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- Part 1: Requirements for laboratory test facilities with suppressed flanking transmission
- Part 2: Determination, verification and application of precision data
- Part 3: Laboratory measurements of airborne sound insulation of building elements
- Part 4: Field measurements of airborne sound insulation between rooms
- Part 5: Field measurements of airborne sound insulation of façade elements and façades
- Part 6: Laboratory measurements of impact sound insulation of floors
- Part 7: Field measurements of impact sound insulation of floors
- Part 8: Laboratory measurements of the reduction of transmitted impact noise by floor coverings on a heavyweight standard floor
- Part 9: Laboratory measurements of room-to-room airborne sound insulation of a suspended ceiling with a plenum above it
- Part 10: Laboratory measurement of airborne sound insulation of small building elements
- Part 11: Laboratory measurements of the reduction of transmitted impact sound by floor coverings on lightweight reference floors
- Part 12: Laboratory measurement of room-to-room airborne and impact sound insulation of an access floor
- Part 13: Guidelines (Technical Report)
- Part 14: Guidelines for special situations in the field

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Part 14: Guidelines for special situations in the field

1 Scope

This part of ISO 140 concerns field measurements of airborne sound insulation and impact sound insulation, and is to be used as a supplement to ISO 140-4 and ISO 140-7. It contains guidelines on sound insulation measurements in special situations in the field not directly covered by ISO 140-4 and ISO 140-7.

NOTE The basic standards ISO 140-4 and ISO 140-7 specify the measurement procedure in detail under ideal conditions, but give only little information on how to establish a suitable measurement set-up in rooms differing from simple box-shaped rooms of normal living room size. When it comes to very large rooms, long and narrow rooms, staircases, coupled rooms, etc., no guidance is given in the basic standards, which is why the guidelines in this part of ISO 140 have been prepared. Use of the guidelines will contribute to improvement in the reproducibility of building acoustics field measurements and, furthermore, facilitate the performance of measurements by avoiding time-consuming considerations in actual measurement situations.

This part of ISO 140 is primarily applicable to measurements in rooms in dwellings, schools, hotels, etc., with volumes less than 250 m³.

It is not mandatory to use these guidelines in connection with measurements according to ISO 140-4 and ISO 140-7 unless this is stated elsewhere.

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 140-4:1998, Acoustics — Measurement of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements — Part 4: Field measurements of airborne sound insulation between rooms

ISO 140-7:1998, Acoustics — Measurement of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements — Part 7: Field measurements of impact sound insulation of floors

3 Technical background

The guidelines in this part of ISO 140 are based on the results presented in ISO/TR 140-13. The guidelines consist of extracts from this Technical Report.

The guidelines have been prepared based on some theoretical considerations, a few experimental investigations, and on practical experience from performing a great number of field measurements.