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Foreword

This document (EN 13200-1:2012) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 315 "Spectator facilities", the secretariat of which is held by UNI.

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- a) quality of figures improved;
- b) new Clause 4 "Materials and technical installations" introduced;
- c) requirements added in Clause 5 in order to cover places for spectators with special needs.

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- EN 13200-1, *Spectator facilities — Part 1: General characteristics for spectator viewing area* (the present document);
- CEN/TR 13200-2:2005, *Spectator facilities — Layout criteria of service area — Part 2: Characteristics and national situations*;
- EN 13200-3, *Spectator facilities — Part 3: Separating elements — Requirements*;
- EN 13200-4, *Spectator facilities — Part 4: Seats — Product Characteristics*;
- EN 13200-5, *Spectator facilities — Part 5: Telescopic stands*;
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Introduction

This European Standard has been prepared in order to specify the general design criteria for spectator facilities, with the purpose of enabling their functionality. Within this European Standard, minimum and recommended values for dimensions are occasionally presented.

Attention is drawn to the fact that in certain countries additional/different requirements may be applicable due to existing national regulations or equivalent.

In certain countries, the minimum number of spectators is related to the application of this standard.

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