CIPAC MT STATUS REPORT

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MT 172 FLOWABILITY OF WATER DISPERSIBLE GRANULES AFTER HEAT TEST UNDER PRESSURE (Note 1)

Allocated to DAPF

CIPAC methods published in:

CIPAC Handbook F p430ff

CIPAC 58th meeting, June 2014 in Liège

Mr Dubois remarked that during the last proficiency test organised by FASFC it was noted that some participants had problem with this method - in particular which temperature should be used. In the published method, part of the sentence is missing so it's not clear what should be done to report the results.

The Chairman remarked that CIPAC will make an amendment under the errata on the website and that this will also be taken up during the review of MT methods.

CIPAC 62nd meeting, June 2018 in Panama City

Revision of MT 172.1 Flowability of granular formulations (5155)

Mr Wiese proposed on behalf of DAPF the revision of MT172.1 in order to make it a stand-alone method, to update references, to harmonize the test sieve, to clarify the hardness of the rubber mat, and to define the reporting of results. As all revisions are regarded as minor changes or only clarifications there is no need for additional validation and it is proposed to accept the revised method as MT 172.2.

Closed Meeting:

The revisions are accepted however Mr Wiese is contacted about the ownership of the drawings in the method. The method was accepted as **provisional** CIPAC MT method MT 172.2.

CIPAC 63rd meeting, June 2019 in Braunschweig

Closed Meeting:

At the previous meeting, the method was accepted as provisional. No further comments were received. The method can be promoted to a **full CIPAC method**.