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NSAI TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ALGAE AND BIOSTIMULANTS

CEN set up two new Technical committees in 2017

- CEN TC 454 "Algae and algae products"
- CEN TC 455 "Bio-stimulants"

NSAI have one committee of experts who monitor the activities of both TC's.

CEN TC 454 has six fully active Working Groups and there are national experts participating in all six.

The Working Groups are

- WG 01 "Terminology"
- WG 02 "Identification"
- WG 03 "Productivity"
- WG 04 "Specifications for food and feed"
- WG 05" Specifications for non-food/feed sector applications"
- WG 06 "Product test methods"

The CEN deliverables from TC 454 will be Technical reports or Technical Specification will EN's to follow.

The first standard to be published was developed by WG1 on Terms and definitions and will be published in 2020.

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The Working Groups are

- WG 01 "Sampling"
- WG 02 "Claims"
- WG03 "Pathogenic and non-pathogenic microorganisms"
- WG 04 "Other safety parameters"
- WG 05 "Labelling and denominations"