilseeds (for which a method is specified in ISO (2]);
 - oilseed residues (for which a method is specified in ISO 771 [3]);
 - cereals, except maize, and cereal products (for which a method is specified in ISO 712 [4]);
 - maize (for which the reference method specified in ISO 654

2 Normative reference

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ISO 6498, Animal feeding stuffs — Preparation of test samples.

3 Term and definition

For the purposes of this International Standard, the following term and definition apply.

3.1

moisture and other volatile matter content

mass fraction of substances lost on drying the sample by the procedure specified in this International Standard