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### **European foreword**

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EN 12390, *Testing hardened concrete*, consists of the following parts:

- Part 1: Shape, dimensions and other requirements of specimens and moulds
- Part 2: Making and curing specimens for strength tests
- Part 3: Compressive strength of test specimens
- Part 4: Compressive strength Specification for testing machines
- Part 5: Flexural strength of test specimens
- Part 6: Tensile splitting strength of test specimensiteh.ai)
- Part 7: Density of hardened concrete
- Part 8: Depth of penetration of water under pressure 1798dbf-2b23-437e-9834-
- Part 10: Determination of the carbonation resistance of concrete at atmospheric levels of carbon dioxide
- Part 11: Testing hardened concrete. Determination of the chloride resistance of concrete, unidirectional diffusion
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- Part 14: Semi-adiabatic method for the determination of heat released by concrete during its hardening process
- Part 15: Adiabatic method for the determination of heat released by concrete during its hardening process
- *Part 16: Determination of shrinkage of concrete (in preparation)*
- *Part 17: Determination of creep of concrete in compression (in preparation)*

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### 1 Scope

This document specifies the procedure for the determination of heat released by concrete during its hardening process in adiabatic condition.

The test is suitable for specimens having a declared value of *D* of the coarsest fraction of aggregates actually used in the concrete ( $D_{max}$ ) not greater than 32 mm.

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 12350-1, Testing fresh concrete — Part 1: Sampling

EN 12390-2, Testing hardened concrete — Part 2: Making and curing specimens for strength tests

### 3 Terms, definitions, symbols and scripts

### 3.1 Terms and definitions

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

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

IEC Electropedia: available at <a href="http://www.electropedia.org/n.ai">http://www.electropedia.org/n.ai</a>)

ISO Online browsing platform: available at <a href="http://www.iso.org/obp">http://www.iso.org/obp</a>

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#### adiabatic equipment

equipment whose error of adiabatism, as defined in 3.1.2, is less than 0,05 K/h at least in the temperature range 20 °C to 70 °C, and the ratio between the heat capacity of calorimeter and the heat

capacity of the sample  $\frac{C_{cal}}{C_{con}}$  is less or equal than 0,1

## 3.1.2 adiabatism error

### α

rate of decrease in temperature (K/h) of a fully hydrated reference concrete sample

Note 1 to entry: A concrete sample can be considered to be fully hydrated when cured for 12 months in accordance with EN 12390-2.

## 3.1.3 intrinsic temperature rise

 $\Delta T_c^*$ 

temperature rise in concrete in the absence of heat transfer from the concrete sample to the surrounding environment

#### 3.1.4 adiabatic heat release q

heat released by concrete during its hydration in adiabatic conditions as a function of time

### 3.1.5

#### calorimeter cell

element containing the sample container (mould) and having the external enclosure with uniform temperature distribution which is provided by a controlled conditioning system

Note 1 to entry: As a consequence of uniform temperature distribution in the region defined by the sample mould and the external envelope, adiabatic conditions should be ensured.

### 3.2 Symbols and scripts

Symbol	Units	Explanation
C <sub>cal</sub>	J/K	heat capacity of the calorimeter
C <sub>con</sub>	J/K	total heat capacity of the concrete specimen alone
α	K/h	adiabatism error
$\Delta T_c^*$	к і	intrinsic temperature rised PREVIEW
q(t)	J/kg	heat release at time rds.iteh.ai)
$T_{\rm con,0}$	°C	initial temperature of fresh concrete
$T_{\rm con}(t)$	°C https:/	standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/sist/e4798dbf-2b23-437e-9834- temperature of the concrete specimen at time t 36db9/ce4b92/sist-en-12390-15-2019
$T_{\rm cal}(t)$	°C	temperature of the calorimeter cell at time <i>t</i>
$\Delta T_{\rm m}$	К	measured temperature rise
$\Delta T_{\rm c}$	К	corrected temperature rise
t	h	time elapsed since start of test $t_0$
$t_0$	—	initial time of test (first contact of cement with water)
$\Delta t$	min	time interval between two measures of temperature
c <sub>c</sub>	J∕(kg·K)	specific heat of cement
c <sub>a</sub>	J∕(kg·K)	specific heat of aggregate
c <sub>ad</sub>	J∕(kg·K)	specific heat of additions
C <sub>w</sub>	J∕(kg·K)	specific heat of water in sample
m <sub>con</sub>	kg	mass of concrete sample
m <sub>c</sub>	kg	nominal mass of cement in the mix design per cubic metre
m <sub>ad</sub>	kg	nominal mass of additions in the mix design per cubic metre
m <sub>a</sub>	kg	nominal mass of aggregate in the mix design per cubic metre

### Table 1 — Symbols, units and explanation

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Symbol	Units	Explanation
m <sub>w</sub>	kg	nominal mass of water in the mix design per cubic metre
m <sub>mould</sub>	kg	sum of the masses of empty mould, probe tube and mould cover
Q	J	heat applied to mass of distilled water
R <sup>2</sup>	—	regression coefficient
Ι	А	intensity of direct current
C <sub>T</sub>	J/K	total heat capacity of the system equipment containing calibration sample, a reference sample or the calibration medium
C <sub>dw</sub>	J/K	heat capacity of distilled water
$m_{\rm c}(Q_{\rm i})_{\rm t}$	J/g	hydration heat developed in $m_{\rm con}$ grams of concrete

If needed, more accurate values of specific heat of the concrete constituent materials may be used (see Annex C of EN 12390-14:2018 semi-adiabatic method).

### 4 Principle

The test determines the quantity of heat released from the concrete during its hardening process in an adiabatic condition at regular intervals from just after casting of the specimen.

The test is carried out using an adiabatic calorimeter which has been constructed to minimize the heat loss from the concrete sample.

A sample of freshly mixed concrete is  $placed_{Iin} = mould_{which}$  is then introduced into the adiabatic calorimeter and the internal temperature of the hardening concrete is measured<sub>834</sub>.

The test is suitable for concrete containing all types of cement referred to in EN 206, with the exception of quick-setting cements.

### **5** Apparatus

### **5.1 Thermometers**

To measure the temperature of the concrete sample ( $T_{con}$ ) and the temperature of the calorimeter cell ( $T_{cal}$ ) with a maximum permissible error of 0,3 K in the working range of the test (10 °C to 100 °C).

NOTE Platinum resistance thermometers are the preferred thermometers when calibrating the equipment.

### 5.2 Balance

To measure the mass of the concrete to a maximum permissible error of 0,1 %.

### 5.3 Temperature monitoring and control system

A closed loop control system capable of providing a uniform temperature distribution over all the external enclosure of the calorimeter cell and able to automatically adjust the temperature of the calorimeter cell such that the difference between the temperature of the sample and the calorimeter cell is not negative and not greater than 0,5 K in order to ensure adiabatic conditions.

### 5.4 Adiabatic calorimeter

Typically consisting of a calorimeter cell with a removable insulated cover and an external enclosure made with a high heat conductivity material, e.g. steel or other suitable material. The calorimeter cell is surrounded by an external insulating layer encased in a rigid caisson (schematic example shown in Figure 1). The mass of the container shall be as low as possible. The external surface of the calorimeter cell enclosure shall be equipped with at least one thermometer and provided with a conditioning system acting as actuator of the control system (see 5.3).

NOTE Typically a heating system (e.g. electrical jacket) is used as conditioning system.

A cubic or cylindrical shaped sample mould (with cover) made with insulating material and having a volume of not less than 3 l. The mould shall allow the positioning of a probe tube made from a high heat conductivity material not readily attacked by cement paste in the centre of the sample to house a thermometer. The tube is filled with diathermal fluid in order to provide the best possible heat contact between the thermometer and the concrete sample.

The equipment shall be calibrated in accordance with the procedure given in Annex A at least once a year or sooner if there is evidence to suggest deterioration of the constituent materials or there is a significant difference in composition between the concrete sample under test and the reference concrete sample.

The construction of the adiabatic apparatus shall be water tight and with vapour permeability as low as possible.

When maximum temperature values greater than 65 °C are expected, a suitable insulating material should be selected in order to avoid its deterioration. (standards.iteh.ai)

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