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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by Standards Australia Committee FT-022, Sensory Analysis of Food to supersede AS 2542.3—1989, *Sensory analysis of foods, Part 3: Glossary of terms*.

This Standard is identical with, and has been reproduced from ISO 5492:2008, *Sensory analysis—Vocabulary*.

The objective of this Standard is to list and define terms that are used in Australia for sensory analysis.

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- (a) In the source text 'this International Standard' should read 'this Australian Standard'.
- (b) A full point substitutes for a comma when referring to a decimal marker.

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AUSTRALIAN STANDARD

Sensory analysisPart 3:
Vocabulary**Scope**

This International Standard defines terms relating to sensory analysis.

NOTE 1 Grammatical forms of terms have been indicated where it was felt useful to do so.

It applies to all industries concerned with the evaluation of products by the sense organs.

The terms are given under the following headings:

- 1) general terminology;
- 2) terminology relating to the senses;
- 3) terminology relating to organoleptic attributes;
- 4) terminology relating to methods.

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