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EN 13813, Screed material and floor screeds - Screed material - Properties and requirements

EN 13892-1, Test Methods for screed materials – Part 1: Sampling, making and curing specimens for test.

3 Principle

The wear resistance-BCA of the screed surface is assessed by measuring the mean depth of wear caused by a machine with three hardened steel wheels rotating over a ring shaped area for a fixed number of revolutions under a standard load. The mean depth of wear within the ring pattern is used to indicate the wear resistance of the screed surface at the test location.

4 Symbols

- AR is the wear resistance-BCA, which is the mean depth of wear in μm.
- d_o is the mean depth of the measurements made at all eight measuring points prior to testing inμm.
- d_w is the mean depth of the measurements made at all eight measuring points after completion of the test in μm .

5 Apparatus

5.1 BCA abrasion test machine

The test machine has the following features, see Figure 1.

- a) An abrasion head consisting of three through hardened steel wheels as described in e), tangentially mounted onto a circular steel plate at equal radial intervals so the wheels can freely rotate in a circular path with a nominal mean diameter of (225 ± 1) mm. The wheels are not free to rotate about their vertical axes.
- b) An abrasion head is connected by a shaft to an electric motor and gear box capable of rotating the abrasion head at a manufacturer's rated speed of (180 ± 15) min⁻¹ for (2850 ± 10) revolutions.