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- [Clause 2](#) "Normative references" has been updated;
- [Clause 3](#) "Terms and definitions" has been added and subsequent clauses have been renumbered;
- [Table 1](#) and [Table A.1](#) have been updated;
- [Clause 6](#) has been updated:
 - a new [Table 2](#) has been added to give a comparison of test methods;
 - key tables of figures have been updated;
 - Test method A2 (pin-up and disc-down) in [Figure 1](#);
- [Clause 7](#), Test specimens, has been updated;
- [Clause 8](#), Test methods and test equipment, has been updated;
- [Clause 11](#), Test conditions, has been updated;
- a new [Clause 13](#), Test report, has been added.

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