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EN 1926, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of compressive strength*

EN 1936, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of real density and apparent density and of total and open porosity*

EN 12370, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of resistance to salt crystallisation*

EN 12371, *Natural stone test methods - Determination of frost resistance*

EN 12372, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of flexural strength under concentrated load*

EN 12407, *Natural stone test methods – Petrographic examination*

EN 13161, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of flexural strength under constant moment*

EN 13364, *Natural stone test methods - Determination of the breaking load at dowel hole*

EN 13755, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of water absorption at atmospheric pressure*

EN 13373, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of geometric characteristics on units*

EN 13919, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of resistance to ageing by SO₂ action in the presence of humidity*

EN 14066, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of resistance to ageing by thermal shock*

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prEN 14158, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of rupture energy*

prEN 14205, *Natural stone test methods - Determination of Knoop hardness*

prEN 14231, *Natural stone test methods – Determination of the slip resistance by means of the pendulum tester*

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