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- a) new definition of **working point**, see 3.19;
- b) new definition for **lowest setting** and **automatic setting**, see 3.17 and 3.18;
- c) revised requirements for installation and positioning, see 6.2;
- d) added a normative reference ISO 5801 for the specification of the pressure compensation chamber, see Clause 10;
- e) separate clauses for determining the volumetric airflow and fluid dynamic efficiency, see Clauses 10 and 11;
- f) new approach for determining the fluid dynamic efficiency ("9-point calculation");

- g) new definitions, new clause and new Annex B regarding the measurement of low-power modes;
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COOKING FUME EXTRACTORS – METHODS FOR MEASURING PERFORMANCE

1 Scope

This document applies to **cooking fume extractors** incorporating a fan for the **recirculation** or **extraction mode** situated in a household kitchen.

It can also be used for **cooking fume extractors** where the fan is mounted separately from the appliance, but controlled by the appliance when the fan is defined in the technical documentation (e.g. name plate data) and instructions for installation.

This document deals also with **down-draft systems** arranged beside, behind or under the cooking appliance.

This document defines the main performance characteristics of these appliances, which are of interest to the user, and specifies methods for measuring these characteristics.

This document does not specify a classification or ranking for performance.

NOTE 1 This document does not deal with safety requirements that are in accordance with IEC 60335-1 and IEC 60335-2-31.

NOTE 2 **Cooking fume extractors** without fans operated by a central ventilation system are covered in EN 13141-3.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60584-1, *Thermocouples – Part 1: EMF specifications and tolerances*

IEC 60704-2-13, *Household and similar electrical appliances – Test code for the determination of airborne acoustical noise – Part 2-13: Particular requirements for range hoods and other cooking fume extractors*

IEC 60751, *Industrial platinum resistance thermometers and platinum temperature sensors*

IEC 62301:2011, *Household electrical appliances – Measurement of standby power*

IEC 63474:—¹, *Electrical and electronic household and office equipment – Measurement of networked standby power consumption of edge equipment*

ISO 5167-1, *Measurement of fluid flow by means of pressure differential devices inserted in circular cross-section conduits running full – Part 1: General principles and requirements*

ISO 5167-2, *Measurement of fluid flow by means of pressure differential devices inserted in circular cross-section conduits running full – Part 2: Orifice plates*

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ISO 5167-3, *Measurement of fluid flow by means of pressure differential devices inserted in circular cross-section conduits running full – Part 3: Nozzles and Venturi nozzles*

ISO 5167-4, *Measurement of fluid flow by means of pressure differential devices inserted in circular cross-section conduits running full – Part 4: Venturi tubes*

ISO 5801:2017, *Fans – Performance testing using standardized airways*

ISO 80000-1:2009, *Quantities and units – Part 1: General*

3 Terms and definitions

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3.1

active mode

mode in which the appliance is connected to a mains power source, has been activated, and is performing any of the intended functions

EXAMPLE Intended functions are running the fan or operating the lighting system.

Note 1 to entry: Associated activities include displaying information, software download, sensor controlled automatic mode and communication with the hob.

3.2

cooking fume extractor

CFE

appliance with fan and filter intended to collect and treat cooking fumes, which can be operated in **recirculation mode** or **extraction mode**

3.3

range hood

cooking fume extractor installed over a cooking appliance

3.3.1

wall range hood

range hood mounted to the wall

3.3.2

island range hood

range hood mounted to the ceiling

3.3.3

ceiling range hood

range hood integrated onto or into the ceiling

3.3.4

built-in range hood

range hood mounted onto or into a cabinet

3.4
microwave hood combination
cooking fume extractor integrated in a microwave oven

3.5
multiple combination hood
cooking fume extractor where the fan is mounted separately of the appliance, but controlled by the appliance

3.6
down-draft system
cooking fume extractor intended for installation adjacent to a cooking appliance or integrated in a cooking appliance that draws vapour down into a duct

Note 1 to entry: A **down-draft system** can also be a system where the fan is mounted separately from the appliance but controlled by the appliance.

3.7
recirculation mode
mode of a **cooking fume extractor** that discharges air back into the room, which includes an **odour-reduction filter**

3.8
extraction mode
vented mode
ducted mode
mode of a **cooking fume extractor** that discharges the air to the outside of the building by means of ducting

Note 1 to entry: **Extraction mode** is also known as "vented mode" or "ducted mode".

3.9
rated voltage
voltage assigned to the **cooking fume extractor** by the manufacturer

3.10
grease absorption factor
 G_{FE}
percentage of grease retained within a **grease filter**

3.11
grease filter
components for absorbing grease, which are intended to be replaced or removed for cleaning without tools

3.12
odour-reduction filter
components for reducing odour

3.13
odour reduction factor
capability of the **cooking fume extractor** to reduce odours

3.14
odour dispersion time
time taken to reduce odours to a defined level after the odour generating source has been switched off

3.15**highest continuous setting for normal use**

control setting of **cooking fume extractor** at highest speed, excluding the **boost position setting**

Note 1 to entry: Marked setting on the appliance, which is described in the instructions for use.

3.16**boost position setting**

marked control setting at maximum fan speed, which is automatically limited in duration

Note 1 to entry: Marked setting on the appliance, which is described in the instructions for use.

3.17**lowest setting**

marked control setting at which the **cooking fume extractor** operates at its lowest speed

3.18**automatic setting**

control setting of **cooking fume extractor** where the fan speed is altered by a sensor or time

Note 1 to entry: Automatic settings are not used for calculation of the fluid dynamic efficiency (FDE).

3.19**working point**

WP

intersection point of pressure/airflow curve and resistance curve – measured *WP* and compensated to reference air density WP_C

3.20**lighting system**

devices used for the illumination of the cooking surface, excluding ambient illumination unless there is only one control switch

Note 1 to entry: Power supply units and controllers are included.

3.21**illumination**

E_{middle}

average illumination of the **lighting system** on the cooking surface, measured in lux, under standard conditions

3.22**network**

communication infrastructure with a topology of links, an architecture and which includes the physical components, organizational principles, communication procedures and formats (protocols)

Note 1 to entry: An infrared (IR) remote control is not considered to be a **network**.

3.23**off mode**

condition in which the appliance is connected to the mains and is not providing any active mode or standby function and where the mode may persist for an indefinite time

Note 1 to entry: The following shall also be considered as off mode

- a) conditions providing only an indication of off mode;
- b) conditions providing only functionalities intended to ensure electromagnetic compatibility.

3.24

standby mode

condition where the appliance is connected to the mains and provides only the following functions, which may persist for an indefinite time:

- a) reactivation function, or reactivation function and a mere indication of enabled reactivation function; and/or
- b) information or status display; and/or
- c) detection function for emergency measures.

3.25

standby mode in condition of networked standby

condition where the appliance is connected to the mains and provides only the reactivation function through a connection to a **network**, which may persist for an indefinite time.

Note 1 to entry: This mode is only applicable to appliances that provide a connection function to a **network**.

4 Classification

According to the mode:

- **recirculation mode**;
- **extraction mode**.

A **cooking fume extractor** can be constructed to incorporate both modes.

5 List of measurements

Performance is determined by assessing the following:

- overall dimensions;
- **mass**;
- power measurement of low-power modes;
- airborne acoustical noise;
- volumetric airflow;
- fluid dynamic efficiency;
- effectiveness and electric power input of the **lighting system**;
- ability to reduce odours;
- ability to absorb grease.

6 General conditions for measurements

6.1 Test room

The tests are carried out in a draught-free room. The ambient temperature of the room is maintained at (23 ± 2) °C. The absolute air pressure shall be between 91,3 kPa and 106,3 kPa.

6.2 Installation and positioning

The appliance has to be clean and free of any residues of packaging material and protective foil.

All tests have to be carried out following the order of the clauses of this document with one and the same appliance.

The **cooking fume extractor** (except for the **down-draft system**) is installed above a cooking appliance with the distance of (600 ± 10) mm. The distance is determined between the lowest level of the **cooking fume extractor** and the highest level of the cooking appliance.

Any pull-out or swing-out mechanism that can be opened to a position for normal use in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions shall be opened during all tests. Positions that are for cleaning and maintenance purposes only shall be not considered. If the manufacturer's instruction does not state any information, the pull-out or swing-out mechanism shall be completely closed.

The position for the pull-out or swing-out mechanism shall be maintained unchanged for all tests except low power mode measurements in Clause 8.

If the **down-draft system** can be elevated, the manufacturer's instructions are followed; otherwise, it shall be measured in its maximum elevated position for use.

If there are different options delivered with the **CFE**, then, for all tests, the air outlet with its properties closest to a theoretical resistance curve for a flue pipe with $b = 0,000\ 125$ shall be used. This setup shall be kept for all measurements described in this document.

NOTE More information for b is given in Table 3.

All tests, except the measurements for low-power modes (see Clause 8), are carried out:

- with the default factory settings except adjusting extraction or recirculation mode, if necessary;
- ensure that no **network** is connected to the appliance for the duration of the measurement.

Before the measurement is made, any conditioning of the **CFE**, unless explicitly required in this document, is not allowed.

Ensure that any **automatic settings** are switched off.

6.3 Electricity supply

The **cooking fume extractor** is supplied at the **rated voltage** ± 1 %. The supply voltage shall be recorded at the point where the appliance is connected to the mains supply during all tests. If the appliance has a **rated voltage** range, the tests are carried out at the nominal voltage of the country where the appliance is intended to be used.

The supply frequency shall be at the rated frequency ± 1 % throughout the test. If a frequency range is indicated, then the test frequency shall be that of the nominal frequency of the country in which the appliance is intended to be used.

6.4 Filters

For all tests, it shall be ensured that all filters are positioned correctly.

For appliances with more than one **grease filter**, the filters shall be positioned with no gap in between (centrally positioned).

6.5 Fan control

Cooking fume extractors shall be tested in the **highest continuous setting for normal use**, as stated in the manufacturer's instructions.

6.6 Instrumentation and measurements

Instruments used and measurements made for this document shall comply with the specifications in Table 1 and Table 2. The accuracy is applied to the measured value.

Table 1 – Instruments

Parameter	Unit	Minimum resolution	Accuracy	Additional requirements
Mass	g	0,1 g	±0,5 g	
Temperature	°C	0,1 °C	±1,5 K	Thermocouple type J or K in accordance with IEC 60584-1 or PT100 sensor in accordance with IEC 60751.
Time	s	1 s	±1 s	
Power	W	-	±1 %	
Illuminance	lx	-	±10 %	Value under consideration – International standard about illuminance classification is pending.
Pressure/Air pressure	Pa	-	±1 %	The accuracy is for pressures ≤ 150 Pa and at least 1,5 Pa.

Table 2 – Measurements

Parameter	Unit	Accuracy	Additional requirements
Voltage	V	±0,5 %	-
Volumetric airflow	m ³ /h	±2 %	
Power measurement		-	In accordance with IEC 62301

If numbers have to be rounded, they shall be rounded to the nearest number in accordance with ISO 80000-1:2009, Clause B.3, Rule B. If the rounding takes place to the right of the comma, the omitted places shall not be filled with zeros.

The tolerances specified for parameters within this document, using the symbol "±", indicate the allowable limits of variation from the specified targets outside which the test or results shall be invalid. The statement of tolerance shall not be used for deliberate variation of these specified targets.

7 Dimensions and mass

7.1 Overall dimensions

The overall dimensions of the **cooking fume extractor** are measured. The longest width, depth and height, including any control knobs or other projections, are stated in millimetres rounded to 10 mm. If dimensions are variable while the **cooking fume extractor** is operated in normal use, then the minimum and maximum sizes are stated.

For **cooking fume extractors** with **extraction mode**, the dimensions of the air-outlet orifice are measured and stated.