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## European foreword

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The following is a list of significant technical changes since the previous edition:

- the title no longer makes the method exclusively for hot mix asphalt;
- [ge] editorial update according to current standard template;
- [Scope] paragraph referring to the product standards of bituminous mixtures for the applicability of this document deleted;
- [Clause 2] new clause: 2 Normative references, introduced according ISO/IEC Directives – Part 2;
- [Clause 3] new clause: 3 Terms and definitions, introduced according ISO/IEC Directives – Part 2. Following clauses renumbered accordingly;
- [4.1] accuracy of  $\pm 0,1$  mm introduced for calliper gauge. (2.1 in previous version);
- [5.3.1] amended description for measuring the diameter depending on the thickness of specimen. (3.2.1 in previous version);
- [5.3.2] amended description. (3.2.2 in previous version). “six” deleted as a result of the change in 5.3.1;
- [5.4.3] amended description. “four” deleted since in some cases the measurements are more than four. (3.4.3 in previous version);
- [5.4.3] NOTE clarified with an example.

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**EN 12697-29:2020 (E)****1 Scope**

This document specifies a test method for determining the dimensions of cylindrical, rectangular or non-rectangular bituminous test specimens by measurement.

The test is applicable to laboratory-made specimens, trimmed by sawing, or specimens from cores cut from the road, trimmed by sawing.

**2 Normative references**

There are no normative references in this document.

**3 Terms and definitions**

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

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

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp/ui>

**4 Apparatus**

4.1 Calliper gauge with an accuracy of  $\pm 0,1$  mm.

4.2 Approved jig or other device.

**5 Procedure****5.1 General**

The measurements should preferably be made with the specimen standing firmly on its upper face in a vertical position. Alternatively the specimen can be laid on a level surface in a horizontal position and rolled as necessary to permit the taking of all measurements.

**5.2 Measurement of height**

5.2.1 Take four measurements evenly spaced around the perimeter of each specimen. The position of these measurements shall be clearly marked along each specimen. All measurements shall have a limit deviation of  $\pm 0,1$  mm.

5.2.2 Each measurement shall be made approximately 10 mm in from the edge of the specimen.

5.2.3 Define the average of the four measurements as the height of the specimen and express it to the nearest 0,1 mm.

### 5.3 Measurement of diameter

**5.3.1** For specimens with thickness > 60 mm, take two measurements perpendicular to each other at the top, the middle and the bottom of the specimen.

For specimens with thickness > 30 mm to 60 mm, take two measurements perpendicular to each other at the top and the bottom of the specimen.

For specimens with thickness ≤ 30 mm take two measurements perpendicular to each other in the middle of the specimen.

All measurements shall have a limit deviation of ± 0,1 mm.

**5.3.2** Define the average of measurements as the diameter of the specimen and express it to the nearest 0,1 mm.

### 5.4 Measurement of (non)-rectangular specimens

**5.4.1** Take four measurements evenly spaced around the perimeter of each specimen in each direction (height, width and depth). If the dimensions in one or more directions change substantially (e.g. a two point bending test specimen) the number of measurements in that direction shall be extended in such a way that the volume of the specimen can always be calculated.

The position of the measurements shall be clearly marked along each specimen. All measurements shall have a limit deviation of ± 0,1 mm.

**5.4.2** Each measurement shall be made near the edges of the specimen.

**5.4.3** Define the average of the measurements as the dimension of the specimen in a given direction and express it to the nearest 0,1 mm.

NOTE It is possible that in one direction more than one average value can be calculated (e.g. for a two point bending specimen).

## 6 Test report

With reference to this document the report shall include the following information:

- a) measurement procedure used;
- b) relevant dimensions of each specimen, reported to the nearest 0,1 mm.

## 7 Precision

NOTE The precision of this test has not yet been established.