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METHODS OF TEST

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BRIEF HISTORY

The ISO Recommendation R 1698, *Ortho-dichlorobenzene for industrial use – Methods of test*, was drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 47, *Chemistry*, the Secretariat of which is held by the Ente Nazionale Italiano di Unificazione (UNI).

Work on this question led to the adoption of Draft ISO Recommendation No. 1698, which was circulated to all the the ISO Member Bodies for enquiry in February 1969. It was approved, subject to a few modifications of an editorial nature, by the following Member Bodies :

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No Member Body opposed the approval of the Draft.

This Draft ISO Recommendation was then submitted by correspondence to the ISO Council, which decided to accept it as an ISO RECOMMENDATION.

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METHODS OF TEST

1. SCOPE

This ISO Recommendation describes methods of test for *o*-dichlorobenzene for industrial use.

2. SAMPLING

For the preparation of the laboratory sample, use the method described in ISO Recommendation R 2209*, *Liquid halogenated hydrocarbons for industrial use – Sampling*.

3. DETERMINATION OF DISTILLATION CHARACTERISTICS

Use the method described in ISO Recommendation R 918, *Test method for distillation (distillation yield and distillation range)*. The following particulars and modifications, specific for *o*-dichlorobenzene, should be introduced in the above-mentioned ISO Recommendation :

3.1 Scope (see section 1 in ISO/R 918)

This determination indicates the difference between the temperatures corresponding to the collection of two volumes of distillate, *A* and *B*. These two volumes will be indicated in the specifications for the product agreed between the interested parties.

3.2 Distillation flask (see clause 3.1 in ISO/R 918)

Nominal capacity 150 ml.

3.3 Thermometer (see clause 3.2 in ISO/R 918)

Graduated in 0.2 °C intervals.

Maximum error 0.2 °C.

Range 155 to 205 °C.

3.4 Distillation rate (see clause 6.2 in ISO/R 918)

4 to 5 ml per minute.

3.5 Adjustment for thermometer error (see clause 5.2 in ISO/R 918)

For this determination no adjustment of the thermometer readings is required for variations in barometric pressure.

* At present Draft ISO Recommendation.