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Foreword

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- Annex A (informative) has been deleted.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies an index test method to determine the puncture resistance of a geosynthetic on a rigid support.

This method simulates the efficiency of a geosynthetic protecting a geosynthetic barrier material or another contact surface against sharp rigid elements under short term loading.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 485-2, *Aluminium and aluminium alloys - Sheet, strip and plate - Part 2: Mechanical properties*

EN ISO 7500-1, *Metallic materials - Verification of static uniaxial testing machines - Part 1: Tension/compression testing machines - Verification and calibration of the force-measuring system (ISO 7500-1)*

EN ISO 9862, *Geosynthetics - Sampling and preparation of test specimens (ISO 9862)*

EN ISO 10320, *Geotextiles and geotextile-related products - Identification on site (ISO 10320)*

ISO 554, *Standard atmospheres for conditioning and/or testing - Specifications*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

puncture load

load of the piston as it is pushed onto the test specimen at a constant rate of advance

3.2

push-through load

maximum load at perforation of the geosynthetic

4 Principle

A test specimen lies flat on an aluminium plate supported by a steel base, secured in a tensile/compression testing machine. A force is exerted on the centre of the test specimen by an inverted steel pyramid, attached to a load indicator, until perforation of the specimen occurs. The recorded push-through load is considered to be representative for the protection efficiency of the specimen.

5 Apparatus

5.1 Test configuration

A suitable testing machine with a force reading accuracy according to EN ISO 7500-1 shall be used. The press shall be able to maintain a constant test speed of the loading piston. A special piston and electric signal equipment for determining the moment of push-through are the additional pieces of test equipment needed (see Figure 1).