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## **Gymnastic equipment — Landing mats and surfaces for floor exercises — Determination of hardness and impact damping**

*Engins de gymnastique — Tapis de chute et surfaces pour exercices au sol — Détermination de la dureté et de l'amortissement*

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## Foreword

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