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# 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies a method for testing the leak tightness under negative pressure, angular deflection, and deformation of assembled joints between elastomeric-sealing-ring-type sockets made of plastic or metal and plastic pressure pipes.

# 2 Principle

A test piece consisting of a plastic pipe mounted into a socket is exposed within a specified temperature range to two specified negative internal pressures for a specified test period, while the pipe is being subjected to an angular deflection in the socket and to deformation. During the test, the test piece is monitored for signs of leakage.

# 3 Test parameters and requirements

The test parameters of the standard which refers to this test standard shall be used and the requirements shall be fulfilled. If one or more parameters are not given in the referring International Standard, the ones given in Annex A shall apply.

The following test parameters should be given by the standard which refers to this test standard:

- a) test medium:
- b) test pressure (bar or MPa):
- c) test duration (h);
- d) test temperature (°C);
- e) free length (mm).

#### 4 Apparatus

- **4.1 Framework**, comprising at least two fixing devices, one of which is movable, to allow angular deflection to be applied to the test joint, while a negative air pressure (partial vacuum) is being applied.
- **4.2 Vacuum gauge**, having an accuracy of ±1 % at the measured values.