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DETERMINATION OF RESISTANCE AGAINST
SURFACE AND TRAFFIC LOADING**

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resistance against surface and traffic loading**

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de branchement ou regards - Détermination de la
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Kunststoff-Rohrleitungssysteme - Kontrollschächte
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Thermoplasten - Bestimmung der Widerstandsfähigkeit
gegen Belastungen der Oberfläche und Verkehrslasten

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Foreword

This European Standard (EN 14802:2005) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 155 "Plastics piping systems and ducting systems", the secretariat of which is held by NEN.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by June 2006, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by June 2006.

The relevant performance requirements are contained within the referring standard(s) concerned.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a method of testing the resistance of the upper assembly of inspection chambers and manhole components against surface and traffic loading.

It does not include requirements for testing the cover and frame. These requirements are specified in EN 124 or other standards depending on the material.

NOTE 1 Upper assembly components would normally include riser shafts, tapers, reducing slabs and telescopic joints.

NOTE 2 This test method is intended to support prEN 13598-2 and prEN 15229 (see bibliography)

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this European Standard. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 124, *Gully tops and manhole tops for vehicular and pedestrian areas — Design requirements, type testing, marking, quality control*

ENV 1046, *Plastics piping and ducting systems — Systems outside building structures for the conveyance of water or sewage — Practices for installation above and below ground*

EN 1437, *Plastics piping systems — Piping systems for underground drainage and sewerage — Test method for resistance to combined temperature cycling and external loading*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

inspection chamber

drainage or sewerage fitting used to connect drainage or sewerage installations and/or to change the direction of drainage or sewerage runs, which terminates at ground level and has a riser shaft with a minimum outer diameter of 200 mm and an inner diameter of less than 800 mm (see also EN 476:1997 for non-circular chambers)

NOTE The termination at ground level permits the introduction of cleaning, inspection and test equipment and the removal of debris but does not provide access for personnel.

3.2

manhole

drainage or sewerage fitting used to connect drainage or sewerage installations and/or to change the direction of drainage or sewerage runs, which terminates at ground level and has a riser shaft with a minimum inner diameter of 800 mm (see also EN 476:1997 for non circular manholes)

NOTE The termination at ground level permits the introduction of cleaning, inspection and test equipment and the removal of debris and provides access for personnel.

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