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Part 3: Test methods

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Foreword

This document (EN 14511-3:2013) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 113 “Heat pumps and air conditioning units”, the secretariat of which is held by AENOR.

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of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by January 2014 and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by January 2014.

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This document supersedes EN 14511-3:2011.

The main changes with respect to the previous edition are listed below:

a) the addition of requirements related to the electrical consumption and the air flow rate measurement of ducted units;

b) the addition of a table template containing the test results of the ducted units;

c) the addition of two normative annexes related to indoor and outdoor units of multsplit and modular heat recovery multisplit systems and air flow rate measurement;

d) the addition of an Annex ZA relating to the Commission Regulation (EC) n°206/2012.

This document has been prepared under a mandate given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association, and supports essential requirements of EU Directive(s).

For relationship with EU Directive(s), see informative Annex ZA, which is an integral part of this document.

Although this document has been prepared in the frame of the commission regulation (EU) No 206/2012 implementing Directive 2009/125/EC with regard to ecodesign requirements for air conditioners and comfort fans, it is also intended to support the essential requirements of the European Directive 2010/30/CE.

EN 14511 comprises the following parts under the general title *Air conditioners, liquid chilling packages and heat pumps with electrically driven compressors for space heating and cooling*:

— *Part 1: Terms, definitions and classification*,

— *Part 2: Test conditions*,

— *Part 3: Test methods*,

— *Part 4: Operating requirements, marking and instructions.*

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1 Scope

1.1 The scope of EN 14511-1 is applicable.

1.2 This European Standard specifies the test methods for the rating and performance of air conditioners, liquid chilling packages and heat pumps using either air, water or brine as heat transfer media, with electrically driven compressors when used for space heating and cooling.

It also specifies the method of testing and reporting for heat recovery capacities, system reduced capacities and the capacity of individual indoor units of multisplit systems, where applicable.

This European Standard also makes possible to rate multisplit and modular heat recovery multisplit systems by rating separately the indoor and outdoor units.

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 14511-1:2013, *Air conditioners, liquid chilling packages and heat pumps with electrically driven compressors for space heating and cooling — Part 1: Terms, definitions and classification*

EN 14511-2:2013, *Air conditioners, liquid chilling packages and heat pumps with electrically driven compressors for space heating and cooling — Part 2: Test conditions*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 14511-1:2013 apply.

4 Rating capacity test

4.1 Basic principles method of calculation for the determination of capacities

4.1.1 Heating capacity

The heating capacity of air conditioners and of air-to-air or water-to-air heat pumps shall be determined by measurements in a calorimeter room (see Annex A) or by the air enthalpy method (see Annex B).

However, the heating capacity of air conditioners and of air-to-air heat pumps having a cooling capacity below or equal to 12 kW shall be determined by measurements in a calorimeter room.

The heating capacity of air-to-water, water-to-water heat pumps and liquid chilling packages shall be determined in accordance with the direct method at the water or brine heat exchanger, by determination of the volume flow of the heat transfer medium, and the inlet and outlet temperatures, taking into consideration the specific heat capacity and density of the heat transfer medium.

For steady state operation, the heating capacity shall be determined using the following formula:

$$P_H = q \times \rho \times c_p \times \Delta t \quad (1)$$

where