

**Water quality —  
Determination of long  
term toxicity of  
substances to  
*Daphnia magna* Straus  
(Cladocera, Crustacea)**

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# National foreword

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- Part 0 *Introduction*
- Part 1 *Glossary*
- Part 2 *Physical, chemical and biochemical methods*
- Part 3 *Radiological methods*
- Part 4 *Microbiological methods*
- Part 5 *Biological methods*
- Part 6 *Sampling*
- Part 7 *Precision and accuracy*

Note. The tests described in this British Standard should only be carried out by suitable qualified persons with an appropriate level of biological expertise. Standard biological procedures should be followed throughout.

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