

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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FSSAI has launched a massive surveillance drive across the country in a nation-wide campaign that began on 01.08.2022 to check adulteration in edible oils (single oil as a constituent), trans-fatty acids and sale of Multi Source Edible Oils without proper labelling.

The action under the said campaign by the State/UTs Departments of Food Safety/FDA is going on with the drawing of 2844 surveillance samples of packaged oils including multi source edible oils as well as loose edible oils and Vanaspati so far to check any adulteration or violation of FSSAI standards.

Further, so far huge quantity of loose edible oils to the tune of 20294 liters valuing around 26 lakhs has also been seized on the spot across the country.

The campaign will continue till 14.08.2022 and on the basis of the findings of the laboratories, regulatory samples will be drawn immediately so that penal actions are taken against all violating Food Business Operators.

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