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European foreword

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This document supersedes EN 13141-1:2004.

In addition to a number of editorial revisions, the following main changes have been made with respect to EN 13141-1:2004:

- terms, definitions, symbols and units have been updated;
- in 5.1.2.1, the test installation has been completed;
- in 5.1.2.2, uncertainty of measurement has been amended and brackets removed;
- in 5.1.3, the test procedure has been updated;
- in 5.1.4, analysis of results has been updated;
- in 5.1.5, a dimensioned drawing of the air transfer device, opening and position on the board in the test is now required in the test report;
- in 5.5.3, one minor update to the zone test heights has been made;
- in Clause 6, performance of testing sound insulation requirement to conduct test in the board configuration as indicated in 5.1.2.1 has been added;
- Annex B (informative) showing typical examples has been added.

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Introduction

The position of this document in the field of standards for the mechanical building services is shown in Figure 1.

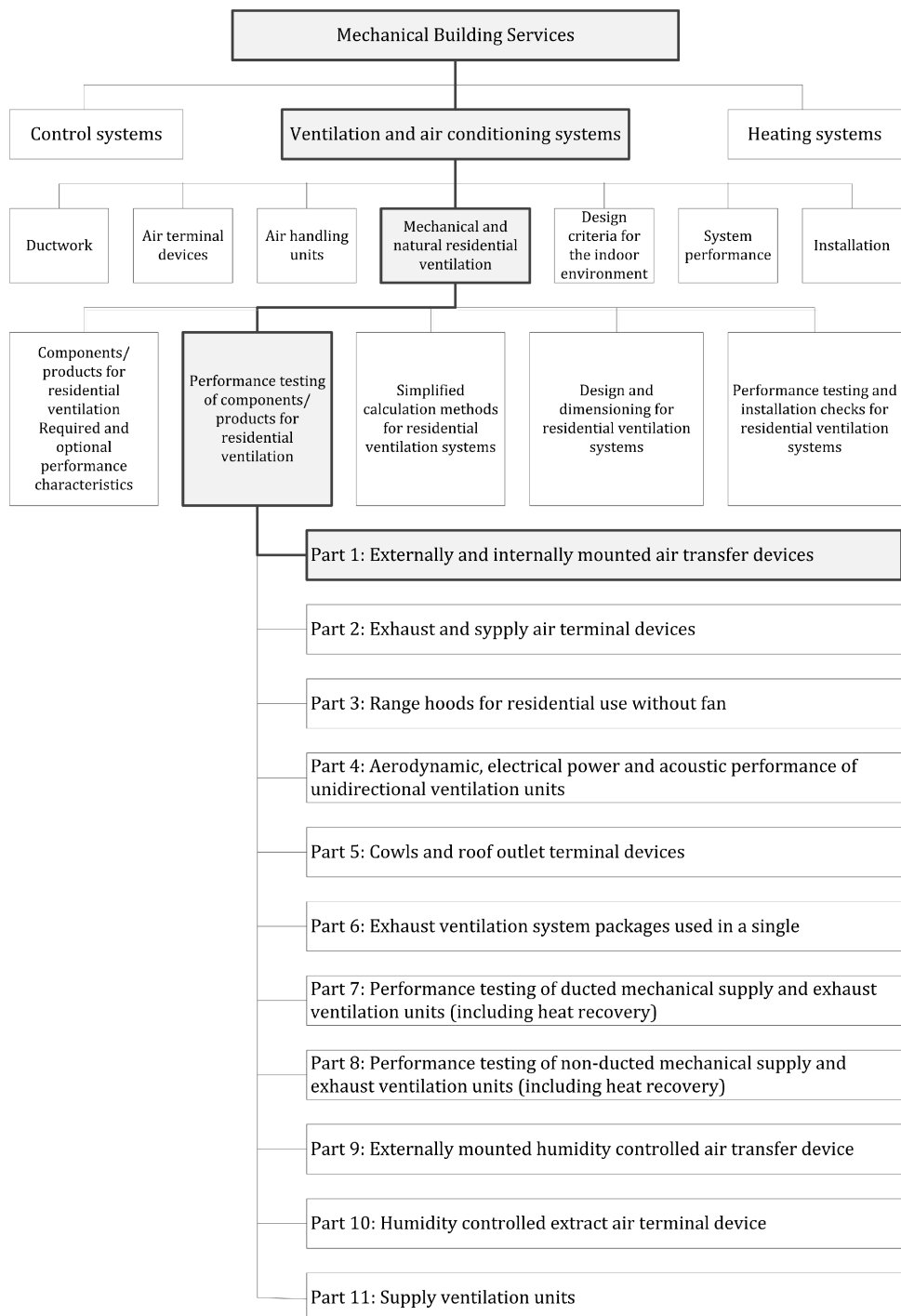


Figure 1 — Position of EN 13141-1 in the field of the mechanical building services

1 Scope

This document specifies laboratory methods for testing externally and internally mounted air transfer devices operating under pressure differences.

This document applies to air transfer devices of the following types:

- air transfer devices with fixed opening(s);
- air transfer devices with manually adjustable opening(s);
- air transfer devices with pressure difference controlled opening(s);
- window openings specifically designed to act as an air transfer device.

This document describes tests intended to characterize the following:

- flow rate/pressure;
- equivalent area
- reverse flow ability;
- air tightness when closed;
- free area;
- air diffusion in the occupied zone;
- sound insulation;
- water tightness.

This document does not apply to evaluation of:

- air filtration;
- condensation risk;
- noise production.

2 Normative references

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EN 1027, *Windows and doors — Water tightness — Test method*

EN 12238, *Ventilation for buildings — Air terminal devices — Aerodynamic testing and rating for mixed flow application*

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