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Foreword

This document (EN 13141-4:2011) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 156 “Ventilation for buildings”, the secretariat of which is held by BSI.

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of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by January 2012, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by January 2012.

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This document supersedes EN 13141-4:2004.

In comparison to EN 13141-4:2004, the following changes have been made:

- in Clause 2 updating of the normative references mainly to include the revision of acoustics standards;
- in Clause 3 updating of the definitions;
- in 4.2.2.1 Figures 2 and 3 have been defined more precisely and an example of connection box for inlets on 2 opposite faces of the fan casing has been added in Figure 3 c);
- in 4.2.2.2 b) suppression of the procedure to determine the inlet to be connected;
- in 4.3 suppression of the equation to calculate the fan work per unit mass;
- addition of 4.4 Energy efficiency including Table 2 concerning part load weighting and an equation to calculate the weighted energy efficiency;
- in 5.1 change of terms;
- addition of 5.2.1 Parameters to test and test method including Table 3 concerning tests methods;
- in 5.2.3 (ex 5.2.2) suppression of the note and adding of an example of test room for category D installation in Figure 9 d);
- in 5.2.4 (ex 5.2.3) suppression of the list of standards and the sentence concerning non-ideal free field conditions;
- in 5.4 modification of the limits of the octave band for the presentation of results, addition of the list of the results that shall be specify and modification of the Table 4 (ex Table 1);
- 6.1 the points of measurement have been defined more precisely;
- in Bibliography updating of the references.

The standard is one of a series of standards on residential ventilation. The performance characteristics of the components/products for residential ventilation are given in EN 13142.

The position of this standard in the field of mechanical building services is shown in Figure 1.

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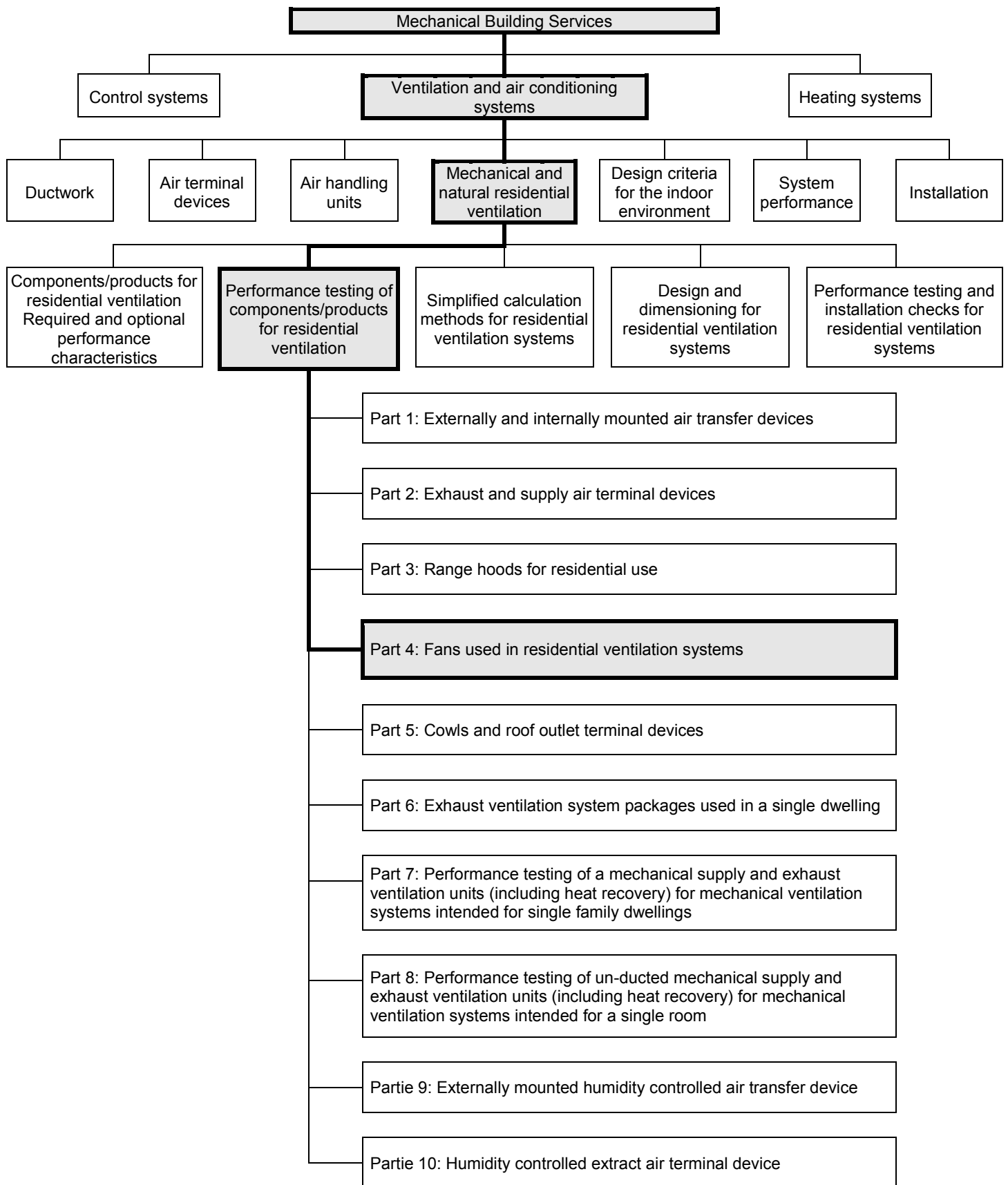


Figure 1 — Position of EN 13141-4 in the field of mechanical building services

1 Scope

This European Standard specifies aerodynamic, acoustic and electrical power performance test methods for fans used in residential ventilation. These methods primarily concern:

- ventilation fans installed on a wall or in a window without any duct;
- ventilation fans installed in the downstream of a duct;
- ventilation fans installed in the upstream of a duct;
- ventilation fans installed in a duct;
- encased ventilation fans having several inlets.

For acoustic performance testing one of the following methods is used:

- in-duct method;
- reverberant room method;
- enveloping surface method.

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 60335-2-80, *Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 2-80: Particular requirements for fans (IEC 60335-2-80:2002)*

EN ISO 5136 *Acoustics — Determination of sound power radiated into a duct by fans and other air-moving devices — In-duct method (ISO 5136:2003)*

EN ISO 5801:2008, *Industrial fans — Performance testing using standardized airways (ISO 5801:2007 including Cor 1:2008)*

ISO 13347-2, *Industrial fans — Determination of fan sound power levels under standardized laboratory conditions — Part 2: Reverberant room method*

ISO 13347-3, *Industrial fans — Determination of fan sound power levels under standardized laboratory conditions — Part 3: Enveloping surface methods*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purpose of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN ISO 5801:2008 and the following apply.

3.1 fan pressure

p_F
pressure increase (in Pa) induced by the fan given as the difference of outlet and inlet total pressure

NOTE Pressure is expressed in Pascals.

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