
**Petroleum and liquid petroleum
products — Calibration of vertical
cylindrical tanks —**

**Part 4:
Internal electro-optical distance-ranging
method**

*Pétrole et produits pétroliers liquides — Jaugeage des réservoirs
cylindriques verticaux —*

Partie 4: Méthode par mesurage électro-optique interne de la distance



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Foreword

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ISO 7507 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks*:

- *Part 1: Strapping method*
- *Part 2: Optical-reference-line method*
- *Part 3: Optical-triangulation method*
- *Part 4: Internal electro-optical distance-ranging method*
- *Part 5: External electro-optical distance-ranging method*

Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks —

Part 4: Internal electro-optical distance-ranging method

1 Scope

This part of ISO 7507 specifies a method for the calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks having diameters greater than 5 m by means of internal measurements using an electro-optical distance-ranging (EODR) instrument, and for the subsequent compilation of tank capacity tables.

The method is suitable for tanks tilted up to a 3 % deviation from the vertical, provided that a correction is applied for the measured tilt as described in ISO 7507-1:2003, Clause 11.

This part of ISO 7507 also applies to tanks with floating roofs or internal floating blankets.

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.

ISO 7507-1:2003, *Petroleum and liquid petroleum products — Calibration of vertical cylindrical tanks — Part 1: Strapping method*

IEC 60825-1:2007, *Safety of laser products — Part 1: Equipment classification and requirements*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 7507-1 and the following apply.

3.1

reference target point

fixed point clearly marked on a fixed point within the tank, e.g. on the inside surface of the tank shell wall

3.2

slope distance

distance measured from the electro-optical distance-ranging instrument to a target point on any given course of the tank shell wall

3.3

target point

one of a series of points on the inside surface of the tank shell wall to which slope distance, and vertical and horizontal angles are measured by use of the electro-optical ranging instrument