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STANDARD TAR VISCOMETER AZA0952

The AZA0952 Standard Tar Viscometer from AZALAB is a robust and widely adopted laboratory instrument designed for the empirical determination of viscosity of cut-back bitumen, road oils, and other fluid bituminous materials.

Viscosity is a critical parameter governing the handling, sprayability, penetration, and coating efficiency of bituminous binders in road construction. The AZA0952 provides a simple, reliable, and standardized efflux-time method, making it indispensable for civil engineering laboratories, asphalt plants, and highway quality control applications.

Key Functional Features

Thermally Efficient Bath Design

- Chrome-plated copper construction
- Uniform heating and long service life

Precision Orifice System

- Accurate and repeatable flow measurement
- Multiple orifice options for different viscosity ranges

Stable Temperature Control

- Electric heating with fine control
- Suitable for all standard testing temperatures

Uniform Heat Distribution

- Supplied with insulated stirrer
- Maintains consistent bath temperature





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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Parameter	Specification
Model	AZA0952
Test Method	Empirical viscosity by efflux time
Applications	Cut-back bitumen, road oils
Bath Material	Chrome-plated copper (SS optional)
Heating Method	Electric immersion heater
Temperature Control	Dimmer stat / Digital controller
Temperature Range	25°C, 40°C, 55°C (up to ~100°C)
Test Cup Material	Brass / Stainless steel
Orifice Sizes	10 mm (standard), 4 mm (optional)
Valve Type	Ball valve
Stirrer	Insulated handle
Test Volume	~50 mL
Power Supply	230 V AC, 50 Hz
Timing	External stopwatch

Standards & Compliance

The AZA0952 is designed in accordance with:

- BIS practices for empirical viscosity testing
- IP 72 / BS 2000 methods
- Widely accepted MoRTH specifications (India)