AFNOR has released updates of standards EN 1230–1 and EN 1230–2.

The EN 1230–1 standard describes a test method for evaluating the odor that emitted a sample of paper or cardboard. It applies to all types of paper and paperboard, including coated and/or printed, intended to come into direct or indirect contact with food. The updates include:

– simplification of the assessment scale odor;
– Reference to a technical report of CEN (CEN / TR 15645–1).

The EN 1230–2 standard describes a test method for evaluating samples of paper or cardboard to highlight the presence of substances that may be transmitted by air to a food product testing, and in change the taste. It applies to all types of paper and paperboard, including the coated and printed materials intended to come into contact with foodstuffs. The updates to the standard include:

– The addition of oil coconut as food test for fatty foods and sugar ice as food test for dry, non–greasy;
– Simplifying the assessment scale atypical flavor;

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