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## Plastics - Thermoplastic polyurethanes for moulding and extrusion - Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties

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