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# **European foreword**

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For relationship with EU Regulation, see informative Annex ZA, which is an integral part of this document.

This document is one of the product European Standards within the framework series of EN 15651 on *Sealants for non-structural use in joints in buildings and pedestrian walkways,* as follows:

- Part 1: Sealants for facade elements,
- Part 2: Sealants for glazing,
- Part 3: Sealants for sanitary joints (this document),
- Part 4: Sealants for pedestrian walkways,
- Part 5: Assessment and verification of constancy of performance, marking and labelling.

The following significant technical changes have been implemented in this new edition:

- Clause 4.1.3 and Clause 5 have been improved;
- Clause 7 and Annex ZA have been changed in accordance with the regulation (EU) No.305/2011.

#### FprEN 15651-3:2016 (E)

# 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies definitions and requirements for sealants used for sealing of joints applied in sanitary areas in the interior of buildings exposed to non-pressurized water.

It covers joints in:

- bathrooms;
- toilets:
- showers;
- domestic kitchens;
- prefabricated elements in sanitary areas (e.g. shower cubicles).

Industrial, drinking water, underwater (swimming pools, sewage systems, etc.), food contact applications and sealing of glass-ceramic cooktop panels (stove tops, ceramic hobs) are excluded from the scope.

This European Standard does not provide criteria or recommendations for the design of joints and installation of sealants in sanitary applications.

NOTE Provisions on assessment and verification of constancy of performance - AVCP (i.e. Product type determination and Factory Production Control) and marking of these products are given in EN 15651–5.

This European Standard does not apply to non-structural sealants in any of non-paste form, to those used in sanitary joints and to oil-based mastics.

#### 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 13238, Reaction to fire tests for building products - Conditioning procedures and general rules for selection of substrates

EN 13501-1, Fire classification of construction products and building elements — Part 1: Classification using data from reaction to fire tests

FprEN 15651-5:2016, Sealants for non-structural use in joints in buildings and pedestrian walkways - Part 5: Evaluation of conformity and marking

EN ISO 846:1997, Plastics - Evaluation of the action of microorganisms (ISO 846:1997)

EN ISO 868, Plastics and ebonite - Determination of indentation hardness by means of a durometer (Shore hardness) (ISO 868)

EN ISO 2811-1:2016, Paints and varnishes - Determination of density - Part 1: Pyknometer method (ISO 2811-1:2016)

EN ISO 6927, Buildings and civil engineering works - Sealants - Vocabulary (ISO 6927)

EN ISO 7390, Building construction - Jointing products - Determination of resistance to flow of sealants (ISO 7390)

EN ISO 8340, Building construction - Sealants - Determination of tensile properties at maintained extension (ISO 8340)

EN ISO 9047, Building construction - Jointing products - Determination of adhesion/cohesion properties of sealants at variable temperatures (ISO 9047)

EN ISO 10563, Building construction - Sealants - Determination of change in mass and volume (ISO 10563)

EN ISO 10590, Building construction - Sealants - Determination of tensile properties of sealants at maintained extension after immersion in water (ISO 10590)

EN ISO 10591, Building construction - Sealants - Determination of adhesion/cohesion properties of sealants after immersion in water (ISO 10591)

EN ISO 11358 (all parts), *Plastics — Thermogravimetry (TG) of polymers — General principles (ISO 11358)* 

EN ISO 11600:2003, Building construction - Jointing products - Classification and requirements for sealants (ISO 11600:2002)

EN ISO 11925-2, Reaction to fire tests - Ignitability of products subjected to direct impingement of flame - Part 2: Single-flame source test (ISO 11925-2)

ISO 13640, Building construction — Jointing products — Specifications for test substrates

#### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN ISO 6927 and the following apply.

#### 3.1

#### non-reactive sealant

mainly physical drying mechanism, without significant change in the molecular weight of the main polymer

#### 3.2

#### reactive sealant

mainly curing by chemical reaction, with significant increase of the molecular weight of the main polymer

#### 3.3

#### cure

irreversible transformation of a sealant from a liquid or paste-like state into a hardened or rubber-like solid state

#### 3.4

# uncured / wet

state of a sealant prior to the above transformation

## 4 Requirements

## 4.1 Identification requirements and test methods

#### 4.1.1 Short description of the sealant

The short description of the non-structural sealant for sanitary joints includes: brand name, type (general chemical family), opaque or translucent, waterborne or solvent based or solvent free, reactive or non-reactive, and one or multi-component (e.g. waterborne acrylic opaque and one component, etc.).

The primer shall be stated for the substrate concerned, if relevant (name, chemical type, etc.).

### 4.1.2 Thermogravimetric test

The test shall be carried out in accordance with EN ISO 11358 on the uncured or wet sealant, between 35 °C and 900 °C, temperature slope 10 °C/min, non-oxidative condition (e.g. nitrogen). A single sample shall be used for this test. A single specimen may be tested and there shall be no significant difference between the reference curve and derivative (profile).

In the case of a multi-component sealant, each component shall be evaluated (if relevant).

# **4.1.3 Density**

#### 4.1.3.1 Principal

A pyknometer is filled with the product under test. The density is calculated from the mass of the product in the pyknometer and the known volume of the pyknometer.

#### 4.1.3.2 Method

A test temperature of  $(23.0 \pm 0.5)$  °C shall be used and the test sample and pyknometer shall be conditioned to this temperature, and it shall be ensured that the temperature variation does not exceed 0.5 °C during testing.

The determination of the density shall be in accordance with EN ISO 2811-1:2016 using a suitable 50 cm<sup>3</sup> calibrated pyknometer as described in EN ISO 2811-1:2016, 6.1.1. An alternative is the 50 cm<sup>3</sup> Hubbard pyknometer as described in ISO 3507.

Measurements should be carried out on the uncured or wet sealant and in the case of a multi-component sealant, each component shall be evaluated. At least three samples shall be tested. The specific pyknometer used and the mean value, recorded to two decimal places, shall be declared. The tolerance of the declared values shall be within  $\pm 5 \%$ .

# 4.1.4 Indentation hardness (Shore hardness)

The determination of the indentation hardness shall be in accordance with EN ISO 868. The test shall be performed on the cured or dried sealant.

The exact conditions of the test shall be defined by the manufacturer, i.e. thickness, cure/drying times and temperature and relative humidity, specific Shore type (A, D...), test time, temperature, etc.

At least three samples shall be tested and five measurements taken per sample. The mean value and tolerances of all measurements, recorded to the nearest unit, shall be declared.

## 4.2 Conditioning, test procedure and substrates

When determining the classification of a sanitary sealant according to the requirements of this standard, the same conditioning procedure shall be used in all the relevant test methods (Method A or Method B conditioning shall be used for all relevant tests).