

Methods of test for

Paints —

**Part D11: Determination of contrast
ratio (opacity) of light-coloured paints
at a fixed spreading rate**

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