

Kitchenware & Cutlery Testing Service

Kitchenware and cutlery are food contact articles extensively used in daily life. To address widespread concern about their safety, these products must comply with stringent food contact material regulations as well as safety and performance standards.

Food Contact Material Regulations

European Union

- **EC No.1935/2004** – Framework regulation for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food
- **EU No.10/2011** – Plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food
- **CM/Res (2013) 9** – Metal and alloys used in food contact materials and articles

United States

- **FDA**
– Series standards

Safety and Performance Standards

Cooker Testing Standards

- **BS EN 12983-1:2000+A1:2004** – Cookware–Domestic cookware for use on top of a stove, cooker or hob–Part 1: General requirements
*It is applicable to all cookware except cookers made of glass or ceramic, pressure cookers, stove top water kettles and coffee makers.
- **DD CEN TS 12983-2:2005** – Cookware–Domestic cookware for use on top of a stove, cooker or hob–Part 2: Further general requirements and specific requirements for ceramic, glass and glass ceramic cookware
- **BS EN 13750:2002** – Domestic water kettles for use on top of stove, cooker or hob–Requirements and test methods
- **BS EN 13843:2007+A1:2009** – Cookware–Ovenware for use in traditional domestic ovens
- **BS 7069:1988** – Cookware

Cutlery Testing Standard

- **ISO 8442-1:1997** – Requirements for cutlery for the preparation of food

Tableware Testing Standards

- **ISO 8442-2:1997** – Requirements for stainless steel and silver-plated cutlery
- **BS 5577:1999** – Specification for table cutlery with non-metallic handles



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