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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee MT-006, Mechanical Testing of Metals.

This Standard is identical with, and has been reproduced from ISO 6506-4:2005, *Metallic materials—Brinell hardness test, Part 4: Table of hardness values*.

The objective of this Standard is to specify the hardness values for Brinell hardness testing machines.

This Standard is one of a series of Standards covering the range of hardness testing methods. The series comprises the following:

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1815 Metallic materials—Rockwell hardness test

1815.1 Method 1: Test method (scales A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K, N, T)

1815.2 Method 2: Verification and calibration of testing machines (scales A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K, N, T)

1815.3 Method 3: Calibration of reference blocks (scales A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K, N, T)
(ISO 6508-3:2005, MOD)

1816 Metallic materials—Brinell hardness test

1816.1 Method 1: Test method (ISO 6506-1:1999, MOD)

1816.2 Method 2: Verification and calibration of testing machines

1816.3 Method 3: Calibration of reference blocks

1816.4 Method 4: Table of hardness values (this Standard)

1817 Metallic materials—Vickers hardness test

1817.1 Method 1: Test method (ISO 6507-1:1997, MOD)

1817.2 Method 2: Verification of testing machines

1817.3 Method 3: Calibration of reference blocks

5016 Metallic materials—Conversion of hardness values

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1 Scope

This part of ISO 6506 gives a table of the Brinell hardness values for use in tests on flat surfaces.

2 Determination of the Brinell hardness for testing on flat surfaces

See Table 1.

Table 1

Ball indenter, D mm				Force-diameter ratio, $0,102 \times F/D^2$					
				30	15	10	5	2,5	1
				Test force, F					
10				29,42 kN	14,71 kN	9,807 kN	4,903 kN	2,452 kN	980,7 N
	5			7,355 kN	—	2,452 kN	1,226 kN	612,9 N	245,2 N
		2,5		1,839 kN	—	612,9 N	306,5 N	153,2 N	61,29 N
			1	294,2 N	—	98,07 N	49,03 N	24,52 N	9,807 N
Mean diameter of the indentation, d mm				Brinell hardness, HBW					
2,40	1,200	0,600 0	0,240	653	327	218	109	54,5	21,8
2,41	1,205	0,602 4	0,241	648	324	216	108	54,0	21,6
2,42	1,210	0,605 0	0,242	643	321	214	107	53,5	21,4
2,43	1,215	0,607 5	0,243	637	319	212	106	53,1	21,2
2,44	1,220	0,610 0	0,244	632	316	211	105	52,7	21,1
2,45	1,225	0,612 5	0,245	627	313	209	104	52,2	20,9
2,46	1,230	0,615 0	0,246	621	311	207	104	51,8	20,7
2,47	1,235	0,617 5	0,247	616	308	205	103	51,4	20,5
2,48	1,240	0,620 0	0,248	611	306	204	102	50,9	20,4
2,49	1,245	0,622 5	0,249	606	303	202	101	50,5	20,2
2,50	1,250	0,625 0	0,250	601	301	200	100	50,1	20,0
2,51	1,255	0,627 5	0,251	597	298	199	99,4	49,7	19,9

Table 1 (continued)

Ball indenter, D mm				Force-diameter ratio, $0,102 \times F/D^2$					
10	5	2,5	1	30	15	10	5	2,5	1
Mean diameter of the indentation, d mm				Brinell hardness, HBW					
2,52	1,260	0,630 0	0,252	592	296	197	98,6	49,3	19,7
2,53	1,265	0,632 5	0,253	587	294	196	97,8	48,9	19,6
2,54	1,270	0,635 0	0,254	582	291	194	97,1	48,5	19,4
2,55	1,275	0,637 5	0,255	578	289	193	96,3	48,1	19,3
2,56	1,280	0,640 0	0,256	573	287	191	95,5	47,8	19,1
2,57	1,285	0,642 5	0,257	569	284	190	94,8	47,4	19,0
2,58	1,290	0,645 0	0,258	564	282	188	94,0	47,0	18,8
2,59	1,295	0,647 5	0,259	560	280	187	93,3	46,6	18,7
2,60	1,300	0,650 0	0,260	555	278	185	92,6	46,3	18,5
2,61	1,305	0,652 5	0,261	551	276	184	91,8	45,9	18,4
2,62	1,310	0,655 0	0,262	547	273	182	91,1	45,6	18,2
2,63	1,315	0,657 5	0,263	543	271	181	90,4	45,2	18,1
2,64	1,320	0,660 0	0,264	538	269	179	89,7	44,9	17,9
2,65	1,325	0,662 5	0,265	534	267	178	89,0	44,5	17,8
2,66	1,330	0,665 0	0,266	530	265	177	88,4	44,2	17,7
2,67	1,335	0,667 5	0,267	526	263	175	87,7	43,8	17,5
2,68	1,340	0,670 0	0,268	522	261	174	87,0	43,5	17,4
2,69	1,345	0,672 5	0,269	518	259	173	86,4	43,2	17,3
2,70	1,350	0,675 0	0,270	514	257	171	85,7	42,9	17,1
2,71	1,355	0,677 5	0,271	510	255	170	85,1	42,5	17,0
2,72	1,360	0,680 0	0,272	507	253	169	84,4	42,2	16,9
2,73	1,365	0,682 5	0,273	503	251	168	83,8	41,9	16,8
2,74	1,370	0,685 0	0,274	499	250	166	83,2	41,6	16,6
2,75	1,375	0,687 5	0,275	495	248	165	82,6	41,3	16,5
2,76	1,380	0,690 0	0,276	492	246	164	81,9	41,0	16,4
2,77	1,385	0,692 5	0,277	488	244	163	81,3	40,7	16,3
2,78	1,390	0,695 0	0,278	485	242	162	80,8	40,4	16,2
2,79	1,395	0,697 5	0,279	481	240	160	80,2	40,1	16,0
2,80	1,400	0,700 0	0,280	477	239	159	79,6	39,8	15,9
2,81	1,405	0,702 5	0,281	474	237	158	79,0	39,5	15,8
2,82	1,410	0,705 0	0,282	471	235	157	78,4	39,2	15,7
2,83	1,415	0,707 5	0,283	467	234	156	77,9	38,9	15,6
2,84	1,420	0,710 0	0,284	464	232	155	77,3	38,7	15,5
2,85	1,425	0,712 5	0,285	461	230	154	76,8	38,4	15,4

Table 1 (continued)

Ball indenter, D mm				Force-diameter ratio, $0,102 \times F/D^2$					
10	5	2,5	1	30	15	10	5	2,5	1
Mean diameter of the indentation, d mm				Brinell hardness, HBW					
2,86	1,430	0,715 0	0,286	457	229	152	76,2	38,1	15,2
2,87	1,435	0,717 5	0,287	454	227	151	75,7	37,8	15,1
2,88	1,440	0,720 0	0,288	451	225	150	75,1	37,6	15,0
2,89	1,445	0,722 5	0,289	448	224	149	74,6	37,3	14,9
2,90	1,450	0,725 0	0,290	444	222	148	74,1	37,0	14,8
2,91	1,455	0,727 5	0,291	441	221	147	73,6	36,8	14,7
2,92	1,460	0,730 0	0,292	438	219	146	73,0	36,5	14,6
2,93	1,465	0,732 5	0,293	435	218	145	72,5	36,3	14,5
2,94	1,470	0,735 0	0,294	432	216	144	72,0	36,0	14,4
2,95	1,475	0,737 5	0,295	429	215	143	71,5	35,8	14,3
2,96	1,480	0,740 0	0,296	426	213	142	71,0	35,5	14,2
2,97	1,485	0,742 5	0,297	423	212	141	70,5	35,3	14,1
2,98	1,490	0,745 0	0,298	420	210	140	70,1	35,0	14,0
2,99	1,495	0,747 5	0,299	417	209	139	69,6	34,8	13,9
3,00	1,500	0,750 0	0,300	415	207	138	69,1	34,6	13,8
3,01	1,505	0,752 5	0,301	412	206	137	68,6	34,3	13,7
3,02	1,510	0,755 0	0,302	409	205	136	68,2	34,1	13,6
3,03	1,515	0,757 5	0,303	406	203	135	67,7	33,9	13,5
3,04	1,520	0,760 0	0,304	404	202	135	67,3	33,6	13,5
3,05	1,525	0,762 5	0,305	401	200	134	66,8	33,4	13,4
3,06	1,530	0,765 0	0,306	398	199	133	66,4	33,2	13,3
3,07	1,535	0,767 5	0,307	395	198	132	65,9	33,0	13,2
3,08	1,540	0,770 0	0,308	393	196	131	65,5	32,7	13,1
3,09	1,545	0,772 5	0,309	390	195	130	65,0	32,5	13,0
3,10	1,550	0,775 0	0,310	388	194	129	64,6	32,3	12,9
3,11	1,555	0,777 5	0,311	385	193	128	64,2	32,1	12,8
3,12	1,560	0,780 0	0,312	383	191	128	63,8	31,9	12,8
3,13	1,565	0,782 5	0,313	380	190	127	63,3	31,7	12,7
3,14	1,570	0,787 0	0,314	378	189	126	62,9	31,5	12,6
3,15	1,575	0,787 5	0,315	375	188	125	62,5	31,3	12,5
3,16	1,580	0,790 0	0,316	373	186	124	62,1	31,1	12,4
3,17	1,585	0,792 5	0,317	370	185	123	61,7	30,9	12,3
3,18	1,590	0,795 0	0,318	368	184	123	61,3	30,7	12,3
3,19	1,595	0,797 5	0,319	366	183	122	60,9	30,5	12,2