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**Hydrometric determinations — Flow  
measurement in open channels using  
structures — Flat-V weirs**

*Déterminations hydrométriques — Mesure de débit dans les canaux  
découverts au moyen de structures — Déversoirs en V ouvert*



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## Foreword

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# Hydrometric determinations — Flow measurement in open channels using structures — Flat-V weirs

## 1 Scope

This International Standard describes the methods of measurement of flow in rivers and artificial channels under steady or slowly varying conditions using flat-V weirs (see Figure 1).

Annex A gives guidance on acceptable velocity distribution.

## 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

ISO 772, *Hydrometry — Vocabulary and symbols*

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