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Foreword

This British Standard has been prepared by Technical Committee B/502. It supersedes BS 1438:1971, which is withdrawn.

This new edition represents a full revision of the standard, and introduces the following principal changes:

- a) implementation of new standards for aggregates, including the aggregate size requirements in BS EN 13242, the revised sieving test in BS EN 933-1 and a new method to determine aggregate shape in BS EN 933-3;
- b) deletion of a number of aspects of the old edition that are outside the scope of current British Standards, including background information about the use of biological percolating filters, notes on the use of the standard and references to independent testing.

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