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#### **Foreword**

This document (EN 14488-4:2005+A1:2008) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 104 "Concrete and related products", the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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This series EN 14488 Testing sprayed concrete includes the following parts:

- Part 1: Sampling fresh and hardened concrete
- Part 2: Compressive strength of young sprayed concrete
- Part 3: Flexural strengths (first peak, ultimate and residual) of fibre reinforced beam specimens
- Part 4: Bond strength of cores by direct tension
- Part 5: Determination of energy absorption capacity of fibre reinforced slab specimens
- Part 6: Thickness of concrete on a substrate
- Part 7: Fibre content of fibre reinforced concrete

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# 1 Scope

This European Standard describes a means of determining the tensile bond between sprayed concrete and substrate of concrete or rock tested in a laboratory as a direct tension test. Bond strength is defined as the capacity to transfer tension between two layers. Bond strength is calculated as the ultimate tensile force divided by the stressed cross-sectional area of a core, drilled out of a sprayed concrete layer together with a portion of the substrate concrete or rock.

Alternative in situ test methods for determining bond strength are allowed provided they meet all the requirements of this European Standard. In case of dispute, the method described in this European Standard is the reference test method.

#### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 10002-1, Metallic materials — Tensile testing — Part 1: Method of test at ambient temperature

EN 12390-1, Testing hardened concrete — Part 1: Shape, dimensions and other requirements for specimens and moulds

EN 12504-1, Testing concrete in structures — Part 1: Cored specimens — Testing, examining and testing in compression

#### 3 Principle

A core with a diameter (d) of 50 mm–100 mm and a length of more than 2 d is drilled through the sprayed concrete layer and the concrete or rock substrate. The core is cross-cut so that the bonding zone is near to the middle of the test specimen and the length is 2 d, after which steel dollies are glued onto the ground end surfaces of the core and the test specimen is subjected to increasing stress until it fractures. The values obtained are assessed with regard to the nature of the fracture, and classified as belonging to one of two types:

- a) Fracture in the bonding zone which gives the actual bond strength. This also includes the special case in which no bonding between the layers is obtained.
- b) Fracture where the fracture surface is not entirely in the bonding zone, which means that the bond strength is greater than the value of ultimate stress obtained in this case.

## 4 Apparatus

**4.1** Tensile testing machine of class 2 or better, in accordance with EN 10002-1 which makes it possible to measure the stress within  $\pm 2$  % accuracy, and to regulate the increase in stress within the range of  $(0.05 \pm 0.01)$  MPa/s.

#### 4.2 Stone saw and surface grinder

**4.3** Steel dollies (two for each test specimen), with diameters equal to the core diameter ( $\pm$  1 mm) and a thickness of at least 0,4 times the dolly diameter. The surface to be glued shall be flat to within  $\pm$  0,05 mm.