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Foreword

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1 Modification in 3 Principle

In the first paragraph delete "with precompression perpendicular to the bed joints".

In the second paragraph delete "The initial shear strength is defined by the linear regression curve to zero normal stress."

Add a new final paragraph as follows:

"Two procedures, A and B are included. Procedure A involves testing specimens at different precompressions and the initial shear strength is defined by a linear regression curve to zero prestress. Procedure B involves testing specimens at zero precompression and determining a characteristic initial shear strength from a simple or a statistical consideration of the results."

2 Modification in 7.1 Preparation of masonry specimens

Delete the first sentence "Prepare at least . . . > 200 mm." and substitute the following:

"Prepare type A specimens according to Table 2 and Figure 1. If $h_u > 200$ mm, type B specimens may be used. Where for practical purposes it is necessary to cut units, ensure that the faces of the unit to be mortared are representative of the unit as a whole."

3 Modification in Table 2 Dimensions and type of shear test specimens

Delete existing Table 2 and substitute new Table 2 as shown below:

Table 2 — Dimensions and type of shear test specimens

Unit length	Specimen type and dimensions	
l_u mm	Type according to Figure 1	Dimensions mm
≤ 300	A	$l_s = l_u$
> 300	A	$l_s = 300$
≤ 300	B	$h_1 = 200$ $l_s = l_u$
> 300	B	$h_1 = 200$ $l_s = l_u$

4 Modification in Figure 2 Loading of shear test specimen

Delete $e = \frac{l_u}{15}$ and substitute $e = \frac{l_s}{15}$

5 Modification in 8.2 Loading

Add a new subclause heading "8.2.1 Procedure A" above the first two paragraphs.

Add a new subclause after the first two paragraphs as follows:

"8.2.2 Procedure B

Test at least six specimens at zero precompression."

Add a new subclause heading **"8.2.3 Loading rate"** above the final paragraph ("Increase the shear . . .).

6 Modification in 8.3 Measurements and observations

After "- the precompression load F_{pi} " add "(where relevant)"

7 Modification in 8.4 Replications

Delete lines 5, 6 & 7 and substitute the following:

"- further specimens may be tested until three shear failures of the types shown in Figure A.1 or Figure A.2 have been achieved for each precompression level (Procedure A) or six times (Procedure B) or alternatively;"

In the final line, add "for Procedure A" after "may be needed".

Delete the final paragraph "Lower bound results . . . failures are achieved" and substitute the following:

"Lower bound results should not be used in the evaluation of results in clause 10. If necessary, an alternative precompression may be needed for Procedure A so that sufficient failures are achieved. In the case of Procedure B it may be unavoidable in which case the report should indicate that the result is a lower bound".

8 Modification in 9 Calculations

In line 1 add "where relevant" after "shear strength and"

At the end of the clause add:

Where f_{voi} is the shear strength of an individual sample (N/mm²)

f_{pi} is the precompressive stress of an individual sample (N/mm²)

F_i is the maximum shear force (N)

F_{pi} is the precompressive force (N)

A_i is the cross sectional area of a specimen parallel to the bed joints (N/mm²)

9 Modification in 10 Evaluation of results

Add a new subclause heading **"10.1 Procedure A"** above the existing text.

At the end of clause 10 add a new subclause as follows:

"10.2 Procedure B

Calculate the mean initial shear strength f_{vo} to the nearest 0,01 N/mm²

The characteristic initial shear strength may be calculated using 10.2.1 or 10.2.2.

10.2.1 Simple method

The characteristic initial shear strength, f_{vok} , shall be calculated as:

$$f_{vok} = 0.8 \times f_{vo}$$

or f_{vok} shall be taken as the lowest individual result whichever is the lower, and shall be given to the nearest 0.01 N/mm².

10.2.2 Statistical method

Calculate for each individual bond strength f_{vo1} f_{vo2} f_{von} the values of Y_1, Y_2 Y_n

Where $Y_i = \log_{10} f_{voi}$ and calculate $Y_{mean} = \frac{\sum Y_{1-n}}{n}$

Calculate $Y_c = Y_{mean} - K_s$

Where s is the standard deviation of the n log values

K is a function of n given in Table 3

N is the number of individual values (normally 6)

Y is \log_{10} of the initial shear strength, f_{vo}

Calculate the characteristic bond strength to the nearest 0.01 N/mm²

Table 3 – Relationship between n and k	
N	K
6	2.18
7	2.08
8	2.01
9	1.96
10	1.92
11	1.89
12	1.89
20	1.77

Take the characteristic bond strength to be $f_{vk} = \text{anti log}_{10} (Y_c)$ N/mm² to the nearest 0.01 N/mm²

NOTE The characteristic value derived is based upon a 95% confidence level