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METHODS OF ANALYSIS FOR PROCESSED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
CODEX STANDARD FOR AQUEOUS COCONUT PRODUCTS:
COCONUT CREAM AND COCONUT MILK
(CODEX STAN 240-2003)

(Comments in response to CL 2006/56-PFV)

Comments from Brazil

Brazil would like to share its reliance on method Bligh-Dyer – REF: BLIGH, E.G., DYER, W.J. A rapid method of total lipid extraction and purification. In: Canadian Journal of Biochemistry & Physiology. V. 37, n 8, pp. 911-917, 1959.

This method is currently in use by research laboratories and may be adopted as a Codex Type 4 method.

Additionally, AOAC method 963.15 is used within official control of fat content in foods in general.

Provision	Method	Principle	Note	Type
Total Fats	Bligh-Dyer	Gravimetric	Chloroform-methanol Extraction method for foods in general	IV
Total Fats	AOAC 963.15	Gravimetric	Soxhlet Extraction method for foods/cacao beans and its products	I
Total Fats	AOAC 983.23	Gravimetric	Chloroform-methanol Extraction method for foods in general	I