

9 Statement of results

9.1 Tables and curves

The evaluated reverberation times for each frequency of measurement shall be stated in a table. The result may also be plotted in the form of a graph.

In the case of a graph, either straight lines connecting the points or a bar graph should be used. The abscissa shall present frequency on a logarithmic scale, while the ordinate shall use either a linear time scale with an origin of zero, or a logarithmic scale. The nominal mid-band frequencies for octave bands according to IEC 61260 should be marked on the frequency axis.

In the table and graph it shall be clearly stated whether T_{20} or T_{30} is used for the reverberation time.

9.2 Test report

The test report shall include at least the following information:

- a) a statement that the measurements were made in conformity with this part of ISO 3382;
- b) all information necessary to uniquely identify the room tested;
- c) sketch plan of the room, with an indication of the scale;
- d) volume of the room;

NOTE If the room is not completely enclosed, an explanation shall be given of how the stated volume is defined.

- e) condition of the room (furniture, number of persons present, etc.);
- f) for the precision method only, the temperature and relative humidity in the room during the measurement;
- g) type of sound source;
- h) a description of the sound signal used;
- i) degree of precision (survey, engineering or precision) including details of the source- and microphone-positions, preferably shown on a plan together with an indication of the heights of the positions;
- j) description of measuring apparatus and the microphones;
- k) method used for evaluation of the decay curves, either computed least-squares best fit or a visual best fit (Clause 6);
- l) method used for averaging the result in each position (5.2.2);
- m) method used for averaging the result over the positions (Clause 8);
- n) table with the measuring results;
- o) date of measurement and name of the measuring organisation.