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Methods of test for masonry units - Part 6:  
Determination of bending tensile strength of aggregate  
concrete masonry units

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Part 6: Determination of bending tensile strength  
of aggregate concrete masonry units

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### Foreword

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a method of determining the bending tensile strength of aggregate concrete masonry units having a width less than 100 mm and a ratio of length to width greater than 10, in accordance with prEN 771-3.

## 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text, and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references, the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

prEN 771-3                   *Specification for masonry units - Part 3: Aggregate concrete masonry units (dense and lightweight aggregates)*

EN 772-16                   *Methods of test for masonry units - Part 16: Determination of dimensions*

EN 1015-11                   *Methods of test for mortar for masonry - Part 11: Determination of flexural and compressive strength of hardened mortar*

## 3 Principle

The principle of this test is to measure the bending tensile strength of concrete units by a flexural test.

## 4 Symbols

$R_{tf}$                    is the bending tensile strength of the specimen, in Newton per square millimetres (N/mm<sup>2</sup>)

$F$                    is the failure load, in Newton (N)

$l$                    is the distance between supports, in millimetres (mm)

$b$                    is the specimen width in millimetres (mm)

$h$                    is the specimen height, in millimetres (mm)

## 5 Apparatus

### 5.1 Test machine

of appropriate capacity, in accordance with EN 1015-11.  
The bending device shall consist of two roller supports having the same diameter between 15 and 40 mm, on which the specimen rests, and two upper rollers of the same diameter, through which the load is applied. The distance between the two support rollers should be at least 4