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Standard Test Method for Softness of Preformed Tape Sealants¹

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1. Scope

1.1 This test method describes a laboratory procedure for determining the softness of preformed tape sealants.

NOTE 1—Cone penetration methods applicable to greases and to petrolatum are described in Test Methods D 217 and D 937. Test Method D 2451 also uses a penetration technique for determining the degree of set in sash glazing compounds.

1.2 The values stated in SI units are to be regarded as the standard. The values given in parenthesis are for information only.

1.3 The subcommittee with jurisdiction is not aware of any similar ISO standard.

1.4 *This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:

C 717 Terminology of Building Seals and Sealants²

¹ This test method is under the jurisdiction of ASTM Committee C24 on Building Seals and Sealants and is the direct responsibility of Subcommittee C24.20 on General Sealant Standards.

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