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(ABS) moulding and extrusion materials -
Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and
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<p>Käsitlusala: This part of ISO 2580 specifies the methods of preparation of test specimens and the test methods to be used in determining the properties of ABS moulding and wxtrusion materials. Requirements for handling test material and for conditioning both the test material before testing are given here.</p>	<p>Scope: This part of ISO 2580 specifies the methods of preparation of test specimens and the test methods to be used in determining the properties of ABS moulding and wxtrusion materials. Requirements for handling test material and for conditioning both the test material before testing are given here.</p>
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extrusion materials**

**Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties
(ISO 2580-2 : 2003)**

Plastiques – Acrylonitrile-butadiène-
styrène (ABS) pour moulage et extru-
sion – Partie 2: Préparation des éprou-
vettes et détermination des propriétés
(ISO 2580-2 : 2003)

Kunststoffe – Acrylnitril-Butadien-
Styrol (ABS)-Formmassen – Teil 2:
Herstellung von Probekörpern und
Bestimmung von Eigenschaften
(ISO 2580-2 : 2003)

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Foreword

International Standard

ISO 2580-2 : 2003 Plastics – Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene (ABS) moulding and extrusion materials – Part 2:
Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties,

which was prepared by ISO/TC 61 'Plastics' of the International Organization for Standardization, has been adopted by Technical Committee CEN/TC 249 'Plastics', the Secretariat of which is held by IBN, as a European Standard.

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NOTE: Normative references to International publications are listed in Annex ZA (normative).

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1 Scope

1.1 This part of ISO 2580 specifies the methods of preparation of test specimens and the test methods to be used in determining the properties of ABS moulding and extrusion materials. Requirements for handling test material and for conditioning both the test material before moulding and the specimens before testing are given here.

1.2 Procedures and conditions for the preparation of test specimens and procedures for measuring properties of the materials from which these specimens are made are given. Properties and test methods which are suitable and necessary to characterize ABS moulding and extrusion materials are listed.

1.3 The properties have been selected from the general test methods in ISO 10350. Other test methods in wide use for, or of particular significance to, these moulding and extrusion materials are also included in this part of ISO 2580, as are the designatory properties specified in Part 1.

1.4 In order to obtain reproducible and comparable test results, it is necessary to use the methods of specimen preparation and conditioning, the specimen dimensions and the test procedures specified herein. Values determined will not necessarily be identical to those obtained using specimens of different dimensions or prepared using different procedures.

2 Conformance

In Clause 3, the year of publication of each normative reference has been specifically stated. In order to be able to claim conformity with this part of ISO 2580, it is essential that the user use only those editions given, and not earlier or more recent editions.

3 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 62:1980, *Plastics — Determination of water absorption*

ISO 75-2:1993, *Plastics — Determination of temperature of deflection under load — Part 2: Plastics and ebonite*

ISO 178:1993, *Plastics — Determination of flexural properties*

ISO 179:1993, *Plastics — Determination of Charpy impact strength*

ISO 180:1993, *Plastics — Determination of Izod impact strength*

ISO 293:1986, *Plastics — Compression moulding test specimens of thermoplastic materials*

ISO 294-1:1996, *Plastics — Injection moulding of test specimens of thermoplastic materials — Part 1: General principles, and moulding of multipurpose and bar test specimens*

ISO 306:1994, *Plastics — Thermoplastic materials — Determination of Vicat softening temperature (VST)*

ISO 527-2:1993, *Plastics — Determination of tensile properties — Part 2: Test conditions for moulding and extrusion plastics*

ISO 527-4:1997, *Plastics — Determination of tensile properties — Part 4: Test conditions for isotropic and orthotropic fibre-reinforced plastic composites*

ISO 899-1:1993, *Plastics — Determination of creep behaviour — Part 1: Tensile creep*

ISO 1133:1997, *Plastics — Determination of the melt mass-flow rate (MFR) and the melt volume-flow rate (MVR) of thermoplastics*

ISO 1183:1987, *Plastics — Methods for determining the density and relative density of non-cellular plastics*

ISO 1656:1996, *Rubber, raw natural, and rubber latex, natural — Determination of nitrogen content*

ISO 2561:1974, *Plastics — Determination of residual styrene monomer in polystyrene by gas chromatography*

ISO 2580-1, *Plastics — Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene (ABS) moulding and extrusion materials — Part 1: Designation system and basis for specifications*

ISO 2818:1980, *Plastics — Preparation of test specimens by machining*

ISO 3167:1993, *Plastics — Multipurpose test specimens*

ISO 4581:1994, *Plastics — Styrene/acrylonitrile copolymers — Determination of residual acrylonitrile monomer content — Gas chromatography method*

ISO 4589:1984, *Plastics — Determination of flammability by oxygen index*

ISO 8256:1990, *Plastics — Determination of tensile-impact strength*

ISO 10350:1993, *Plastics — Acquisition and presentation of comparable single point data*

ISO 11357-2:1999, *Plastics — Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) — Part 2: Determination of glass transition temperature*

IEC 60093:1980, *Methods of test for volume resistivity and surface resistivity of solid electrical insulating materials*

IEC 60112:1979, *Method for determining the comparative and the proof tracking indices of solid insulating materials under moist conditions*

IEC 60243-1:1998, *Electrical strength of insulating materials — Test methods — Part 1: Tests at power frequencies*

IEC 60250:1969, *Recommended methods for the determination of the permittivity and dielectric dissipation factor of electrical insulating materials at power, audio and radio frequencies including metre wavelengths*

IEC 60296:1982, *Specification for unused mineral insulating oils for transformers and switchgear*