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## Foreword

This Singapore Standard was prepared by the Working Group appointed by the Technical Committee on Chemistry under the direction of the Chemical Standards Committee.

This standard is a revision of CP 32 : 1985 and has been re-designated as SS 615 : 2016. The revision includes new sections on emergency management and training for operational and personnel safety.

In preparing this standard, reference was made to the following publications:

Malaysia Standard MS 409 : 2012	Packaging and storage of pesticides – Code of practice (First revision)
Malaysia Standard MS 479 : 2012	The safe handling of agricultural pesticides – Code of recommended practice (First revision)
Australian Standard AS 2507 : 1998	The storage and handling of agricultural and veterinary chemicals
Code of practice – Safe use and storage of chemicals (including pesticides and herbicides) in agriculture, 2006, WorkCover NSW	
Joint FAO/WHO Guidelines on Good Labelling Practice for Pesticides, 2015 ( <a href="http://www.fao.org/3/a-i4854e.pdf">http://www.fao.org/3/a-i4854e.pdf</a> )	

Acknowledgement is made for the use of information from the above publications.

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## **Code of practice for the transportation and storage of pesticides**

### **1 Scope and application**

#### **1.1 Scope**

This Singapore Standard outlines the requirements for the transportation and storage of pesticides.

#### **1.2 Application**

This Singapore Standard applies to the transportation of pesticides and the storage of pesticides in depots, warehouses and stores. It is not intended to apply to areas where materials are displayed and advertised on shelves for sale to the public such as in the retail section of supermarkets, hardware stores and home garden outlets. This Singapore Standard does not apply to ready-to-use spray solutions and formulated products for household use. This Singapore Standard also does not cover application of pesticides.

### **2 Normative references**

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this standard. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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| SS 586 | Specification for hazard communication for hazardous chemicals and dangerous goods<br>Part 3 : Preparation of Safety data sheets (SDS) |
| SS 603 | Code of Practice for hazardous waste management  |