

FDA CAMPAIGN TO CHECK ADULTERATION IN EDIBLE OILS

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Directorate of Food and Drugs Administration (DFDA) has informed that, 72 edible oil samples have been drawn by the Food Safety Officers of DFDA, Bambolim, during the period from August 01, 2022 to August 12, 2022, of refined soyabean oil, virgin and filtered groundnut oil, kachighani mustard oil, palm oil, multi-source edible oil, refined sunflower oil, extra-virgin olive oil vanaspati, rice bran oil, pure coconut oil, refined palmolein oil, of different brands available from the retail markets of Goa, to check for adulteration in edible oils, compliance with respect to limits of trans fatty acids, labeling provisions and mandatory AGMARK License for multi-source edible oils.

These samples will be forwarded to the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) approved Food Testing Laboratory for Analysis. This campaign is a part of the Nation-wide Surveillance of edible oils initiated by FSSAI.

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