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Soil improvers and growing media - Determination of pH

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Foreword

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies an instrumental method for the routine determination of pH in a suspension of soil improvers or growing media.

NOTE 1 The method is not applicable to liming materials or sewage sludges and is not suitable for materials like rockwool and foam slabs.

NOTE 2 The requirements of the standard may differ from the national legal requirements for the declaration of the products concerned.

2 Normative references

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EN 13040:1999 Soil improvers and growing media - Sample preparation for chemical and physical tests, determination of dry matter content, moisture content and laboratory compacted bulk density

EN ISO 3696 Water for analytical laboratory use - Specification and test methods. (ISO 3696:1987)

ISO 1770 Solid stem general purpose thermometers.

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this standard the terms and definitions given in EN 13040 : 1999 apply.

4 Principle

A sample is extracted with water at $22\text{ °C} \pm 3,0\text{ °C}$ in an extraction ratio of 1+5 (V/V). The pH of the suspension is measured using a pH meter.

5 Reagents

Use only reagents of recognized analytical grade.

5.1 Water with a specific conductivity not higher than 0,2 mS/m at 25 °C and a pH greater than 5,6 (grade 2 water according to EN ISO 3696).

5.2 Buffer solution, pH 4,00 at 20 °C.

Dissolve 10,21 g of potassium hydrogen phthalate ($\text{C}_8\text{H}_5\text{KO}_4$) in water (5.1) and dilute to 1000 ml in a volumetric flask.