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2: Determination of glass transition temperature and
glass transition step height (ISO 11357-2:2013)**

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Part 2:

Determination of glass transition temperature and glass transition step height

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1 Scope

This part of ISO 11357 specifies methods for the determination of the glass transition temperature and the step height related to the glass transition of amorphous and partially crystalline plastics.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 11357-1, *Plastics — Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) — Part 1: General principles*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 11357-1 and the following apply.

3.1

glass transition

reversible change in an amorphous polymer or in amorphous regions of a partially crystalline polymer from (or to) a viscous or rubbery condition to (or from) a hard and relatively brittle one

3.2

glass transition temperature

T_g

characteristic value of the temperature range over which the glass transition takes place

Note 1 to entry: The assigned glass transition temperature (T_g) may vary, depending on the specific property and on the method and conditions selected to measure it.

3.3

glass transition step height

$\Delta c_p(T_g)$

difference in specific heat capacity at T_g

Note 1 to entry: See [Figure 1](#) and [Figure 2](#).

Note 2 to entry: For partially crystalline polymers, the glass transition step height is proportional to the amorphous content.