

Training: Review of Standards

- EN 16012 and EN15976, standards related to emissivity of glasses,
- highlight on recommendations for extrapolations of total hemispherical emissivity from near-normal spectral or total emissivity results.

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Improvement of emissivity measurements
on reflective insulation materials



Review of Standards



- **standards related to emissivity of membranes and foils**
 - EN 16012 and EN 15976
 - TIR-principle (TIR = thermal infrared)
- **standards related to emissivity of glasses**
 - EN 673, EN 12898 and ASTM E 1585 – 93
 - spectrometric technique
- **total hemispherical emissivity derived from**
 - spectral near-normal emissivity
 - total near-normal emissivity

Directional Emissivity versus Angle



Calculation of the hemispherical emissivity
from the directional emissivity

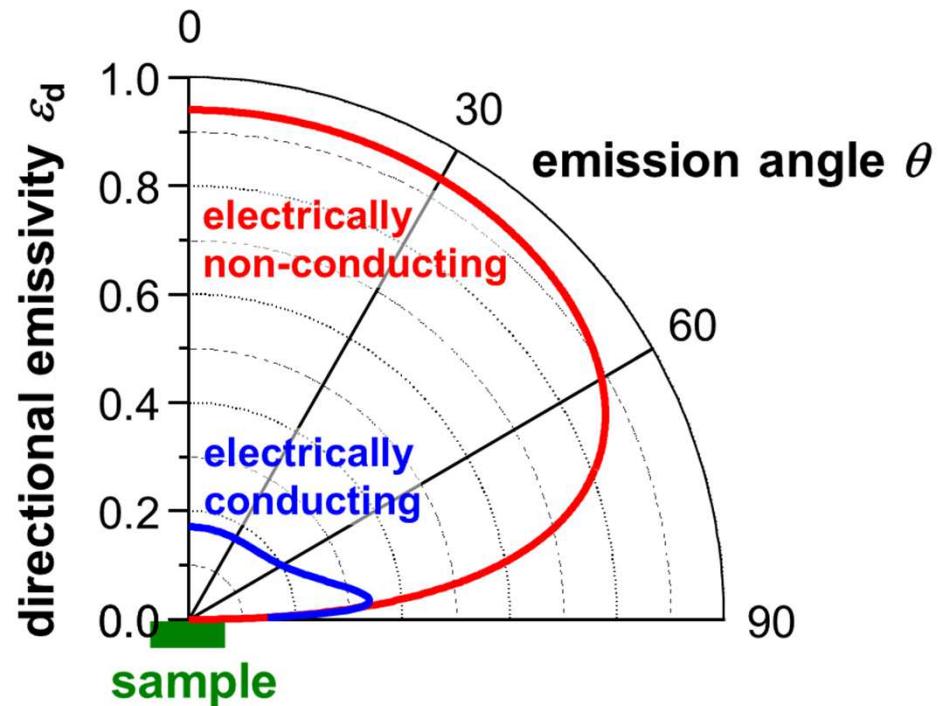
ε_d : directional
emissivity

ε_n : normal
emissivity

ε : hemispherical
emissivity

$$\varepsilon_n = \varepsilon_d(\theta = 0^\circ)$$

$$\varepsilon(T) = \frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \int_{\text{hemi-sphere}} \varepsilon_d(\theta, \varphi, T) \cdot \cos \theta \cdot d\omega$$



Spectral Emissivity versus Wavelength



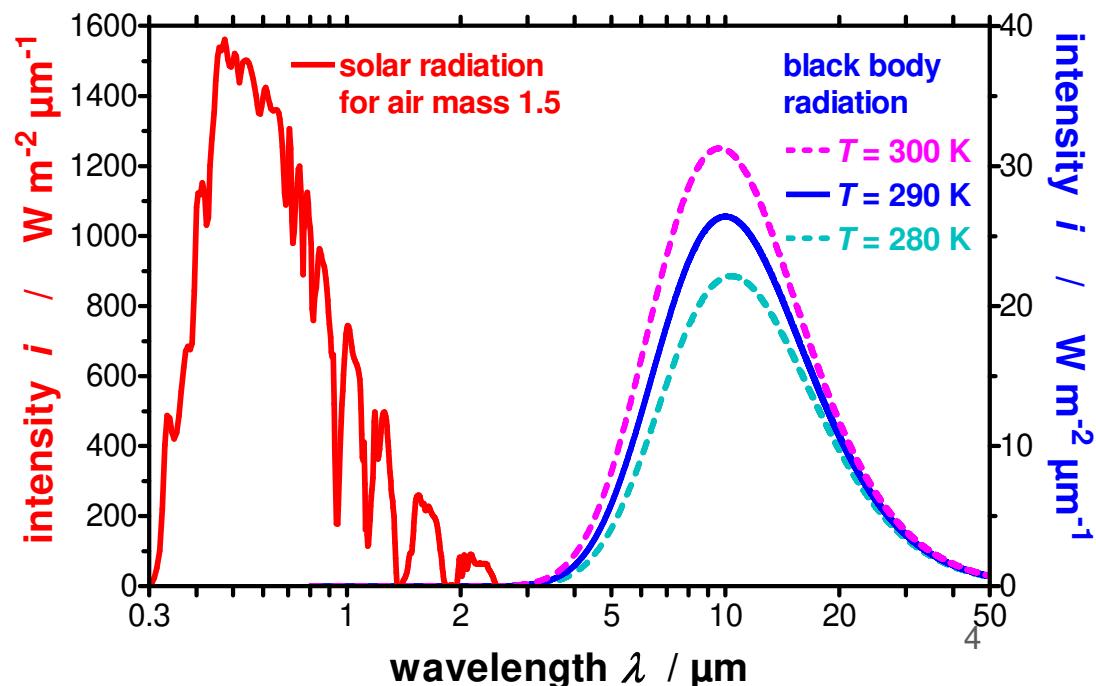
Calculation of the total normal emissivity
from the spectral normal emissivity

$\varepsilon_n(\lambda)$: spectral normal
emissivity

ε_n : total normal
emissivity

$i_{bb}(\lambda)$: intensity emitted
by a black body

$$\varepsilon_n(T) = \frac{\int_0^{\infty} \varepsilon_n(\lambda, T) \cdot i_{bb}(\lambda, T) \cdot d\lambda}{\int_0^{\infty} i_{bb}(\lambda, T) \cdot d\lambda}$$



Standards Related to Membranes / Foils



- **EN 16012 : 2012+A1:2015**

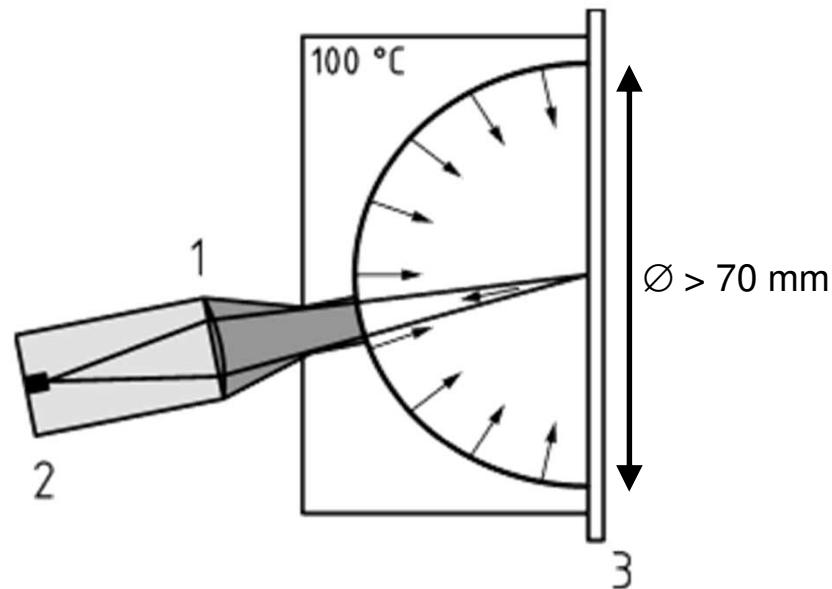
Thermal insulation for buildings –
Reflective insulation products –
Determination of the declared thermal performance
→ additionally refers to EN 15976
- **EN 15976 : 2011**

Flexible sheets for waterproofing –
Determination of emissivity

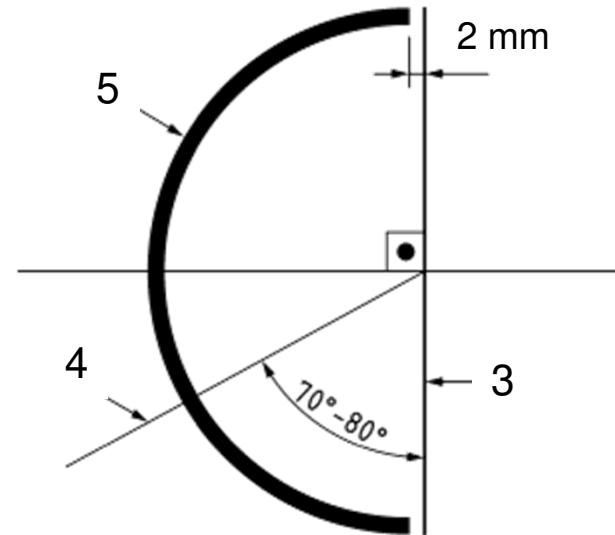
Standards Related to Membranes / Foils



Black surrounding in front of the sample with $T_{\text{sample}} = 296 \text{ K}$, which is placed on massive sample holder ($> 140 \text{ mm} \times 140 \text{ mm}$)



- 1 IR-lens
 - 2 IR-thermopile sensor
 - 3 sample
- preheating time $> 2 \text{ h}$



- 4 detected IR-beam
 - 5 black surrounding
- total measuring time $< 3 \text{ s}$

Standards Related to Membranes / Foils



Recommended calibration standards

- $0.01 < \varepsilon_{\text{low}} < 0.02$
- $\varepsilon_{\text{high}} > 0.94$

Determination of the total near-normal emissivity of the sample

$$\varepsilon_n = \varepsilon_{\text{high}} - (\varepsilon_{\text{high}} - \varepsilon_{\text{low}}) \cdot \frac{U_{\text{high}} - U_{\text{sample}}}{U_{\text{high}} - U_{\text{low}}}$$

- detected signals U_{sample} , U_{high} and U_{low}

Measurement range: 0.02 ... 0.94
 mean values below 0.05
 shall be given as 0.05

Standards Related to Glasses



- **EN 12898 : 2001 and prEN 12898 : 2017**
Glass in building –
Determination of the emissivity
- **EN 673 : 1997 and EN 673 : 2011**
Glass in building –
Determination of the thermal transmittance U –
Calculation method
determination of the emissivity: - 1997: identical with EN 12898
- 2011: only refers to EN 12898
- **ASTM E 1585 – 93**
Standard Test Method for Measuring and Calculating
Emittance of Architectural Flat Glass Products Using
Spectrometric Measurements

EN 12898 : 2001 and prEN 12898 : 2017



Measurement of spectral normal (near-normal)
specular (directional-directional) reflectance $R_n(\lambda_i)$
at $T = 283$ K



Calculation of
total normal
reflectance R_n

$$R_n = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{i=N} R_n(\lambda_i)$$

with $N \geq 24$

Ordinal number i	Wavelength(λ_i) μm	Ordinal number i	Wavelength (λ_i) μm
1	5,5	16	14,8
2	6,7	17	15,6
3	7,4	18	16,3
4	8,1	19	17,2
5	8,6	20	18,1
6	9,2	21	19,2
7	9,7	22	20,3
8	10,2	23	21,7
9	10,7	24	23,3
10	11,3	25	25,2
11	11,8	26	27,7
12	12,4	27	30,9
13	12,9	28	35,7
14	13,5	29	43,9
15	14,2	30	50,0 ^a

^a 50 μm has been chosen because this wavelength is the limit of most commercially available spectrophotometers. This approximation has a negligible effect on the accuracy of the calculation.

EN 12898 : 2001 and prEN 12898 : 2017



→ Calculation of the total normal emissivity ε_n

$$\varepsilon_n = 1 - R_n \quad \text{if} \quad R_n = R_{nh} \quad (= \text{only specular reflecting sample})$$

→ Calculation of the total hemispherical emissivity ε

- 2001: $\varepsilon = \varepsilon_n \cdot (\varepsilon/\varepsilon_n)$

Normaler Gesamtemissionsgrad ε_n	Verhältnis $\varepsilon/\varepsilon_n$
0,03	1,22
.0,05	1,18
0,1	1,14
0,2	1,10
0,3	1,06
0,4	1,03
0,5	1,00
0,6	0,98
0,7	0,96
0,8	0,95
0,89	0,94

Zwischenwerte können durch lineare Interpolation oder Extrapolation mit ausreichender Genauigkeit ermittelt werden.

- 2017: $\varepsilon = 1.1887 \cdot \varepsilon_n - 0.4967 \cdot \varepsilon_n^2 + 0.2452 \cdot \varepsilon_n^3$

ASTM E 1585 – 93



**Measurement of spectral normal (near-normal)
specular (directional-directional) reflectance $R_n(\lambda)$
in the wavelength range $\lambda = 5 \mu\text{m} \dots \geq 25 \mu\text{m}$ at $1 \mu\text{m}$ intervals
at $T = 294 \text{ K}$**

→

Calculation of total normal emissivity ε_n

$$\varepsilon_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{i=N} [1 - R_n(\lambda_i)] \cdot i_{\text{bb}}(\lambda_i, T) \cdot \Delta\lambda_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{i=N} i_{\text{bb}}(\lambda_i, T) \cdot \Delta\lambda_i}$$

ASTM E 1585 – 93



→ Calculation of the total hemispherical emissivity ε

- $\varepsilon_n < 0.5$: electrically conducting materials

$$\varepsilon = 1.3217 \cdot \varepsilon_n - 1.8766 \cdot \varepsilon_n^2 + 4.6586 \cdot \varepsilon_n^3 - 5.8349 \cdot \varepsilon_n^4 + 2.7406 \cdot \varepsilon_n^5$$

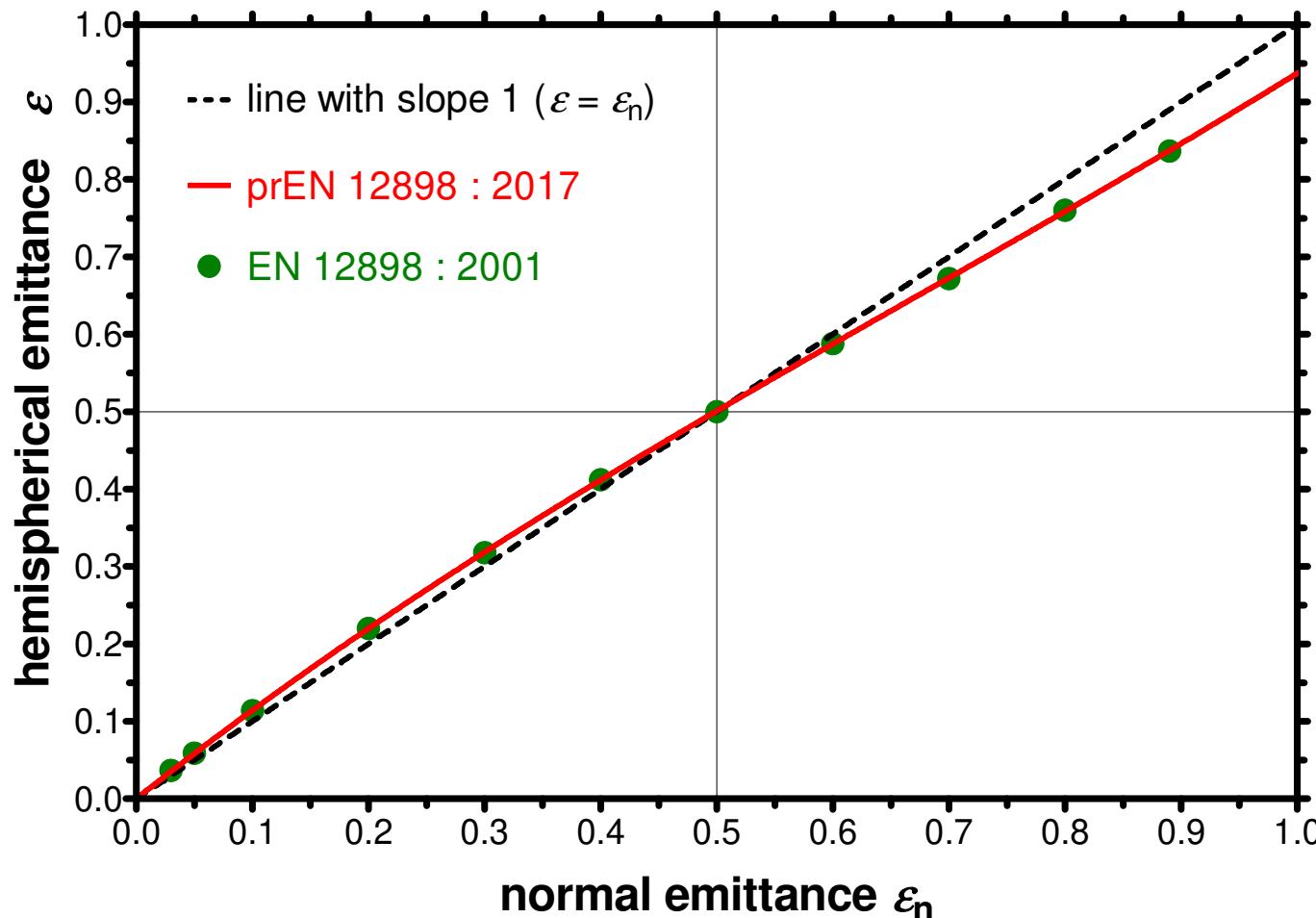
- $\varepsilon_n > 0.5$: electrically non-conducting materials

$$\varepsilon = 0.1569 \cdot \varepsilon_n + 3.7669 \cdot \varepsilon_n^2 - 5.4398 \cdot \varepsilon_n^3 + 2.4733 \cdot \varepsilon_n^4$$

Conclusions and Outlook



Correlation between normal and hemispherical emittance



Conclusions and Outlook



Calculation of the total emissivity from the spectral emissivity

- Black body fraction $F_{2\mu\text{m} - \lambda_{\max}}$: ratio of the intensity of a black body which is emitted between $\lambda = 2 \mu\text{m}$ and $\lambda = \lambda_{\max}$

$$F_{2\mu\text{m} - \lambda_{\max}} = \frac{\int_{\lambda=2\mu\text{m}}^{\lambda=\lambda_{\max}} i_{\text{bb}}(\lambda, T) \cdot d\lambda}{\sigma \cdot T^4}$$

λ_{\max}	15 μm	20 μm	25 μm	30 μm	35 μm	40 μm	45 μm	50 μm
T = 280 K	51.6 %	70.1 %	80.8 %	87.1 %	91.0 %	93.5 %	95.1 %	96.3 %
T = 290 K	54.1 %	72.0 %	82.2 %	88.1 %	91.7 %	94.0 %	95.5 %	96.6 %
T = 300 K	56.3 %	73.8 %	83.4 %	89.0 %	92.4 %	94.5 %	95.9 %	96.9 %

Conclusions and Outlook



- **determination of total hemispherical emissivity from**
 - spectral near-normal emissivity (EN 12898 and ASTM E 1585)
 - total near-normal emissivity (EN 16012 and EN 15976)
- **measurement principles**
 - spectrometric technique
 - TIR-principle (TIR = thermal infrared)
- **suggestions for further development of the standards**
 - activities within EMIRIM
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Thank you!



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