

SCHEDULE 2
METHODS OF ANALYSIS

PART I

14b.

DETERMINATION OF THE OIL RETENTION VALUE

Method of calculation and formula

7.1 The oil retention, from each determination (6.1) expressed as a percentage by mass of the sieved test portion, is given by the equation:

$$\text{Oil retention} = \frac{m_2}{m_1} \times 100$$

where:

m_1 is the mass, in grams, of the sieved test portion (6.2);

m_2 is the mass, in grams, of the test portion according to Section 6.4 or 6.5 respectively as the result of the last weighing.

Take as the result the arithmetic mean of the two individual determinations.