Passenger cars — Mass distribution

Voitures particulières — Répartition des masses
Foreword

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1 Scope
This International Standard defines the distribution of the transportable mass for passenger cars, and specifies
— a conventional average mass for passengers, and
— a conventional mass for luggage.
The total of the masses thus defined represents nominal design pay mass for a given vehicle.
This International Standard applies to passenger cars as defined in ISO 3833.

2 Normative references
The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this International Standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.
ISO 3833:1977, Road vehicles — Types — Terms and definitions.

3 Terms and conventional values
3.1 Conventional mass of passenger, \( m_p \)
The conventional mass of a passenger without luggage is fixed at \( m_p = 68 \) kg.

3.2 Conventional mass of luggage, \( m_b \)
The conventional mass of luggage, for each passenger, is fixed at \( m_b = 7 \) kg.

3.3 Nominal design pay mass, \( m_k \)
The nominal design pay mass, \( m_k \), shall meet the following inequality:
\[
m_k \geq (m_p + m_b) \times n
\]
where \( n \) is the number of seating places as defined by the manufacturer.

3.4 Nominal mass of transportable goods, \( m_{tr} \)
The nominal mass of transportable goods, \( m_{tr} \), is determined by the following formula:
\[
m_{tr} = m_k - m_p \times n_0
\]
where
\[
\begin{align*}
n_0 & \quad \text{is the number of occupied seats;} \\
m_k & \quad \text{is as defined in 3.3;} \\
m_p & \quad \text{is as defined in 3.1.}
\end{align*}
\]

4 Mass distribution
4.1 General requirements
None of the permissible axle loads shall be exceeded.

4.2 Passenger cars with invariable volume of luggage compartment
4.2.1 Passengers
The centre of respective masses is situated, in accordance with ISO 6549, as specified in either a) or b):

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