

## General Annex TS for laboratory impact sound tests

## **Test stand description**

Laboratory of Kiwa GmbH, Hauptstraße 133, 52477 Alsdorf Test rooms:

Sending room:  $4,27 \text{ m} \times 4,45 \text{ m} \times 2,74 \text{ m}; V = 52,1 \text{ m}^3 \text{ (cubic, with diffusers)}$ Receiving room:  $3,95 \text{ m} \times 4,08 \text{ m} \times 3,33 \text{ m}; V = 53,6 \text{ m}^3 \text{ (cubic, with diffusers)}$ 

Test floor:  $4,27 \text{ m} \times 4,45 \text{ m}; \text{ S} = 19 \text{ m}^2$ 

14 cm homogeneous heavyweight concrete slab floor with an area-related mass

of m' ≈ 322 kg/m² (no ceiling below)

lime sand brick walls with light weighting facing shells (d = 12cm) Flanking walls:

with a medium area-related mass of m' ≈ 330 kg/m<sup>2</sup>

## **Analysis**

The impact sound levels generated by the standardized tapping machine are measured in the receiving room below a solid floor without and with the floor covering. From the measured values the reduction of impact sound pressure is calculated as follows:

 $\Delta L$ L<sub>n,0</sub> - L<sub>n</sub> in dB

Impact sound level without floor covering in dB  $L_{n,0}$ 

Impact sound level with floor covering in dB

To determine the weighted impact sound reduction the applicable reference curve is shifted in 1 dB steps into the measured curve so that the sum of the most unfavorable deviations correspondents as close as possible to the value of 32 dB without exceeding this value.

The linear impact sound level  $\Delta L_{lin}$  you can calculate after the following equation:

$$\Delta L_{lin} = L_{n,r,0,w} + C_{I,r,0} - (L_{n,r,w} + C_{I,r}) = \Delta L_w + C_{I,\Delta}$$

the calculated weighted norm impact sound level of the cover blanket with the blanket  $L_{n,r,w}$ 

edition to be checked is.

78 dB, investigates  $L_{n,r,0}$  to 4.3.1 DIN EN ISO 717-2:2021-05.

Spectrum customization value.  $C_{I,r}$  $C_{I,r,0}$ Spectrum customization value.