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## UNIT WEIGHT OF CONCRETE

Perform tests in accordance with ASTM C138.

Perform calibrations in accordance with ASTM C29 with the following permitted as an alternate:

- 1. Perform the initial calibration in accordance with ASTM C29.
- 2. Perform subsequent calibrations using the following calculation:

$$V = 3.141593 (D^2) (H)$$
  
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 $V = Volume (ft^3)$ 

D = Average bucket inside diameter (in.)

H = Average inside height of bucket (in.)

NOTE: Two (2) measurements shall be taken for each dimension ( $90^{\circ}$  apart) and averaged. Measurements shall be made with a caliper and recorded to three decimal places.

- 3. If the volume from calculation differs from the original calibration by .005 ft<sup>3</sup> or more use the calibration described in ASTM C29.
- 4. If the bucket is out of round, has gouges or build up of concrete, correct or replace the bucket. Perform a new calibration in accordance with ASTM C29.

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