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**Comparison of American, British and German Sieves
commonly used in Cement Industry**

Aperature mms	Aperature inches	B.S.S. BS 410	U.S. ASA	GERMAN DIN 4188
6.3	0.248			6.3
5	0.1969			5
4	0.157		5	4
2.5	0.0985			2.5
2	0.0787	8	10	2
1.68	0.0661	10	12	
1.4	0.0551	12		
1.25	0.0492			1.25
1	0.0394	16	18	1
microns				
841	0.0331		20	
800	0.0315			0.8
707	0.0278		25	
630	0.0248			0.63
600	0.0236	25		
500	0.0197	30	30	0.5
400	0.0158			0.4
354	0.0139		45	
300	0.0118	52		
250	0.01	60	60	0.25
210	0.0083	72	70	
200	0.0079			0.2
150	0.0059	100	100	
100	0.0039			0.1
90	0.0035	170	170	0.09
74-75	0.0029	200	200	
71	0.0028			0.071
63	0.0025	240	230	0.063
53	0.0021	300	270	
50	0.002			0.05
45	0.0018	350		0.045
44	0.0017		325	
39				0.04
37	0.0015		400	

$$\begin{aligned}1 \text{ DIN} &= 36 \text{ mesh/cm}^2 \\0.25 \text{ DIN} &= 576 \text{ mesh/cm}^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}0.2 \text{ DIN} &= 900 \text{ mesh/cm}^2 \\0.09 \text{ DIN} &= 4900 \text{ mesh/cm}^2\end{aligned}$$

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