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Paragliding equipment - Harnesses - Safety requirements and strength tests

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## European foreword

This document (EN 1651:2018/prA1:2019) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 136 “Sports, playground and other recreational facilities and equipment”, the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

This document is currently submitted to the CEN Enquiry.

In comparison with the previous edition EN 1651:2018, the following significant changes have been made:

- a) introduction of requirements and test method for extraction of the emergency parachute;
- b) addition of an example for template of manufacturer's attestation in Annex A.

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**EN 1651:2018/prA1:2019 (E)****1 Modification to 4.2 “Strength requirements”**

Add a new subclause 4.2.10 as follows:

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**4.2.10 Static parachute extraction test for harnesses with integrated emergency parachute container(s)**

For harnesses with integrated emergency parachute container(s), the extraction of the emergency parachute in its inner container shall be tested in accordance with 5.5.1.11.

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**2 Modification to 5.5.1 “Strength test methods”**

Add a new subclause 5.5.1.11 as follows:

“

**5.5.1.11 Static parachute extraction test**

The test shall be carried out in a static situation, with the parachute secured within its inner container. When tested in accordance with the action specified in the manufacturer’s user manual, the extraction shall be made in one fluid motion.

The force required to activate the deployment handle should be greater than 2 daN (to avoid unintentional activation).

The force required to extract the parachute from the outer container should not exceed 7 daN (to allow for single handed deployment).

The force shall be measured with any suitable force measuring equipment at the discretion of the test house.

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**3 Modification to Annex A**

Replace the existing Annex A with the following:

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## Annex A (informative)

### Example of manufacturer's attestation for emergency parachute deployment

Table A.1 shows an example for a form which may be copied as required. The information provided in italic and introduced in square brackets only give further guidance and can be removed before using the form.

**Table A.1 — Example**

<b>Emergency parachute system deployment function under <i>g</i>-force</b>					Label of Manufacturer				
Manufacturer		<i>[manufacturer name]</i>			Location		<i>[location of test]</i>		
Harness sample / size		<i>[harness name, size e.g. "M"]</i>			Date		<i>[date]</i>		
Number of integrated emergency parachute containers in this harness		1 <i>[note : an attestation form to be submitted for each integrated emergency parachute container]</i>			Time		<i>[time]</i>		
Container identification for this test		<i>under seat</i>			EN 1651:year		<i>[e.g. 2017]</i>		
Container volume (cm <sup>3</sup> )		min.	3 000	max.	5 000	Manufacturer's test reference no. <i>[for manufacturer's records]</i>			
Emergency parachute deployment bag type		<i>specific to this integrated container</i>							
<i>g</i> -force measuring instrument		<i>[name of force measuring instrument]</i>			s/n		<i>[Serial number of <i>g</i>-force measurement instrument]</i>		
Last calibration		<i>[date of last calibration]</i>							
Test performed during actual or simulated flight:					<i>simulated in <i>g</i>-force trainer</i>				
Printed name of test operator					<i>[name]</i>				
Signature of the test operator					<i>[signature]</i>				
Printed name of Manufacturer's representative					<i>[name of person submitting test on behalf of manufacturer]</i>				
Signature of the Manufacturer's representative					<i>[signature of person submitting test on behalf of manufacturer]</i>				
Address of Manufacturer									

**EN 1651:2018/prA1:2019 (E)****Manufacturer's attestation to the test house:**

As authorized representative of the manufacturer of the harness model ..... (insert model name), I confirm that the emergency parachute deployment from integrated container test has been performed in accordance with the requirements of EN 1651 for all sizes of this harness model, and successful extraction of the emergency parachute system from the harness was achieved during the test by using the action(s) described below:

*A successful extraction of the parachute system from the harness requires the user to grasp the deployment handle with their right hand and pull it forcefully in one movement in any direction away from the harness, which will release the parachute pins and withdraw the emergency parachute system from the harness.*

*The emergency parachute system can then be deployed in the manner recommended by the parachute manufacturer.*

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