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- Part 4: Linear joint seals
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Introduction

The purpose of this test is to measure the ability of a representative chimney construction to resist the spread of fire from one fire compartment to another.

The fire can attack

- only from outside the chimney;
- as well as from outside the chimney entering into the chimney.

The test method is applicable to vertical and horizontal chimneys, taking into account joints and openings as parts of the system chimney assembly.

The fire resistance from inside the chimney as a result of a sootfire (considered as resistance to fire internal to external, according to EN 1443) has to be tested in accordance to the relevant product standards and is not covered by this standard.

The test measures the length of time for which chimneys of specified dimensions, supported as they would be in practice, satisfy defined criteria when exposed to fire only from outside or from both inside and outside the chimney.

It is in the responsibility of the member states to require whether test specimen A or B (see 3.4) is to be tested.

Caution: The attention of all persons concerned with managing and carrying out this fire resistance test is drawn to the fact that fire testing may be hazardous and that there is a possibility that toxic and/or harmful smoke and gases may be evolved during the test. Mechanical and operational hazards may also arise during the construction of the test elements or structures, their testing and disposal of test residues.

An assessment of all potential hazards and risks to health should be made and safety precautions should be identified and provided. Written safety instructions should be issued. Appropriate training should be given to relevant personnel. Laboratory personnel should ensure that they follow written safety instructions at all times.

1 Scope

This document specifies a procedure to determine the fire resistance time for chimney constructions (see normative references), shafts of chimneys or penetration elements as part of a chimney construction under standardized fire conditions. The test examines the behaviour of chimney products exposed to fire only from the outside or fire from the outside entering into the chimney. This standard is used in conjunction with EN 1363-1. In chimneys combustion air supply ducts can also be included. The standard also applies to such chimneys. Slanted chimneys are not included.

Annex A provides general guidance and background information. This document is not applicable to:

- sootfire resistance conditions;
- accessories unless they are included in the system chimney to be tested;
- one, two or three sided enclosures.

If the pressure inside the chimney can in practice decrease to lower values than - 40 Pa or increase to higher values than + 5000 Pa it shall be considered that this cannot be covered by the test prescribed in this standard.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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 1363-1:2012, *Fire resistance tests - Part 1: General Requirements*

EN 1443, *Chimneys - General requirements*

EN 1457-1, *Chimneys - Clay/ceramic flue liners - Part 1: Flue liners operating under dry conditions - Requirements and test methods*

EN 1457-2, *Chimneys - Clay/ceramic flue liners - Part 2: Flue liners operating under wet conditions - Requirements and test methods*

EN 1856-1, *Chimneys - Requirements for metal chimneys - Part 1: System chimney products*

EN 1856-2, *Chimneys - Requirements for metal chimneys - Part 2: Metal flue liners and connecting flue pipes*

EN 1857, *Chimneys - Components - Concrete flue liners*

EN 1858, *Chimneys - Components - Concrete flue blocks*

EN 12446, *Chimneys - Components - Concrete outer wall elements*

EN 13063-1, *Chimneys - System chimneys with Part 1: Requirements and test methods for soot fire resistance clay/ceramic flue liners*

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