

This Standard is obsolescent.  
See the BSI Catalogue for details.

**BS 6571 : Part 1 : 1989**

UDC 62–189.2:62–527.3:625.712.  
63:625.746.53:656.053.6+  
681.118.1:656.835.34:001.4:  
620.1

---

British Standard

# Vehicle parking control equipment

Part 1. Specification for coin operated  
clockwork parking meters

---

Appareils de contrôle du stationnement des véhicules  
Partie 1. Parcmètres à pièces — Spécifications

Parkzeitkontrollenrichtungen  
Teil 1. Münzparkuhren

## Foreword

This Part of BS 6571 has been prepared under the direction of the Road Engineering Standards Policy Committee and is a revision of BS 6571 : Part 1 : 1985 which is withdrawn.

In this revision amendments have been made throughout the standard with the aim of improving the accuracy and performance of the meters. Amendments have also been necessary to accord with changes in legislation.

Other Parts of this standard are as follows:

Part 2 Specification for electrically powered parking meters

Part 3 Specification for pay and display parking equipment

\*Part 4 Specification for barrier type parking control equipment

\*Part 5 Guide to the requirements for non-coin operated apparatus for use with parking control equipment

Further Parts are under consideration.

Whilst it is not within the scope of this standard attention is drawn to the guidance of the Design Council on the aesthetic qualities of street furniture.

**Compliance with a British Standard does not of itself confer immunity from legal obligations.**

---

\*In preparation.

# Contents

	Page
Foreword	Inside front cover
Committees responsible	Back cover
<b>Specification</b>	
1 Scope	2
2 Definitions	2
3 General requirements	2
4 Colour of equipment	2
5 Marking	3
6 Information and instruction plates	3
7 General construction	3
8 Environmental conditions	4
9 Visibility of time display and indicators	4
10 Winding of automatic meters	6
11 Operational accuracy	6
12 Excess and penalty indicators	6
13 Type test	6
<b>Appendix</b>	
A Type test for coin operated clockwork parking meters	7
<b>Figures</b>	
1 Typical layout for single coin operated clockwork parking meter	4
2 Typical examples of instruction and information plates for on-street use	5