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# **Foreword**

This document (FprEN 12758:2010) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 129 "Glass in building", the secretariat of which is held by NBN.

This document is currently submitted to the Unique Acceptance Procedure.

This document has been prepared under a mandate given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association, and supports essential requirements of EC Directive(s).

# 1 Scope

This European Standard assigns sound insulation values to all transparent, translucent and opaque glass products, described in the European Standards for basic, special basic or processed glass products, when intended to be used in glazed assemblies in buildings, and which exhibit properties of acoustic protection, either as a prime intention or as a supplementary characteristic.

This document outlines the procedure, by which glass products may be rated, according to their acoustic performance which enables assessment of compliance with the acoustic requirements of buildings.

Rigorous technical analysis of measurement data remains an option, but this standard is intended to enable the derivation of simpler indices of performance, which can be adopted with confidence by non-specialists.

By adopting the principles of this standard the formulation of acoustic requirements in Building Codes and for product specification to satisfy particular needs for glazing is simplified.

It is recognised that the acoustic test procedures contained within EN ISO 140-1 and EN ISO 140-3 relate only to glass panes and their combinations. Although the same principles should be followed as closely as possible, it is inevitable that some compromises are necessary, because of the bulkier construction of other glazing types, e.g. glass blocks, paver units, channel-shaped glass, structural glazing and structural sealant glazing. Guidelines on how to adapt the test procedures for these glazing types are offered in Clause 4.

All the considerations of this standard relate to panes of glass/glazing alone. Incorporation of them into windows may cause changes in acoustic performance as a result of other influences, e.g. frame design, frame material, glazing material/method, mounting method, air tightness, etc. Measurements of the sound insulation of complete windows (glass and frame) may be undertaken to resolve such issues.

# 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

EN 572-1, Glass in building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 1: Definitions and general physical and mechanical properties

EN 572-2, Glass in Building — Basic soda lime slicate glass products — Part 2: Float glass

EN 572-3, Glass in Building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 3: Polished wired glass

EN 572-4, Glass in building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 4: Drawn sheet glass

EN 572-5, Glass in Building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 5: Patterned glass

EN 572-6, Glass in building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 6: Wired patterned glass

EN 572-7, Glass in Building — Basic soda lime silicate glass products — Part 7: Wired or unwired channel shaped glass

EN 1051-1, Glass in building — Glass blocks and glass pavers — Part 1: Definitions and description

EN 1096-1, Glass in building — Coated glass — Part 1: Definitions and classification

EN 1279-1, Glass in Building — Insulating glass units — Part 1: Generalities, dimensional tolerances and rules for the system description

- EN 1748-1-1, Glass in building Special basic products Borosilicate glasses Part 1-1: Definition and general physical and mechanical properties
- EN 1748-2-1, Glass in building Special basic products Glass ceramics Part 2-1 Definitions and general physical and mechanical properties
- EN 1863-1, Glass in building Heat strengthened soda lime silicate glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN 12150-1, Glass in building Thermally toughened soda lime silicate safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN 12337-1, Glass in building Chemically strengthened soda lime silicate glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN 13024-1, Glass in building Thermally toughened borosilicate safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN 14178-1, Glass in building Basic alkaline earth silicate glass products Part 1: Float glass
- EN 14179-1, Glass in building Heat soaked thermally toughened soda lime silicate safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN 14321-1, Glass in building Thermally toughened alkaline earth silicate safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- prEN 15681-1, Glass in building Basic alumino silicate glass products Part 1: Definitions and general physical and mechanical properties
- prEN 15682-1, Glass in building Heat soaked thermally toughened alkaline earth silicate safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- prEN 15683-1, Glass in building Thermally toughened soda lime silicate channel shaped safety glass Part 1: Definition and description
- EN ISO 140-1:1997, Acoustics Measurement of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements Part 1: Requirements for laboratory test facilities with suppressed flanking transmission (ISO 140-1:1997)
- EN ISO 140-3:1995, Acoustics Measurement of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements Part 3: Laboratory measurements of airborne sound insulation of building elements (ISO 140-3:1995)
- EN ISO 717-1:1996, Acoustics Rating of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements Part 1: Airborne sound insulation (ISO 717-1:1996)
- EN ISO 12543-1, Glass in building Laminated glass and laminated safety glass Part 1: Definitions and description of component parts (ISO 12543-1:1998)
- EN ISO 12543-2, Glass in building Laminated glass and laminated safety glass Part 2: Laminated safety glass (ISO 12543-2:1998)
- EN ISO 12543-3, Glass in building Laminated glass and laminated safety glass Part 3: Laminated glass (ISO 12543-3:1998)
- EN ISO 12543-5, Glass in building Laminated glass and laminated safety glass Part 5: Dimensions and edge finishing (ISO 12543-5:1998)

ISO 140-2:1991, Acoustics — Measurement of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements — Part 2: Determination, verification and application of precision data

ISO 16940, Glass in building — Glazing and airborne sound insulation — Measurement of the mechanical impedance of laminated glass

# 3 Terms, definitions and symbols

## 3.1 Terms

#### 3.1.1

#### glass product

product manufactured from glass, i.e. basic glass, special basic glass, processed glass, for use in buildings/constructions

NOTE See Clause 4.

#### 3.1.2

## glazed assembly

combination of frame/support and glass product used for the determination of the acoustic performance

- NOTE 1 The following are examples of such assemblies:
  - 1) Glass block walls;
  - 2) Paver unit panels;
  - 3) Channel shaped glass panels, single or dual glazed;
  - 4) Structural sealant glazing;
  - 5) Structural assemblies.
- NOTE 2 The dimensions of glass blocks, paver units and channel shaped glass do not allow them to be subjected to the standard test regime.
- NOTE 3 Structural sealant glazing: is a 'frameless' glazing system that uses structural sealant to restrain the glazing. This method of restraint will influence the acoustic performance of the glass product.
- NOTE 4 Structural assemblies consist of glass products that are connected by bolted metal fittings to one another and to structural supports, e.g. fin, etc.

## 3.2 Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the definitions in EN ISO 140-1:1997 and -3:1995, ISO 140-2:1991 and EN ISO 717-1:1996 together with the following apply:

# 3.2.1

# single glazing

single pane of glass, that includes annealed, strengthened/toughened (by heat or chemical treatment), laminated/laminated safety and coated glasses, that is glazed into an opening

# 3.2.2

# multiple glazing

two or more panes of glass that are separated by cavities either sealed or unsealed

NOTE 1 Multiple glazing incorporating hermetically sealed cavities, e.g. double glazing, triple glazing, etc., and are known as Insulating Glass Units.