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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies test methods. It is applicable to fireworks in categories F1, F2 and F3 according to EN 15947-2:2015.

2 Normative references

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EN 15947-1:2015, *Pyrotechnic articles — Fireworks, Categories F1, F2 and F3 — Part 1: Terminology*

EN 15947-3:2015, *Pyrotechnic articles — Fireworks, Categories F1, F2 and F3 — Part 3: Minimum labelling requirements*

EN 15947-5:2015, *Pyrotechnic articles — Fireworks, Categories F1, F2 and F3 — Part 5: Requirements for construction and performance*

EN 61672-1:2013, *Electroacoustics — Sound level meters — Part 1: Specifications (IEC 61672-1)*

EN ISO 845, *Cellular plastics and rubbers - Determination of apparent density (ISO 845)*

EN ISO 868, *Plastics and ebonite - Determination of indentation hardness by means of a durometer (Shore hardness) (ISO 868)*

EN ISO 2439, *Flexible cellular polymeric materials - Determination of hardness (indentation technique) (ISO 2439)*

ISO 13385-1, *Geometrical product specifications (GPS) — Dimensional measuring equipment — Part 1: Callipers; Design and metrological characteristics*

ISO 6344-3, *Coated abrasives — Grain size analysis — Part 3: Determination of grain size distribution of microgrits P240 to P2500*

ISO 21948, *Coated abrasives — Plain sheets*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 15947-1:2015 apply.

4 Test environment

4.1 General

The test area shall be a clean, flat, horizontal, non-flammable and sound reflecting surface (for example concrete). The test sample shall be placed in accordance with the instructions on the label in the centre of the test area.

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