
**Paints and varnishes — Drying tests —
Part 3:
Surface-drying test using ballotini**

Peintures et vernis — Essais de séchage —

Partie 3: Essai de séchage en surface à l'aide de billes de verre



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This first edition of ISO 9117-3 cancels and replaces ISO 1517:1973, which has been technically revised. The main changes are as follows:

- a) the method has been integrated into the ISO 9117 series as Part 3, for determination of the drying of paints and varnishes;
- b) a “principle” clause has been added;
- c) text from the former introduction listing supplementary information has been integrated into the test report.

ISO 9117 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Paints and varnishes — Drying tests*:

- *Part 1: Determination of through-dry state and through-dry time*
- *Part 2: Pressure test for stackability*
- *Part 3: Surface-drying test using ballotini*

The following parts are under preparation:

- *Part 4: Test using a mechanical recorder*
- *Part 5: Modified Bandow-Wolff test*