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National foreword

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Amendments

This standard differs from DIN EN 12697-31:2007-06 as follows:

- a) the series title no longer makes the method exclusively for hot mix asphalt;
- b) the definition of force-angle calibration chain and internal angle has been deleted;
- c) [Clause 1] the advice on the use of annexes on alternative calibration has been revised and has been changed from a note to normative text;
- d) [3.2] a number of symbols has been added and the symbol for water content has been amended to “w” throughout the standard;
- e) [5.1] a system to collect excess moisture has been added to the requirements for the test device;
- f) [5.6] ventilated oven, balance and thermometer have been added to the list of equipment;
- g) [6.1.2] the existing preparation of specimens has been adapted for dry mixtures and a separate method for wet mixtures has been included;
- h) the new subclause [6.1.2.1] on the calculation of mass of the dry mixture has been modified;
- i) a new subclause [6.1.2.2] on the calculation of mass of the wet mixture has been added;
- j) [6.2] the preparation of mixtures has been revised;
- k) in [7.1.1] and [7.2.3], the value of force has been replaced by stress;
- l) [7.1.3] the note to the setting of the angle of inclination has been deleted and an extra line has been added;
- m) [7.2.1] the start of compaction has been revised;
- n) [7.2.2] the number of gyrations at which measurements are made has been clarified;
- o) [Clause 8] additional precision data have been given;
- p) [Clause 9] the water content has been added as optional in the test report;
- q) [A.3.1] has been modified, reference materials have been deleted and the calibration stress has been indicated;

- r) [A.3.1] the value of force has been replaced by stress;
- s) Annex B has been deleted and Annex C is now the new Annex B;
- t) [New Annex B] requirements for compliance have been clarified;
- u) [Annex A] and [new Annex B] the same internal effective angle for both annexes $(0,82 \pm 0,02)^\circ$;
- v) [new Annex B] the precision statement has been updated.

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