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Foreword

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IDF (the International Dairy Federation) is a non-profit organization representing the dairy sector worldwide. IDF membership comprises National Committees in every member country as well as regional dairy associations having signed a formal agreement on cooperation with IDF. All members of IDF have the right to be represented on the IDF Standing Committees carrying out the technical work. IDF collaborates with ISO in the development of standard methods of analysis and sampling for milk and milk products.

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Introduction

The purpose of ISO 22935|IDF 99 (all parts) is to give guidance on methodology for sensory analysis and the use of a common nomenclature of terms for milk and milk products.

To achieve that, ISO 22935|IDF 99 has been divided into the three parts listed in the forewords.

ISO 6658 should be consulted for an overview of sensory methods other than the one provided in ISO 22935-3|IDF 99-3.

Evaluation of labelling and packaging is not covered by ISO 22935|IDF 99 (all parts).

The principles described are largely derived from various International Standards on the topic.