

Template for comments and secretariat observations

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MB ¹	Clause No./ Subclause No./ Annex (e.g. 3.1)	Paragraph/ Figure/Table/ Note (e.g. Table 1)	Type of com- ment ²	Comment (justification for change) by the MB	Proposed change by the MB	Secretariat observations on each comment submitted
JP	1		Ge	The method does not appear to provide any additional valuable information than what is already provided by more straightforward ASTM methods. Accordingly, the increased expense and complexity do not seem warranted.		
JP	1		Ge	Considering the method complexity, it is expected to yield highly variable results. Has the method been demonstrated to be reproducible?		
JP	5	Figure 1	Te	The hose leading from the glass connection tube to the glass measurement tube will likely impact balance measurements.		
JP	7		Te	There does not appear to be a procedure included for preventing air entrapment.		
JP	7		Te	There does not appear to be a procedure included for preventing frequent plugging of the glass filter plate.		
JP	7		Te	There does not appear to be a procedure included for ensuring that the bentonite will be consistently deposited as a reproducible cone, which can potentially impact results.		
JP	6		Ed	Replace "finesse" with "fineness".		

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2 **Type of comment:** **ge** = general **te** = technical **ed** = editorial

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