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## **European foreword**

This document (EN 12390-5:2019) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 104 "Concrete and related products", the secretariat of which is held by SN.

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It is recognized as good practice to include measurement of density prior to the determination of flexural strength, as a check on compaction of the concrete.

The two-point method of loading has been taken as the reference method, but the use of centre-point loading has been included as a normative annex. An inter-comparison of the two-point and the centre-point methods has been made as part of a test programme, part-funded by the EC under the Measurement and Testing Programme, contract MAT I-CT-94-CO43. The centre-point method gave results which were consistently 13 % higher than those from the two-point method.

This standard is one of a series on testing concrete.

EN 12390, *Testing hardened concrete*, consists of the following parts:

- Part 1: Shape, dimensions and other requirements of specimens and moulds;
- Part 2: Making and curing specimens for strength tests;
- Part 3: Compressive strength of test specimens;
- Part 4: Compressive strength Specification for testing machines;
- Part 5: Flexural strength of test specimens;
- Part 6: Tensile splitting strength of test specimens;
- Part 7: Density of hardened concrete;
- Part 8: Depth of penetration of water under pressure;
- Part 11: Determination of the chloride resistance of concrete, unidirectional diffusion;
- Part 12: Determination of the potential carbonation resistance of concrete: Accelerated carbonation method (in preparation);
- Part 13: Determination of secant modulus of elasticity in compression;
- Part 14: Semi-adiabatic method for the determination of heat released by concrete during its hardening process;
- Part 15: Adiabatic method for the determination of heat released by concrete during its hardening process;
- Part 16: Determination of the shrinkage of concrete (in preparation);
- Part 17: Determination of creep of concrete in compression (in preparation);

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Part 18: Determination of the chloride migration coefficient (in preparation).

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- editorial revision;
- technical corrections;
- curing procedure aligned with EN 12390-3.

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### 1 Scope

This document specifies a method for the determination of the flexural strength of specimens of hardened concrete.

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 12350-1, Testing fresh concrete — Part 1: Sampling

EN 12390-1, Testing hardened concrete — Part 1: Shape, dimensions and other requirements for specimens and moulds

EN 12390-2, Testing hardened concrete — Part 2: Making and curing specimens for strength tests

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