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Method Summary

Topsoil Density

Scope and Range

This method is used to determine the density of a dried soil.

This is a non-reportable component used to calculate analytical results in mg/l of dry soil as required by BS3882.

References

BS3882:2015 Specifications for topsoil and requirements for use.

Principle

A container of known volume is filled with dry soil and the weight and volume of soil used to calculate the density.