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Foreword

This European Standard was prepared by CEN/TC 134 "Resilient and textile floor coverings", the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a method for determining the thickness of different layers of resilient floor coverings, where these can be identified.

2 Definition

For the purposes of this standard, the following definition applies.

layer: A component part of a resilient floor covering with a given thickness and the same composition throughout.

3 Principle

The thickness of layers is measured directly by optical means.

4 Apparatus

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- 4.1 A microscope, preferably binocular, 4 magnification 40 to 50 times, incorporating a micrometric scale readable sto 4 within 40,012 mm 50-
- 4.2 A stage carrier for holding the test pieces.
- 4.3 A lamp with an adjustable convergent lens and diaphragm.
- 4.4 Fine, sharp blade.
- 4.5 Metal rule.

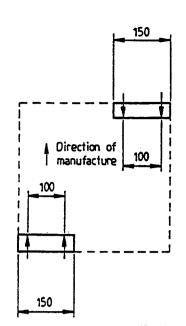
5 Sampling and preparation of test pieces

Take a representative sample from the available material.

For sheet floor coverings, take a test piece of minimum width 100 mm across the full width of the sample. Mark and cut out at regular intervals from the sample a minimum of 10 test pieces of minimum dimensions 25 mm x 10 mm, the first and last being about 100 mm from the edges. Use a fine sharp blade guided by a metal rule and kept perpendicular to cut out the test pieces.

For tile floor coverings, take five tiles and from each, cut two marked test pieces as shown in figure 1.

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Dimensions in millimetres.

Figure 1: Test pieces for tiles

6 Conditioning

Condition the test pieces at a temperature of (23 ± 2) °C and relative humidity of (50 ± 5) % for a minimum of 24 h.

Maintain these conditions when carrying out the test. I.W.

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7 Procedure

Place the test piece on the mechanical stage carrier in the holding device to expose its full thickness. e545df98fa57/sist-en-429-1999

Adjust the mechanical stage carrier so that either the centre of the visual field (middle of the graduated scale), or the zero on the graduated scale is on the line separating the surface layer from the other layers.

Count the number of divisions on the graduated scale from the line separating the layers to the other edge of the layer to be measured.

Record the value to 0,01 mm.

Repeat the procedure on the other test pieces.

8 Calculation and expression of results

Calculate the mean value of thickness for each layer from the number of measurements taken, and express these results to the nearest 0,01 mm.

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9 Test report

The test report shall contain the following information:

- a) a reference to this standard, i.e. EN 429;
- b) a complete identification of the product treated, including type, source, colour and manufacturer's reference numbers;
- c) previous history of the sample;
- d) the mean value of thickness for each measured layer;
- e) any deviation from this standard which may have affected the results.

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