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Foreword

This European Standard has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 309 "Footwear", the secretariat of which is held by AENOR.

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1 Scope

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2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text, and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 12222, Footwear - Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing of footwear and components for footwear.

EN 13400, Footwear - Sampling location, preparation and duration of conditioning of samples and test pieces.

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

3 Term and definition

For the purposes of this European Standard, the following term and definition applies.

3.1

flex resistance

resistance of a material to crack or otherwise fail at flexing creases

4 Apparatus and material

The following apparatus and material shall be used:

- **4.1 Test machine**, including the following:
- **4.1.1** At least four pairs of clamps. The upper clamp consists of a pair of flat plates as shown in Figure 1.

The lower clamp is fixed and lies in the same vertical plane as the upper clamp.