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Determination of calorific values of solid, liquid and gaseous fuels (including definitions)

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Foreword

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