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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 473:1982), which has been technically revised. The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- a new specification of lithopone with a 20 % zinc sulphide (ZnS) content (lithopone 20 %) has been included;
- a new method of test, Method B (Na<sub>2</sub>EDTA titration method) has been introduced;
- the text of the document has been editorially revised.

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### Introduction

Over the last decade, requirements such as the hiding power for exterior coatings have become less stringent with a view to reducing cost. In addition, there is a growing demand in the international exterior coatings market for lithopone with a 20 % total zinc sulphide (ZnS) content rather than the more expensive lithopone with a 30 % or 60 % total zinc sulphide content (hereinafter referred to as lithopone 20 %, lithopone 30 % and lithopone 60 %, respectively). The previous edition of this document provided for only two specifications of lithopone, namely lithopone 30 % and lithopone 60 %. To avoid confusion and disputes related to the transportation, release and clearance of lithopone 20 %, it has been included as a third specification in this document.

The determination of the total zinc content in lithopone using the potassium hexacyanoferrate titration method is rather complicated to operate and apt to fail. With such a test method, fluctuations in the temperature of the solution may be experienced and it is difficult to read the titration end point. Therefore, the Na<sub>2</sub>EDTA direct titration method has been added to this document, which is time-saving Tis document of the state of th and easier to operate, and with a proven accuracy. This testing method is based on Reference [2].

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# 1 Scope

This document specifies the requirements and the corresponding test methods for three types of lithopone pigments.

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 385, Laboratory glassware — Burettes

ISO 648, Laboratory glassware — Single-volume pipettes

ISO 787-1, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 1: Comparison of colour of pigments

ISO 787-2, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 2: Determination of matter volatile at 105  $^{\circ}$ C

ISO 787-3, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 3: Determination of matter soluble in water — Hot extraction method

ISO 787-4, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 4: Determination of acidity or alkalinity of the aqueous extract

ISO 787-5, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 5: Determination of oil absorption value

ISO 787-7, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Part 7: Determination of residue on sieve — Water method — Manual procedure

ISO 787-17, General methods of test for pigments and extenders — Comparison of lightening power of white pigments

ISO 1042, Laboratory glassware — One-mark volumetric flasks

ISO 3696, Water for analytical laboratory use — Specification and test methods

ISO 15528, Paints, varnishes and raw materials for paints and varnishes — Sampling

ISO 18451-1, Pigments, dyestuffs and extenders — Terminology — Part 1: General terms

ISO 18451-2, Pigments, dyestuffs and extenders — Terminology — Part 2: Classification of colouring materials according to colouristic and chemical aspects