

Methods of test for

Petroleum and its products

**Part 15. Petroleum products - Determination
of pour point**

(Identical with IP 15/95)

Foreword

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This British Standard supersedes BS 2000 : Part 15 : 1993, which is withdrawn.

BS 2000 comprises a series of test methods for petroleum and its products that are published by the Institute of Petroleum (IP) and have been accorded the status of a British Standard. Each method should be read in conjunction with the preliminary pages of 'IP Standard methods for analysis and testing of petroleum and related products' which gives details of the BSI/IP agreement for publication of the series, provides general information on safety precautions, sampling and other matters, and lists the methods published as Parts of BS 2000.

The numbering of the Parts of BS 2000 follows that of the corresponding methods published in 'IP Standard methods for analysis and testing of petroleum and related products'. Under the terms of the agreement between BSI and the Institute of Petroleum, the revised version of BS 2000 : Part 15 will be published by the IP (in 'Standard methods for analysis and testing of petroleum and related products' and as a separate publication). BS 2000 : Part 15 : 1995 is thus identical with IP 15/95.

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