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- a) new subclause about instruments and measurements (see 6.6);
- b) new procedure for measuring the fluid dynamic efficiency (FDE), which follows the CENELEC proposal in principle;
- c) revised procedure for determining the odour reduction for cooking fume extractors in recirculation mode (see Clause 12);
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## COOKING FUME EXTRACTORS – METHODS FOR MEASURING PERFORMANCE

### 1 Scope

This document applies to **cooking fume extractors** incorporating a fan for the **recirculation** or **extraction mode** situated in a household kitchen.

It can also be used for **cooking fume extractors** where the fan is mounted separately from the appliance, but controlled by the appliance when the fan is defined in the technical documentation (e.g. name plate data) and instructions for installation.

This document deals also with **down-draft systems** arranged beside, behind or under the cooking appliance.

This document defines the main performance characteristics of these appliances, which are of interest to the user, and specifies methods for measuring these characteristics.

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ISO 5167-1, *Measurement of fluid flow by means of pressure differential devices inserted in circular cross-section conduits running full – Part 1: General principles and requirements*

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