

Paints and varnishes — Determination of resistance to humidity (continuous condensation)

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National foreword

This Part of BS 3900 has been prepared under the direction of the Pigments, Paints and Varnishes Standards Committee. It is identical with ISO 6270:1980 “*Paints and varnishes — Determination of resistance to humidity (continuous condensation)*”, published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO).

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Part F2 of this British Standard describes a similar method using cyclic condensation conditions, but that method has not been adopted by ISO. While it is hoped that Part F2 will be superseded by this new Part, Part F2 will remain available subject to assessment of its continued need at its next review.

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Wherever the words “International Standard” appear, referring to this standard, they should be read as “British Standard”.

Cross-references

International Standard	Corresponding British Standard
	BS 3900 <i>Methods of test for paints</i>
ISO 1512:1974	Part A1:1970 <i>Sampling</i> (Technically equivalent)
ISO 1513:1980	Part A2:1970 <i>Examination and preparation of samples for testing</i> (Technically equivalent)
ISO 1514:1974	Part A3:1970 <i>Standard panels for paint testing</i> (Technically equivalent)
ISO 2808:1974	Part C5:1975 <i>Determination of film thickness</i> (Technically equivalent)
ISO 3270:1980	National appendix to Part C8:1978 <i>Print free test</i> (Technically equivalent)

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