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Foreword

This document EN 14066:2003 has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN /TC 246, "Natural stones", the secretariat of which is held by UNI.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by October 2003, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by October 2003.

This draft standard is one of the series of draft standards for tests on natural stone.

Test methods for natural stone consist of the following parts:

EN 1925, Natural stone test methods - Determination of water absorption coefficient by capillarity

EN 1926, Natural stone test methods - Determination of compressive strength

EN 1936, Natural stone test methods – Determination of real density and apparent density, and of total and open porosity **Teh STANDARD PREVIEW**

EN 12370, Natural stone test methods - Determination of resistance to salt crystallisation

EN 12372, Natural stone test methods – Determination of flexural strength under concentrated load

EN 12407, Natural stone test methods – Petrographic examination Sibeardad04/sist-en-14066-2003

EN 13161, Natural stone test methods – Determination of flexural strength under constant moment

EN 13364, Natural stone test methods – Determination of the breaking load at dowel hole

EN 13755, Natural stone test methods - Determination of water absorption at atmospheric pressure

EN 13373, Natural stone test methods – Determination of geometric characteristics on units

EN 13919, Natural stone test methods – Determination of resistance to ageing by SO_2 action in the presence of humidity

EN 14066, Natural stone test methods – Determination of resistance to ageing by thermal shock

prEN 14146, Natural stone test methods - Determination of the dynamic modulus of elasticity (by measuring the fundamental resonance frequency)

prEN 14147, Natural stone test methods - Determination of resistance to ageing by salt mist

prEN 14157, Natural stone test methods - Determination of the abrasion resistance

prEN 14158, Natural stone test methods - Determination of rupture energy

prEN 14205, Natural stone test methods – Determination of Knoop hardness

EN 14231, Natural stone test methods – Determination of the slip resistance by means of the pendulum tester

prEN 14579, Natural stone test methods - Determination of sound speed propagation

prEN 14580, Natural stone test methods – Determination of static elastic modulus prEN 14581, Natural stone test methods – Determination of thermal expansion coefficient

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a method to assess possible modifications of natural stones under the effect of sudden changes in temperature (thermal shock).

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text, and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

prEN 14146, Natural stone test methods - Determination of the dynamic modulus of elasticity (by measuring the fundamental resonance frequency).

3 Principle

After drying at (105 ± 5) °C until constant mass is attained, the specimens are subjected to successive cycles, each formed by drying at (105 ± 5) °C followed by immediate immersion in water at (20 ± 5) °C.

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4 Symbols and abbreviations

 m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, in grams, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of the dried specimen before the test, m_0 - Mass of test,

 $m_{\rm f}$ - Mass of the dried specimen after the test, in grams,

 Δm % - Change in mass of the dried specimen, expressed as a percentage,

 Ed_0 - Dynamic elastic modulus before the test, in Megapascals,

*Ed*_f - Dynamic elastic modulus after the test, in Megapascals,

 $\Delta Ed \%$ - Change in dynamic elastic modulus of the dried specimen, expressed as a percentage.

5 Apparatus

5.1 A ventilated oven capable of maintaining a temperature of (105 ± 5) °C.

5.2 A covered tank with a flat base, comprising small non-oxidising and non-absorbent supports for the specimens.

5.3 A weighing instrument with an accuracy of at least 0,01% of the mass to be weighed.

5.4 A device for measuring dynamic elastic modulus in accordance with prEN 14146.

6 Preparation of the specimens

6.1 Sampling

The sampling is not the responsibility of the test laboratory except where specially requested.

At least 7 specimens shall be selected from an homogeneous batch. One specimen is used as reference specimen and is not subjected to any tests. Carefully observe the specimens and note all alterations, such as cracks, holes, etc. In cases where the final use of the stone is known the major faces of the specimens shall have the same orientation of the face as in use.

6.2 Dimensions of the test specimens

The test specimens shall be $(200 \times 200 \times 20 \text{ mm}) \pm 2\text{mm}$. In cases where changes in visual appearance are important other specimen sizes may be used.

At least one of the faces shall be either polished or at least finished as smoothly as can be achieved in normal processing if polishing is not possible. The surface finish of the other face and sides shall be sawn, honed or polished.

6.3 Putting reference marks on the specimens

To ensure that the measurements of the dynamic elastic modulus performed before and after the thermal shock test are done at the same points, indelible marks in the form of points are made on the relevant faces of the specimens, to show the location of emitter and receiver.

Indelible lines are traced to show the location of the axis of the two supports on which the specimens will be placed during the determination of the dynamic elastic modulus.

Drying the specimens **Teh STANDARD PREVIEW**

The specimens are dried at a temperature of (105 ± 5) °C until a constant mass (m_0) is reached. This is attained

The specimens are dried at a temperature of (105 ± 5) °C until a constant mass (m_0) is reached. This is attained when the difference in mass between two successive weighings performed at an interval of (24 ± 2) h is less than 0,1% of the first of these two masses. The dry mass is determined after the specimens have been cooled at room temperature in a desiccator. This is to be regarded as the initial value (m_0) 5882-4d2f-9de4-

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7 Test procedure

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7.1 Control measurements before cycling

The dried specimens are visually inspected and compared to the reference specimen. All differences between specimens such as cracks, holes, etc. are recorded. Then the dynamic elastic modulus of each specimen is measured according to prEN 14146. This is to be regarded as the initial value (Ed_0).

7.2 Description of the cycles

The dried specimens are subjected to changes of temperature according to the following procedure : (18 ± 1) h in a ventilated oven at (105 ± 5) °C; immediately followed by $(6 \pm 0,5)$ h completely submerged in distilled or demineralised water, whose temperature before the immersion of the specimens is (20 ± 5) °C.

Both in the oven and in the water container, the specimens are placed on the supports at a distance of at least 50 mm from one another and from the wall. In the water container, the specimens are placed on supports located at the bottom of the container which has been filled with distilled or demineralised water to such a height that the water level above the specimens is (60 ± 10) mm. The procedure described above constitutes one cycle. If the test is to be interrupted at anytime, other than for testing, then the specimens are to be immersed in water at (20 ± 5) °C.

7.3 Control measurements after cycling

After the 20th cycle the specimens are dried to constant mass at (105 ± 5) °C and weighed (m_f). Then they are visually inspected and compared with the reference specimen. All alterations are recorded. Finally the dynamic elastic modulus is measured (Ed_f).

8 Expression of results

For each specimen:

- 8.1 Describe the modifications observed visually by comparison with the reference specimen, such as :
 - oxidation
 - change of colour, appearance of spots
 - swelling
 - cracking
 - scaling or exfoliation

8.2 Calculate the change in mass to the nearest 0,01% according to the formula:

$$\Delta m\% = \frac{m_{\rm f} - m_0}{m_0} \times 100$$

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8.3 Calculate the change in dynamic elastic modulus to the nearest 0,1% according to the formula:

$$\Delta E_{\rm d} \% = \frac{Ed_0 - Ed_{\rm f}}{Ed_0} \times 100$$

9 Test report

The test report shall contain the following information :

- a) unique identification number of this report;
- b) the number, title and date of issue of this European Standard;

c) the name and address of the test laboratory and the address where the test was carried out if it is different from the test laboratory;

- d) the name and address of the client;
- e) it is the responsibility of the client to give the following information:
 - the petrographic name of the stone;
 - the commercial name of the stone;
 - the country and region of extraction;
 - the name of the supplier;