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### ANNEX VIII

# SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

### CHAPTER IV

## **Discontinuous Totalisers**

#### 1. **Accuracy Classes**

Instruments are divided into four accuracy classes as follows: 0,2; 0,5; 1; 2.

#### 2. **MPEs**

TABLE 6

Accuracy class	MPE of totalised load
0,2	± 0,10 %
0,5	± 0,25 %
1	± 0,50 %
2	± 1,00 %

#### 3. **Totalisation scale interval**

The totalisation scale interval (d<sub>t</sub>) shall be in the range:

 $0.01 \% \text{ Max} \le d_t \le 0.2 \% \text{ Max}$ 

#### 4. Minimum Totalised Load ( $\Sigma_{min}$ )

The minimum totalised load ( $\Sigma_{min}$ ) shall be not less than the load at which the MPE is equal to the totalisation scale interval (d<sub>t</sub>) and not less than the minimum load as specified by the manufacturer.

#### 5. **Zero Setting**

Instruments that do not tare weigh after each discharge shall have a zero setting device. Automatic operation shall be inhibited if zero indication varies by:

- 1 d<sub>t</sub> on instruments with automatic zero setting device;
- 0,5 d<sub>t</sub> on instruments with a semi-automatic, or non-automatic, zero setting device.

### 6. **Operator Interface**

Operator adjustments and reset function shall be inhibited during automatic operation.

#### 7. **Printout**

On instruments equipped with a printing device, the reset of the total shall be inhibited until the total is printed. The printout of the total shall occur if automatic operation is interrupted.

#### 8. Performance under influence factors and electromagnetic disturbances

8.1. The MPEs due to influence factors shall be as specified in Table 7.

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Table 7	
Load (m) in totalisation scale intervals $(d_t)$	MPE
$0 < m \le 500$	$\pm$ 0,5 d <sub>t</sub>
$500 < m \le 2000$	$\pm$ 1,0 d <sub>t</sub>
2 000 < m ≤ 10 000	$\pm$ 1,5 d <sub>t</sub>

8.2. The critical change value due to a disturbance is one totalisation scale interval for any weight indication and any stored total.