

Bureau of Indian Standards

Substitution of Standards (01 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the following, with effect from 20th March 2023. However, the previous unamended standard will remain in force concurrently till 20th April 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

| No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard established | No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard withdrawn |
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| IS 247 : 2023 Sodium Sulphite, Anhydrous — Specification (Fifth Revision) | IS 247 : 1987 Specification for Sodium Sulphite, Anhydrous (Fourth Revision) |
| IS 376 : 2023 Sodium Hydroxide, Analytical Reagent — Specification (Fourth Revision) | IS 376 : 1986 Specification for Sodium Hydroxide, Analytical Reagent (Third Revision) |

Amendment of Standards (20 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified amendment to the following standards with effect from 13th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standards will remain in force concurrently till 12th July 2023.

- **IS 695 : 2020** Acetic Acid — Specification (Fourth Revision)
- **IS 5149 : 2020** Specification for Maleic Anhydride, Technical (Second Revision)
- **IS 5158 : 1987** Specification for Phthalic Anhydride, Technical (Second Revision)

Substitution of Standards (20 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified the standard **IS 17370 : 2023** p-Xylene — Specification (First Revision) with effect from 13th April 2023 in substitution of the earlier standard. However, the previous unamended standard **IS 17370 : 2020** p-Xylene — Specification will remain in force concurrently till 20th April 2023.

Substitution of Standards (20 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the standard **IS 18233 : 2023** Butadiene Rubber — Specification with effect from 13th April 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

Amendment of Standards (20 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified amendment of certain standards, including the standard **IS 17217 : 2019** Textiles — Disruptive Pattern (Camouflage Pattern) Cloth for Jungle Operations Made of Nylon and Cotton Blended (NYCO) Material — Specification with effect from 19th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standard will remain in force concurrently till 18th May 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

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Substitution of Standards (21 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the following, with effect from 19th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standard will remain in force concurrently till 19th May 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

| No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard established | No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard withdrawn |
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| IS 6587 : 2023 Textiles — Spun Hemp Yarn — Specification (Second Revision) | IS 6587 : 1987 Specification for Spun Hemp Yarn (First Revision) |
| IS 8991 : 2023 Textiles — Nylon Fabrics for Sleeping Bags — Specification (First Revision) | IS 8991 : 1978 Specification Nylon Fabrics for Sleeping Bags |
| IS 18158 : 2023 Textile Floor Covering — Artificial Grass Carpet Made of Synthetic Yarn for Landscape — Specification | NA |

Substitution of Standards (22 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the standard **IS 10931 :2023** Lauric Acid — Specification (First Revision) with effect from 20th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standard **IS 10931 :1984** Specification for Lauric Acid will remain in force concurrently till 20th October 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

Substitution of Standards (22 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the standard **IS 12067 : 2023** Palm Fatty Acids — Specification (First Revision) with effect from 20th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standard **IS 12067 : 1987** Specification for Palm Fatty Acids will remain in force concurrently till 20th July 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

Substitution of Standards (22 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the following, with effect from 19th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standards will remain in force concurrently till 19th May 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

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| No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard established ⁰ | No., Year and Title of the Indian Standard withdrawn |
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| IS 4105 : 2023 Styrene (Vinyl Benzene) — Specification (Third Revision) | IS 4105 : 2020 Specification for Styrene (Vinyl Benzene) (Second Revision) |
| IS 14507 : 2023 Diphenyl Ether — Specification (First Revision) | IS 14507 : 1998 Diphenyl Ether — Specification |

Substitution of Standards (22 April)

The Bureau of Indian Standards has notified substitution of certain standards, including the standard **IS 14534 : 2023** Plastics — Recovery and Recycling of Plastics Waste — Guidelines (Second Revision) with effect from 18th April 2023. However, the previous unamended standard **IS 14534 : 2016** Plastics — Guidelines for the Recovery and Recycling of Plastics Waste (First Revision) will remain in force concurrently till 18th May 2023. For a full list of products, please refer to the attached [link](#).

Quality Control Orders

Change in effective date for certain Quality Control Orders (12 April)

The Ministry of Textiles has notified the Geo Textiles (Quality Control) Order, 2022. The Order concerns products such as jute geotextiles, HDPE and PVC geomembranes, needle-punched non-woven & polypropylene geobags, and geogrids. For a full list of products, please refer to the [link](#).

Change in effective date for certain Quality Control Orders (18 April)

The Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers has notified an amendment to effective date of certain Quality Control Orders. The Orders concerning the following products shall come into force on 24th April 2024.

- Styrene (Vinyl Benzene)
- Acrylonitrile

Further, the order concerning the Maleic Anhydride shall come into force on 24th October 2023.

Change in effective date for certain Quality Control Orders (24 April)

The Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers has notified an amendment to effective date of certain Quality Control Orders. The Order concerning the following products shall come into force on 24th October 2023.

- Lauric Acid
- Acid Oil
- Palm Fatty Acids
- Rice Bran Fatty Acids
- Coconut Fatty Acids
- Hydrogenated Rice Bran Fatty Acids

Further, the order concerning the Methylene Chloride (Dichloromethane) shall come into force on 20th November 2023.