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## Foreword

This document (EN 14223:2005) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 254 “Flexible sheets for waterproofing”, the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

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of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by June 2006, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by June 2006.

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**EN 14223:2005 (E)****1 Scope**

This European Standard specifies a test method for the determination of water absorption in reinforced bitumen sheets which could influence the functional behaviour of these sheets.

NOTE It is primarily the reinforcement's ability to absorb water which is examined by this test.

**2 Normative references**

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this European Standard. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 13416, *Flexible sheets for waterproofing — Bitumen, plastic and rubber sheets for roof waterproofing — Rules for sampling*

prEN 14695, *Flexible sheets for waterproofing — Reinforced bitumen sheets for waterproofing of concrete bridge decks and other concrete surfaces trafficable by vehicles — Definitions and characteristics*

ISO 5725-2, *Accuracy (trueness and precision) of measurement methods and results — Part 2: Basic method for the determination of repeatability and reproducibility of a standard measurement method*

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**3 Terms and definitions (standards.iteh.ai)**

For the purposes of this European Standard, the terms and definitions given in EN 13416, prEN 14695 and the following apply.

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**3.1****water absorption**

increase in mass of test specimen after immersion in water expressed as a percentage

**4 Test method****4.1 Principle**

The water absorption of the reinforced bitumen sheet is measured after the test specimen has been immersed in water for a defined period and determined as the increase in mass of the test specimen.

**4.2 Apparatus and materials**

- a) *Balance*, capable of measurements to the nearest 0,1 g.
- b) *Water bath*, capable of maintaining a temperature of  $(23 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$ .
- c) *Chamber (or laboratory)*, capable of maintaining a temperature of  $(23 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$  and  $(50 \pm 5) \% \text{RH}$ .
- d) *Distilled water*, or de-ionized water.
- e) *Equipment for hanging test specimens*, without damaging the specimens.
- f) *Steel wire brush*, medium hard.

- g) *Oven with circulating air*, (without fresh air supply) and capable of maintaining a temperature of  $(50 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$ .

### 4.3 Preparation of test specimens

Take samples in accordance with EN 13416. The test specimens shall be taken at random and at least 1 m from the end of the roll and 100 mm from the edge of the sheet.

Five test specimens with dimensions of  $(200 \pm 1) \text{ mm} \times (200 \pm 1) \text{ mm}$  shall be prepared for testing. If the reinforced bitumen sheet has a surfacing of fine mineral or granules, the surface shall be brushed gently with a steel wire brush to remove any loose mineral or granule. Should problems with heterogeneous results occur (4.6.2) due to surfacing of fine mineral or granules, test specimens may be taken from parts free from such surfacing. The test specimen area shall be the same as described above.

### 4.4 Drying and conditioning of the test specimens

Dry the test specimens for  $24 \text{ h} \pm 30 \text{ min}$  at  $(50 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$  and then condition them for  $1 \text{ h} \pm 5 \text{ min}$  at  $(23 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$  and  $(50 \pm 5) \% \text{ RH}$  before testing. During drying and conditioning the test specimens are placed hanging vertically with a space of at least 20 mm between test specimens.

### 4.5 Procedure

**4.5.1** Weigh the test specimen ( $m_1$ ) and then immerse it in water for  $28 \text{ days} \pm 4 \text{ h}$  at  $(23 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$ . The test specimen shall be placed hanging vertically in the water with a space of at least 20 mm between test specimens. The entire area of the test specimen shall be covered with water during the entire test period.

**4.5.2** After the 28 days of immersion in water, air dry the test specimen for  $5 \text{ h} \pm 5 \text{ min}$  at  $(23 \pm 3) ^\circ\text{C}$  and  $(50 \pm 5) \% \text{ RH}$ . During air drying the test specimen shall be placed hanging vertically with a space of at least 20 mm between the test specimens. The set of five test specimens shall be placed in the laboratory with a free space of air surrounding it (at least 0.5 m on each side).

**4.5.3** Reweigh the test specimen ( $m_2$ ).

### 4.6 Expression of results

#### 4.6.1 Calculation

The water absorption  $w$  for each test specimen (expressed as a percentage by mass) shall be calculated using equation (1)

$$w = \frac{m_2 - m_1}{m_1} 100 \quad (1)$$

where:

$m_1$  is the mass of the test specimen after drying and conditioning;

$m_2$  is the mass of the test specimen after immersion in water for 28 days and drying for 5 h.

The water absorption mean value of the five test specimens shall be calculated and recorded.

**EN 14223:2005 (E)****4.6.2 Precision**

The repeatability  $r$  and the reproducibility  $R$  is determined by:

$$r = 0,0995w + 0,0766$$

$$R = 0,154w + 0,1048$$

where  $w$  is the water absorption, in % by mass.

Based on the given repeatability, the test shall be repeated if the difference between  $w_{max}$  and  $w_{min}$  is higher than  $0,3098w_{mean} + 0,2385$ .

NOTE Precision data are based on a ring test performed in accordance with ISO 5725-2 for water absorption values between 0,2 % and 5,1 % by mass.

**4.7 Test report**

The test report shall include at least the following information:

- a) all details necessary to identify the product tested;
- b) reference to this European Standard and any deviation from it;
- c) information about sampling, preparation, drying and conditioning of test specimens in accordance with 4.3 and 4.4;
- d) information about the procedure in accordance with 4.5;
- e) test results in accordance with 4.6; [SIST EN 14223:2006](https://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/sist/7e0cc3d4-5808-453d-8162-340d3efa04f8/sist-en-14223-2006)
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