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Osa 3: Optiline triangulatsioonimeetod  
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## Foreword

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ISO 7507 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks*:

- *Part 1: Strapping method*
- *Part 2: Optical-reference-line method*
- *Part 3: Optical-triangulation method*
- *Part 4: Internal electro-optical distance-ranging method*
- *Part 5: External electro-optical distance-ranging method*

## Introduction

This part of ISO 7507 describes the calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks by means of optical triangulation using theodolites. The circumference of the tank is determined at different levels by reference to a base line, which can be either a reference circumference measured by strapping or a base line between two stations of a theodolite measured by means of a tape or by an optical method. External circumferences are corrected to give true internal circumferences.

The method is an alternative to other methods such as strapping (ISO 7507-1) and the optical-reference-line method (ISO 7507-2).

# Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks —

## Part 3: Optical-triangulation method

### 1 Scope

This part of ISO 7507 specifies a calibration procedure for application to tanks above 8 m in diameter with cylindrical courses that are substantially vertical. It provides a method for determining the volumetric quantity contained within a tank at gauged liquid levels. The measurements required to determine the radius are made either internally (Clause 10) or externally (Clause 11). The external method is applicable only to tanks that are free of insulation.

This method is suitable for tanks tilted up to a 3 % deviation from the vertical provided that a correction is applied for the measured tilt as described in ISO 7507-1.

### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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 7507-1:2003, *Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks — Part 1: Strapping method*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 7507-1 and the following apply.

#### 3.1

##### **total station**

theodolite with built-in distance meter that coincides with the optical axis of the instrument

### 4 Precautions

The general precautions and safety precautions specified in ISO 7507-1 shall apply to this part of ISO 7507.