

| WEELABEX Organisation - OFFICIAL STATEMENT | |
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| Issue ID: | 2016_005 |
| Issue Category: | Batch test |
| Issue Name: | Batch test minimum amounts of input material for small-scale treatment operators |
| Issue Description: | <p>May the minimum amounts of input material for a batch test be lower than it is defined in the Table D.1 of the EN 50625-1?</p> <p>Note: For “small-scale” or specific “data/product destruction” treatment operators treating low annual volumes of WEEE, the accumulation of minimum amounts of input material for batch processing may be extremely difficult or may be in conflict with contractual or legal requirements.</p> |
| WEELABEX Organisation Statement | <p>This statement is addressed to treatment operators treating less than 100 t of one treatment stream per year.</p> <p>Those treatment operators may perform batch tests with lower amounts than the ones defined in the Table D.1 of the EN 50625-1. The applicable minimum input batch volumes for each treatment stream are as follows:</p> <p>Large appliances</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 t or at least one-day processing in a WEEE specific medium shredder • 1-day full capacity but a minimum 1 t for manual dismantling process <p>Mixed equipment (“small appliances”)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 t or at least one-day processing in a WEEE specific medium shredder • 1-day full capacity but a minimum 1 t for manual dismantling process <p>Temperature exchange equipment (only applicable for the STEP 1 process)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-day full capacity but a minimum 1 t for STEP 1 process <p>CRT display appliances</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 t or at least 100 units for manual dismantling process <p>Flat panel display equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 t or at least 100 units for manual dismantling process <p>Photovoltaic panels</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 t or at least one-day processing in a WEEE specific medium shredder • 1-day full capacity but a minimum 1 t for manual dismantling process |
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