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fillers — Test methods**

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joints de dilatation — Méthodes d'essai*

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Introduction

Some test methods specified in this document (e.g. compression resistance perpendicular to the faces, extrusion during compression and ability to recover after release of the load) are indicative of the ability of a joint filler to continuously fill a concrete expansion joint and thereby to prevent damage that might otherwise occur during thermal expansion. The resistance to water absorption is a relative measure of durability and life expectancy.

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