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Foreword

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According to EN 13384-2:2003 + A1:2009 the following fundamental changes are given:

- editorial mistakes have been corrected;
- mistakes in equations have been corrected;
- characteristic values for heating appliances for solid fuel and for liquid fuels in annex B have been adapted to actual data;
- for the mixture of fuels a clarification about the rise of the dew point has been added;
- for non-concentric ducts the calculation of the mean temperature of the air supply has been amended;
- the process for iteration for appliances with low impact of the pressure to the flue gas mass flow (e.g. CHP with combustion engine) has been simplified;

This standard is one of a series of standards prepared by CEN/TC 166 comprising product standards and execution standards for chimneys.

Introduction

The calculation described in this standard is complex and is intended to be solved by using a computer programme. The general principles of this calculation method of prEN 13384-1 also apply to this standard.

This standard is in support of the execution standards for a chimney installation serving more than one heating appliance.

The execution standard identifies limitations and safety considerations associated with the design, installation, commissioning and maintenance of a chimney serving more than one heating appliance (not dealt within the calculation method).

This European Standard “Chimneys — Thermal and fluid dynamic calculation methods” consists of three Parts:

- Part 1: Chimneys serving one heating appliance
- Part 2: Chimneys with multiple inlets and one inlet with multiple appliances
- Part 3: Methods for the development of diagrams and tables for chimneys serving one heating appliance

1 Scope

This part of EN 13384 specifies methods for calculation of the thermal and fluid dynamic characteristics of chimneys serving more than one heating appliance.

This part of EN 13384 covers both the cases, either

- 1) where the chimney is connected with more than one connecting flue pipe from individual or several appliances in a multi-inlet arrangement or
- 2) where the chimney is connected with an individual connecting flue pipe connecting more than one appliance in a cascade arrangement.

The case of multiple inlet cascade arrangement is covered by the case (1).

This part of EN 13384 deals with chimneys operating under negative pressure conditions (there can be positive pressure condition in the connecting flue pipe) and with chimneys operating under positive pressure conditions and is valid for chimneys serving heating appliances for liquid, gaseous and solid fuels.

This part of EN 13384 does not apply to:

- chimneys with different thermal resistance or different cross-section in the various chimney segments. This part does not apply to calculate energy gain.
- chimneys with open fire places, e.g. open fire chimneys or chimney inlets which are normally intended to operate open to the room
- chimneys which serve different kinds of heating appliances regarding natural draught, fan assisted, forced draught or combustion engine. Fan assisted appliances with draught diverter between the fan and the chimney are considered as natural draught appliances.
- chimneys with multiple inlets from more than 5 storeys. (This does not apply to balanced flue chimney.)
- chimneys serving heating appliances with open air supply through ventilation openings or air ducts, which are not installed in the same air supply pressure region (e.g. same side of building).

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For positive pressure chimneys this part only applies if any heating appliance which is out of action can be positively isolated to prevent flue gas back flow.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 1443:2003, Chimneys — General requirements

prEN 13384-1, Chimneys — Thermal and fluid dynamic calculation methods — Part 1: Chimneys serving one appliance

EN 15287-1:2007+A1:2010, Chimneys — Design, installation and commissioning of chimneys — Part 1: Chimneys for non-roomsealed heating appliances

EN 15287-2:2008, Chimneys — Design, installation and commissioning of chimneys — Part 2: Chimneys for roomsealed appliances

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 1443:2003, prEN 13384-1:2013, EN 15287-1:2010, EN 15287-2:2008 and the following apply.

3.1 chimney segment
part of a chimney between two consecutive flue gas connections or between the last flue gas connection and the chimney outlet

3.2 collector segment
part of a connecting flue pipe between two consecutive flue gas connections or between the last flue gas connection and the chimney inlet

3.3 air-flue gas system
system of concentric or non concentric ducts or parallel ducts for transport of combustion air from the open air to the heating appliances and products of combustion from the heating appliances to the open air

3.4 flue gas mass flow (\dot{m})
mass of the flue gas leaving the heating appliance through the connecting flue pipe per unit of time

In case of a chimney serving more than one heating appliance, the air being transported through an appliance which is out of action is also given the term flue gas mass flow.

3.4.1 declared flue gas mass flow ($\dot{m}_{w,j}$)
flue gas mass flow given by the manufacturer of the heating appliance j with respect to the heat output used in the calculation

3.4.2**calculated flue gas mass flow ($\dot{m}_{wc,j}$)**

flue gas mass flow calculated with respect to calculated draught and the working conditions of the heating appliance j

3.5**calculated flue gas temperature ($T_{wc,j}$)**

flue gas temperature at the outlet of the heating appliance j depending on the calculated flue gas mass flow

3.6**calculated draught of the flue gas of the heating appliance ($P_{wc,j}$)**

draught at the flue gas outlet of the heating appliance j depending on the calculated flue gas mass flow

3.7**flue damper**

device to close or partially close the flue

3.8**balanced flue chimney**

chimney where the point of air entry to the combustion air duct is adjacent to the point of discharge of combustion products from the flue, the inlet and outlet being so positioned that wind effects are substantially balanced

3.9**cascade arrangement**

arrangement where two or more appliances situated in the same space are connected by a common connecting flue pipe to the chimney

3.10**multi inlet arrangement**

arrangement where two or more appliances are connected to the chimney by individual connecting flue pipes

3.11**air duct**

independent duct in a building or a structural part of a flue terminal conveying combustion air to a room-sealed appliance

3.12**pressure equalising opening**

opening or duct that directly connects the air duct with the flue at its base

4 Symbols and abbreviations

Symbols, terminology and units are given to make the text of this standard understandable, although a part of them is already listed in prEN 13384-1. Indices added to symbols for purposes of the calculation method for chimneys serving more than one heating appliance relate to one chimney segment and/or connection flue pipe section. An example of an indices numbering scheme is given in Figures 1 and 2. Indices numbering shall begin at the lowest, farthest appliance connection. For more than one cascade system/connection, the indices numbering scheme for the calculation equation should be adopted in a similar manner to that for a single cascade scheme. Symbols assigned to a specific section will be indicated by the number of the section after the comma (e. g. $H_{1,1}$ is the effective height of a section of a chimney segment between the outlet of the connecting flue pipe of the heating appliance in the lowest position and the outlet of the connecting flue pipe of the next heating appliance).

Table 1 — Symbols, terminology, units

| Symbol | Terminology | Unit |
|------------------|---|--|
| A | cross sectional area of the chimney | m^2 |
| c_p | specific heat capacity of flue gas | $\text{J}/(\text{kg} \cdot \text{K})$ |
| D | diameter | m |
| D_h | hydraulic diameter | m |
| g | acceleration due to gravity = 9,81 | m/s^2 |
| H_j | effective height of the chimney segment j | m |
| $H_{V,j}$ | effective height of the connecting flue pipe j | m |
| $K_{,j}$ | coefficient of cooling of the chimney segment j | — |
| k_j | coefficient of heat transmission of the chimney segment j | $\text{W}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{K})$ |
| $k_{ob,j}$ | coefficient of heat transmission at upper end of the chimney segment j | $\text{W}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{K})$ |
| $K_{V,j}$ | coefficient of cooling of the connecting flue pipe j | — |
| L_j | length of the chimney segment j | m |
| $\dot{m}_{,j}$ | flue gas mass flow in the chimney segment j | kg/s |
| $\dot{m}_{V,j}$ | flue gas mass flow in the connecting flue pipe j | kg/s |
| $\dot{m}_{W,j}$ | declared flue gas mass flow of the heating appliance j | kg/s |
| $\dot{m}_{Wc,j}$ | calculated flue gas mass flow of the heating appliance j | kg/s |
| N | number of heating appliances serving the chimney | — |
| Nu | Nusselt number | — |
| $Q_{\min,j}$ | minimum heat output of the heating appliance j | kW |
| $Q_{N,j}$ | nominal heat output of the heating appliance j | kW |
| $P_{B,j}$ | pressure resistance of the air supply j of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Bc,j}$ | calculated pressure resistance of the air supply of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{H,j}$ | theoretical draught available due to chimney effect in chimney segment j | Pa |
| P_L | wind velocity pressure | Pa |
| p_L | external air pressure | Pa |
| $P_{R,j}$ | pressure resistance of the chimney segment j | Pa |
| Pr | Prandtl number | — |
| $P_{V,j}$ | calculated pressure resistance of the connecting flue pipe j | Pa |
| $P_{W,j}$ | minimum draught for the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Wc,j}$ | calculated draught of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{W\max,j}$ | maximum draught for the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Wo,j}$ | maximum differential pressure of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Woc,j}$ | calculated positive differential pressure of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Womin,j}$ | minimum differential pressure of the heating appliance j | Pa |
| $P_{Z,j}$ | draught at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{Z,\min,j}$ | minimum draught at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{Z\max,j}$ | maximum draught at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |

Table 2 (continued)

| Symbol | Terminology | Unit |
|---------------------|--|------------------------|
| $P_{Ze,j}$ | minimum draught required at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{Zemax,j}$ | maximum allowed draught at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{ZO,j}$ | maximum positive pressure at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{ZOmin,j}$ | minimum positive pressure at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{ZOe,j}$ | maximum differential pressure at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| $P_{ZOemin,j}$ | minimum differential pressure at the flue gas inlet into the chimney segment j | Pa |
| R | gas constant of the flue gas | J/(kg · K) |
| r | mean value for roughness of the inner wall | m |
| Re | Reynolds number | — |
| R_L | gas constant of the air | J/(kg · K) |
| S_E | flow safety coefficient | — |
| S_H | correction factor-of temperature instability | — |
| $T_{e,j}$ | flue gas temperature at the inlet of the chimney segment j | K |
| $T_{g,j}$ | temperature limit of the chimney segment j | K |
| $T_{iob,j}$ | inner wall temperature at the outlet-of chimney segment j at temperature equilibrium | K |
| T_L | external air temperature | K |
| $T_{m,j}$ | mean temperature of the flue gas in the chimney segment j | K |
| $T_{o,j}$ | flue gas temperature at the outlet of the chimney segment j | K |
| $T_{u,j}$ | ambient air temperature of the chimney segment j | K |
| $T_{W,j}$ | declared flue gas temperature of the heating appliance j | K |
| $T_{Wc,j}$ | calculated flue gas temperature of the heating appliance j | K |
| U | internal circumference of the chimney | m |
| $w_{m,j}$ | mean velocity over the length and over the cross section of the chimney segment j | m/s |
| α_i | internal coefficient of heat transfer of the flue | W/(m ² · K) |
| γ | angle between flow directions e. g. between connecting flue pipe and the chimney segment | Deg |
| η | dynamic viscosity | N · s/m ² |
| $\frac{1}{\lambda}$ | thermal resistance | m ² · K/W |
| λ | coefficient of thermal conductivity | W/(m · K) |
| $\rho_{m,j}$ | density of flue gas averaged over the length and over the cross section of the chimney segment j | kg/m ³ |
| ψ | coefficient of flow resistance due to friction of the flue | — |
| ζ | coefficient of flow resistance due to a directional and/or cross sectional and/or mass flow change in the flue | — |

5 Calculation method

5.1 General principles

The calculation is based upon determining the mass flow distribution in the chimney which fulfils the pressure equilibrium condition (Equation (1)) at each flue gas inlet to the chimney (see Figure 1). After such a distribution has been found four requirements shall be verified:

- 1) the mass flow requirement (Equations (4) and (5))
- 2) the pressure requirement for minimum draught or maximum positive pressure (Equations (6) or (6b) and (6c))
- 3) the pressure requirement for maximum draught or minimum positive pressure (Equations (6a) or (6d))
- 4) the temperature requirement (Equation (7))

NOTE 1 The calculation is affected by the specific installation design. For recommendations for the installation of appliance and connection flue pipes see Annex A.

NOTE 2 The pressure requirements for maximum draught or minimum positive pressure are only required if there is a limit for the maximum draught for the (negative pressure) heating appliance or a minimum differential pressure of the (positive pressure) heating appliance.

In order to verify the criteria two sets of external conditions are used:

- the calculation of the minimum draught and maximum positive pressure (draught) is made with conditions for which the capacity of the chimney is minimal (i.e. high outside temperature); and also
- the calculation of the maximum draught and minimum positive pressure and of the inner wall temperature with conditions for which the inside temperature of the chimney is minimal (i.e. low outside temperature).

The validation of the mass flow requirement and pressure requirement shall be done at following working conditions, using the external and ambient air temperatures specified in prEN 13384-1.

- All heating appliances are simultaneously operating at nominal heat output.
- All heating appliances are simultaneously operating at minimum heat output
- A single heating appliance operating at nominal heat output and all other appliances out of action (all possible cases)
- A single heating appliance operating at minimum heat output and all other appliances out of action (all possible cases)

If the control of the installation guarantees that not all appliances will be in operation simultaneously, the validation of the mass flow requirement and pressure requirement may be done with the maximum number of appliances which will be in operation under the most adverse condition.

The validation for the mass flow requirement and pressure requirement for working conditions with heating appliances at minimum heat output is not required in the following cases:

- the heating appliances do not have any heat output range
- the heating appliances have a heat output which is limited to a fixed value as specified on a label on the appliance. In this case the nominal heat output is the given heat output on the label.

- heating appliances heated with solid fuels without fan and appliances with regulated air supply.

The validation of the mass flow requirement for working conditions with appliances at nominal heat output is not required in the following case:

- the heating appliances have a flue gas mass flow at minimum heat output higher than or equal to the flue gas mass flow at nominal heat output.

The temperature requirement shall be validated for the following relevant working condition, using the ambient and external air temperatures as specified in prEN 13384-1:

- heating appliances for solid fuels without fan and heating appliances with regulated air supply are in operation at nominal heat output,
- heating appliances with a draught diverter which provide domestic hot water only are out of action. These heating appliances operate with a considerable secondary air (These operate only a short time and therefore it can be assumed that condensation will not cause damage or a lack in safety);
- heating appliances with a fixed output range are in operation at this (nominal) heat output;
- all other heating appliances are in operation at minimum heat output.

When chimneys suitable for operating under wet conditions are located inside a building the check of the temperature requirement is necessary only for the top of the chimney.

The validation of the temperature requirement is not necessary when the chimney serves only domestic gas fired water heaters with instantaneous production and domestic gas fired storage water heaters.

If the chimney system includes a draught regulator, the system is handled as a cascade system.

5.2 Pressure equilibrium condition

5.2.1 Negative pressure chimneys

The following equations shall be fulfilled for each chimney segment j at all relevant working conditions:

$$|P_{Z,j} - P_{Ze,j}| \leq 0,1, \text{ in Pa} \quad (1)$$

$$P_{Z,j} = -P_L + \sum_{k=j}^N (P_{H,k} - P_{R,k}), \text{ in Pa} \quad (2)$$

$$P_{Ze,j} = P_{Wc,j} + P_{V,j} + P_{Bc,j}, \text{ in Pa} \quad (3)$$

where

$P_{Z,j}$ draught at the flue gas inlet to the chimney segment j , in Pa

$P_{H,k}$ theoretical draught due to chimney effect in chimney segment k , in Pa

$P_{R,k}$ pressure resistance of the chimney segment k , in Pa

$P_{Wc,j}$ calculated draught of the heating appliance, in Pa

$P_{V,j}$ calculated pressure resistance of the connecting flue pipe of chimney segment j , in Pa

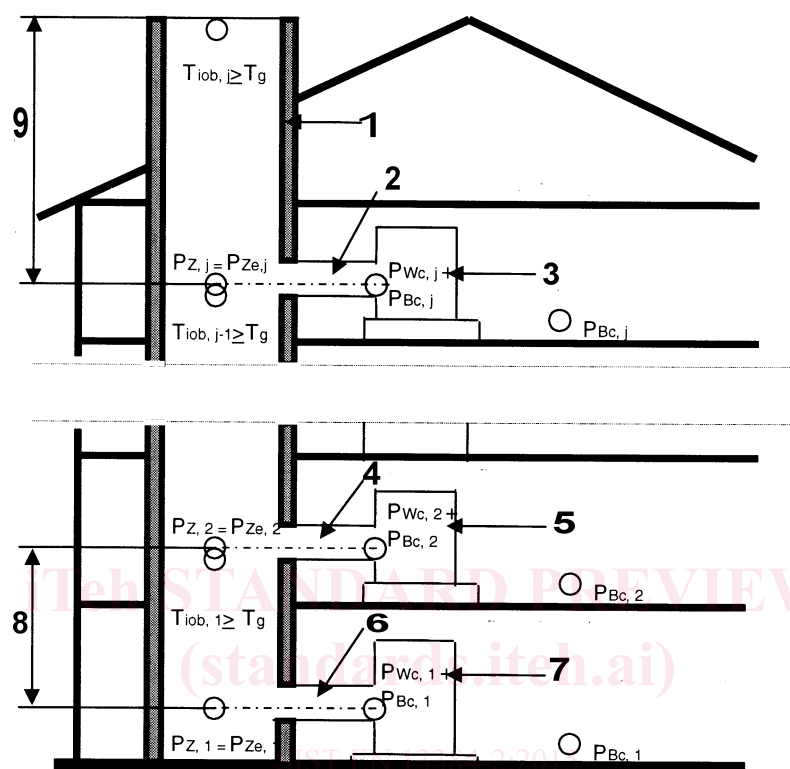
$P_{Bc,j}$ calculated pressure resistance of the air supply for the heating appliance j , in Pa

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$P_{Ze,j}$ required draught at the flue gas inlet to the chimney segment j , in Pa

P_L wind velocity pressure, in Pa

N number of heating appliances



Key

- 1 Chimney
- 2 Connecting flue pipe j
- 3 Heating appliance j
- 4 Connecting flue pipe 2
- 5 Heating appliance 2
- 6 Connecting flue pipe 1
- 7 Heating appliance 1
- 8 Chimney segment 1
- 9 Chimney segment j

Figure 1 — Example of multiple inlet arrangement and numbering pressure values and temperature values of a chimney serving more than one heating appliance

5.2.2 Positive pressure chimneys

The following equations shall be fulfilled for each chimney segment j at all relevant working conditions:

$$|P_{ZOe,j} - P_{ZO,j}| \leq 0,1, \text{ in Pa} \quad (3a)$$

$$P_{ZO,j} = P_L + \sum_{k=j}^N (P_{R,k} - P_{H,k}), \text{ in Pa} \quad (3b)$$

$$P_{ZOe,j} = P_{WOC,j} - P_{V,j} - P_{Bc,j}, \text{ in Pa} \quad (3c)$$

where

$P_{ZO,j}$ positive pressure at the flue gas inlet to the chimney segment j , in Pa

$P_{H,k}$ theoretical draught due to chimney effect in chimney segment k , in Pa

$P_{R,k}$ pressure resistance of the chimney segment k , in Pa

$P_{WOC,j}$ calculated positive differential pressure of the heating appliance j , in Pa

$P_{V,j}$ calculated pressure resistance of the connecting flue pipe of chimney segment j , in Pa

$P_{Bc,j}$ calculated pressure resistance of the air supply for the heating appliance j , in Pa

$P_{ZOe,j}$ maximum differential pressure at the flue gas inlet to the chimney segment j , in Pa

P_L wind velocity pressure, in Pa

N number of heating appliances

5.3 Mass flow requirement

Equations (4) and/or (5) shall be verified for all relevant working conditions (see 5.6).

For each heating appliance in operation at nominal or minimum heat output:

$$\dot{m}_{WC,j} \geq \dot{m}_{W,j}, \text{ in kg/s} \quad (4)$$

and for each heating appliance out of action:

$$\dot{m}_{WC,j} \geq 0, \text{ in kg/s} \quad (5)$$

where

$\dot{m}_{WC,j}$ calculated mass flow of the heating appliance, in kg/s

$\dot{m}_{W,j}$ declared mass flow of the heating appliance, in kg/s

Where a damper is applied, flow resistance shall be taken as 0 unless additional data are available.