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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a method for determining the tensile properties of a bituminous binder, in particular those of polymer-modified bitumens by means of a force ductility test.

The work done during the force ductility test is a criterion for assessing the quality of these materials.

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2 Normative references

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EN 58, Bitumen and bituminous binders - Sampling bituminous binders

EN 1431, Bitumen and bituminous binders – Determination of recovered binder and oil distillate from bitumen emulsions by distillation

EN 12594, Bitumen and bituminous binders – Preparation of test samples

EN 13074, Bitumen and bituminous binders – Recovery of binder from bitumen emulsions by evaporation

EN 13398, Bitumen and bituminous binders – Determination of the elastic recovery of modified bitumen

EN 13703, Bitumen and bituminous binders – Determination of deformation energy

EN 14895, Bitumen and bituminous binders - Stabilisation of binder from bituminous emulsion or from cutback and fluxed bituminous binders

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

tensile force

force undergone by a specimen subjected to extension, expressed in N

3.2

elongation

increase in length of a specimen, expressed in metres

NOTE Elongation is also expressed in % from the initial length. It is calculated as [(new length – initial length)/initial length] \times 100 and.

3.3

tensile stress for a given elongation

tensile stress required to perform a given elongation to the significant part of a specimen