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British Standard Method for

Determination of thickness loss of textile floor coverings after prolonged heavy static loading

Méthode de détermination de la perte d'épaisseur des revêtements de sol textiles après application prolongée d'une charge statique élevée

Verfahren zur Bestimmung der Dickenminderung an textilen Bodenbelägen nach längerer statischer Belastung

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National foreword

This British Standard has been prepared under the direction of the Textiles and Clothing Standards Committee. It is identical with ISO 3416-1986 'Textile floor coverings — Determination of thickness loss after prolonged heavy static loading', published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO). It is the second revision of BS 4939, first published in 1973 and it supersedes BS 4939 : 1980, which is withdrawn.

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The comma has been used as a decimal marker. In British Standards it is current practice to use a full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.

Wherever the words 'International Standard' appear, referring to this standard, they should be read as 'British Standard'.

Cross-references

International standard	Corresponding British Standard
ISO 139-1973	BS 1051 : 1981 Glossary of terms relating to the conditioning, testing and mass determination of textiles (Technically equivalent)
ISO 1765-1986	BS 4051 : 1987 Method for determination of thickness of textile floor coverings (Identical)
ISO 1957-1986	BS 4664 : 1985 Methods for sampling and cutting specimens of textile floor coverings for physical tests (Technically equivalent)

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