Table B.1 — Dimensions of test pieces

Dimensions in millimetres

Test piece type	Width	Original gauge length	Parallel length $L_{ m C}$		Free length between the grips for parallel sided test piece
		L_{o}	Minimum	Recommended	·
1	12,5 ± 1	50	57	75	87,5
2	20 ± 1	80	90	120	140
3	25 ± 1	50 ^a	60 ^a	_	Not defined

^a The ratio L_0/b_0 and L_c/b_0 of a type 3 test piece in comparison to one of types 1 and 2 is very low. As a result the properties, especially the elongation after fracture (absolute value and scatter range), measured with this test piece will be different from the other test piece types.