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European foreword

This document (EN 16582-3:2015) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 402 "Domestic pools and spas", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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- *Part 1: General requirements including safety and test methods;*
- *Part 2: Specific requirements including safety and test methods for inground pools;*
- *Part 3: Specific requirements including safety and test methods for aboveground pools.*

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EN 16582-3:2015 (E)**1 Scope**

This part of EN 16582 specifies the specific safety and quality requirements and test methods for domestic aboveground swimming pools in addition to the general requirements of EN 16582-1 and shall be read in conjunction with it. The requirements of this standard take priority over those in EN 16582-1.

These requirements and test methods are applicable to aboveground pool structures, including their means of access.

This European Standard applies to pools with a minimum water depth of more than 400 mm.

This European Standard does not apply to:

- pools of public use covered by EN 15288-1;
- paddling pools according to EN 71-8;
- domestic or public use spas.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 1875-3, *Rubber- or plastics- coated fabrics - Determination of tear strength - Part 3: Trapezoidal method*

EN 16582-1:2015, *Domestic swimming pools - Part 1: General requirements including safety and test methods*

EN ISO 1421, *Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of tensile strength and elongation at break (ISO 1421)*

EN ISO 2411, *Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of coating adhesion (ISO 2411)*

EN ISO 4674-2, *Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of tear resistance - Part 2: Ballistic pendulum method (ISO 4674-2)*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 16582-1:2015 and the following apply.

**3.1
frame**

all of the resistant parts that support and/or reinforce the wall in view of forming the peripheral structure

Note 1 to entry: See Figure 1.

**3.2
pool wall**

generally upright structure serving to enclose or divide water or to protect an area

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