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#### **Foreword**

This document (EN 1509:2008) 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 European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by May 2009, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by May 2009.

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This document supersedes EN 1509:2004.

The principal changes from the previous edition of EN 1509 are as follows:

- a) The general safety requirements and test methods have been adapted to the currently updated EN 913 with exclusions.
- The scope was extended for indoor standing as well as for indoor wheel chair badminton equipment.
- c) Inclusion of four different classes for the distinction of badminton equipment for competition or training including wheelchair equipment.
- d) Concretion of the requirements on posts and nets.
- e) Inclusion of requirements on the construction of top net lines.
- f) Extension of a new Clause 6 "Test report".
- g) Clause 7 "Instructions for use" and Clause 8 "Marking" were extended.

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### 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the functional requirements (see Clause 3) and the safety requirements (see Clause 4) for badminton equipment, excluding rackets and shuttlecocks.

This European Standard is applicable to three types and four classes for indoor standing as well as for indoor wheel chair badminton equipment for competition and training (see 3.1).

Other types and sizes as those described in this European Standard are permissible provided the safety requirements of this European Standard are taken into consideration.

#### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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 913, Gymnastic equipment – General safety requirements and test methods

EN ISO 1806, Fishing nets – Determination of mesh breaking force of netting (ISO 1806:2002)

EN ISO 2307, Fibre ropes – Determination of certain physical and mechanical properties (ISO 2307:2005)

# 3 Requirements

#### 3.1 Classification

Badminton equipment as a whole consisting of a pair of posts and a net shall be classified by the design (types and classes) as shown in Tables 1 and 2.

Table 1 — Types

Туре	Description	Example
1	with ground sockets	Figure A.1
2	with bases and ground fixings	Figure A.2
3	freestanding	Figure A.3

Table 2 — Classes

Class	Description	
А	Competition standing equipment	
В	Competition wheel chair equipment	
С	Training standing equipment	
D	Training wheel chair equipment	

#### 3.2 Designation

Example for the designation of badminton equipment according to this standard of type 1 and class A:



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