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The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- Figure 1 has been modified.
- Annex A has been revised to represent the practical electric measurement.


## Flexible cellular polymeric materials - Determination of resilience by ball rebound

## 1 Scope

This document specifies a method for determining the resilience by ball rebound of flexible cellular polymeric materials.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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.

ISO 23529, Rubber - General procedures for preparing and conditioning test pieces for physical test methods

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## 3.1

## open-cell flexible cellular material

flexible cellular material with less than $25 \%$ of its cell volume closed

## 3.2

closed-cell flexible cellular material
flexible cellular material with more than $25 \%$ of its cell volume closed

## 4 Principle

A steel ball is dropped on to a test piece from a specified height and the height of rebound is measured.

## 5 Apparatus

### 5.1 General

The rebound test apparatus (see Figure 1) shall consist of a vertical transparent tube, of inside diameter 30 mm to 65 mm . A steel ball of diameter $16 \mathrm{~mm} \pm 0,5 \mathrm{~mm}$ and mass of $16,8 \mathrm{~g} \pm 1,5 \mathrm{~g}$ is dropped vertically on the test piece through the tube from a height of $500 \mathrm{~mm} \pm 0,5 \mathrm{~mm}$ using a magnet or other suitable device. The steel ball shall be released so that it falls without rotation and is effectively centred.

Measurement errors can arise if the tube is not held in a vertical position, and measurements might be invalid due to contact of the rebounding ball with the inner surface of the tube. It is therefore important to use a spirit level or similar device to ensure that the tube is mounted at right angles to the rigid baseplate, and that the baseplate itself is horizontal.

