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Foreword

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- the change of the roller dimensions;
- the change of temperature of conditioning of a substrate.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a test method that gives an assessment of adhesion under long-term shear stress after bonding floor or wall coverings to a given substrate. The term “wall covering” does not include any type of wallpaper.

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.

EN 923:2005+A1:2008, *Adhesives - Terms and definitions*

EN 1067, *Adhesives - Examination and preparation of samples for testing*

EN ISO 15605, *Adhesives - Sampling (ISO 15605)*

EN ISO 10365, *Adhesives - Designation of main failure patterns (ISO 10365)*

ISO 554, *Standard atmospheres for conditioning and/or testing - Specifications*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 923:2005+A1:2008 and the following apply.

3.1

covering

flexible resilient or textile floor covering or wall covering

3.2

adhesive for coverings

adhesive which is intended to produce firm and durable bonds between coverings and various substrates

4 Principle

The bonding performance of a floor or wall covering/adhesive combination is assessed under exposure to a static shear force by monitoring the time until failure of the test pieces.

5 Apparatus and materials

5.1 Notched trowel, (for the shape of the notch, see Figure 1) with dimensions *a*, *b* and *c* specified by the adhesive manufacturer.