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performance, de sécurité et essais

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Gebäuden - Einstellbare Dosiersysteme - Anforderungen
an Ausführung, Sicherheit und Prüfung

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Foreword

This document (EN 15848:2010) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 164 "Water supply", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies definitions, principles of construction (but not dimensions) and design, requirements on performance and operation as well as methods for testing the performance of adjustable chemical dosing systems for conditioning water intended for human consumption inside buildings (see [1]) which are permanently connected to the mains supply.

The concentration in the treated water of the active chemical(s) as well as of any other ingredient or minor component (including possible contaminants) should not exceed the parametric values laid down in the existing legislation in the Member States for the water intended for the human consumption, as implemented by the national authorities.

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 55011, *Industrial, scientific and medical (ISM) radio-frequency equipment — Electromagnetic disturbance characteristics — Limits and methods of measurement (CISPR 11:2003 + A1:2004, modified)*

EN 60204-1, *Safety of machinery — Electrical equipment of machines — Part 1: General requirements (IEC 60204-1:2005, modified)*

EN 60335-1, *Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 1: General requirements (IEC 60335-1:2001, modified)*

EN 60335-2-41, *Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 2-41: Particular requirements for pumps (IEC 60335-2-41:2002)*

EN ISO 12100-1, *Safety of machinery — Basic concepts, general principles for design — Part 1: Basic terminology, methodology (ISO 12100-1:2003)*

EN ISO 12100-2, *Safety of machinery — Basic concepts, general principles for design — Part 2: Technical principles (ISO 12100-2:2003)*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1 adjustable dosing system
device used for the controlled addition of chemicals in concentrations that can be adjusted on the installation site

3.2 working range
range of treated water flow rates between which the dosing system provides the required accuracy of concentration of the chemicals within limits of concentration and pressure drop prescribed by the manufacturer.

NOTE The working range covers the range between the upper and lower working limits.

3.3 dosing agent
active chemical substance for conditioning water intended for human consumption

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