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## ANNEX III

### Measurements and calculations

1. For the purposes of compliance and verification of compliance with the requirements of this Regulation, measurements and calculations shall be made using [F1 designated standards], or using other reliable, accurate and reproducible methods that take into account the generally recognised state-of-the-art methods. They shall meet the conditions and technical parameters set out in points 2 to 5.
2. General conditions for measurements and calculations
  - (a) For the purposes of the measurements set out in points 2 to 5, the indoor ambient temperature shall be set at  $20\text{ °C} \pm 1\text{ °C}$ .
  - (b) For the purposes of the calculations set out in points 3 to 5, consumption of electricity shall be multiplied by a conversion coefficient  $CC$  of 2,5.
  - (c) Emissions of nitrogen oxides shall be measured as the sum of nitrogen monoxide and nitrogen dioxide, and expressed in nitrogen dioxide.
  - (d) For heaters equipped with supplementary heaters, the measurement and calculation of rated heat output, seasonal space heating energy efficiency, water heating energy efficiency, sound power level and emissions of nitrogen oxides shall take account of the supplementary heater.
  - (e) Declared values for rated heat output, seasonal space heating energy efficiency, water heating energy efficiency, sound power level and emissions of nitrogen oxides shall be rounded to the nearest integer.
  - (f) Any heat generator designed for a heater, and any heater housing to be equipped with such a heat generator, shall be tested with an appropriate heater housing and heat generator, respectively.
3. Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of boiler space heaters, boiler combination heaters and cogeneration space heaters

The seasonal space heating energy efficiency  $\eta_s$  shall be calculated as the seasonal space heating energy efficiency in active mode  $\eta_{son}$ , corrected by contributions accounting for temperature controls, auxiliary electricity consumption, standby heat loss, ignition burner power consumption (if applicable) and, for cogeneration space heaters, corrected by adding the electrical efficiency multiplied by a conversion coefficient  $CC$  of 2,5.
4. Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters
  - (a) For establishing the rated coefficient of performance  $COP_{rated}$  or rated primary energy ratio  $PER_{rated}$ , the sound power level or emissions of nitrogen oxides, the operating conditions shall be the standard rating conditions set out in Table 3 and the same declared capacity for heating shall be used.
  - (b) The active mode coefficient of performance  $SCOP_{on}$  or active mode primary energy ratio  $SPER_{on}$  shall be calculated on the basis of the part load for heating  $Ph(T_j)$ , the supplementary capacity for heating  $sup(T_j)$  (if applicable) and the bin-specific coefficient of performance  $COP_{bin}(T_j)$  or bin-specific

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primary energy ratio  $PER_{bin}(T_j)$ , weighted by the bin-hours for which the bin conditions apply, using the following conditions:

- the reference design conditions set out in Table 4;
- the European reference heating season under average climate conditions set out in Table 5;
- if applicable, the effects of any degradation of energy efficiency caused by cycling depending on the type of control of the heating capacity.

- (c) The reference annual heat demand  $Q_H$  shall be the design load for heating  $P_{designh}$  multiplied by the annual equivalent active mode hours  $H_{HE}$  of 2 066.
- (d) The annual energy consumption  $Q_{HE}$  shall be calculated as the sum of:
- the ratio of the reference annual heating demand  $Q_H$  and the active mode coefficient of performance  $SCOP_{on}$  or active mode primary energy ratio  $SPER_{on}$  and
  - the energy consumption for off, thermostat-off, standby, and crankcase heater mode during the heating season.
- (e) The seasonal coefficient of performance  $SCOP$  or seasonal primary energy ratio  $SPER$  shall be calculated as the ratio of the reference annual heat demand  $Q_H$  and the annual energy consumption  $Q_{HE}$ .
- (f) The seasonal space heating energy efficiency  $\eta_s$  shall be calculated as the seasonal coefficient of performance  $SCOP$  divided by the conversion coefficient  $CC$  or the seasonal primary energy ratio  $SPER$ , corrected by contributions accounting for temperature controls and, for water-/brine-to-water heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters, the electricity consumption of one or more ground water pumps.

## 5. Water heating energy efficiency of combination heaters

The water heating energy efficiency  $\eta_{wh}$  of a combination heater shall be calculated as the ratio between the reference energy  $Q_{ref}$  of the declared load profile and the energy required for its generation under the following conditions:

- (a) measurements shall be carried out using the load profiles set out in Table 7;
- (b) measurements shall be carried out using a 24-hour measurement cycle as follows:
- 00:00 to 06:59: no water draw-off;
  - from 07:00: water draw-offs according to the declared load profile;
  - from end of last water draw-off until 24:00: no water draw-off;
- (c) the declared load profile shall be the maximum load profile or the load profile one below the maximum load profile;
- (d) for heat pump combination heaters, the following additional conditions apply:
- heat pump combination heaters shall be tested under the conditions set out in Table 3;

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- heat pump combination heaters which use ventilation exhaust air as the heat source shall be tested under the conditions set out in Table 6.

**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in Annex 3 para. 1 substituted (31.12.2020) by The Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/539), reg. 1(3), Sch. 2 para. 19(9); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

TABLE 3

**Standard rating conditions for heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters**

| Heat source | Outdoor heat exchanger                | Indoor heat exchanger                                                                        |                    |                            |                    |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
|             | Inlet dry bulb (wet bulb) temperature | Heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters, except low-temperature heat pumps |                    | Low-temperature heat pumps |                    |
|             |                                       | Inlet temperature                                                                            | Outlet temperature | Inlet temperature          | Outlet temperature |
| Outdoor air | + 7 °C (+ 6 °C)                       | + 47 °C                                                                                      | + 55 °C            | + 30 °C                    | + 35 °C            |
| Exhaust air | + 20 °C (+ 12 °C)                     |                                                                                              |                    |                            |                    |
|             | Inlet/outlet temperature              |                                                                                              |                    |                            |                    |
| Water       | + 10 °C/+ 7 °C                        |                                                                                              |                    |                            |                    |
| Brine       | 0 °C/− 3 °C                           |                                                                                              |                    |                            |                    |

TABLE 4

**Reference design conditions for heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters, temperatures in dry bulb air temperature (wet bulb air temperature indicated in brackets)**

| Reference design temperature | Bivalent temperature | Operation limit temperature |
|------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| $T_{designh}$                | $T_{biv}$            | $TOL$                       |
| − 10 (− 11) °C               | maximum + 2 °C       | maximum − 7 °C              |

TABLE 5

**European reference heating season under average climate conditions for heat pump space heaters and heat pump combination heaters**





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| 16:00     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    |              |              |       |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 16:30     |              |       |       |              |              |       |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
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| 18:15     |              |       |       | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3           | 40    |    |    |
| 18:30     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 19:00     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 19:30     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
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| 20:30     |              |       |       |              |              |       |       | <b>1,05</b> | 3            | 35           | <b>0,42</b> | 4     | 10 | 55 |
| 20:45     |              |       |       | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
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| 21:00     |              |       |       | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
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| 21:30     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    |              |              |       |       |             |              | <b>0,525</b> | 5           | 45    |    |    |
| 21:35     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 21:45     | <b>0,015</b> | 2     | 25    | <b>0,105</b> | 2            | 25    |       |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| $Q_{ref}$ | <b>0,345</b> |       |       | <b>2,1</b>   |              |       |       | <b>2,1</b>  |              |              | <b>2,1</b>  |       |    |    |
| <b>h</b>  | <b>M</b>     |       |       |              | <b>L</b>     |       |       |             | <b>XL</b>    |              |             |       |    |    |
|           | $Q_{tap}$    | $f$   | $T_m$ | $T_p$        | $Q_{tap}$    | $f$   | $T_m$ | $T_p$       | $Q_{tap}$    | $f$          | $T_m$       | $T_p$ |    |    |
|           | kWh          | l/min | °C    | °C           | kWh          | l/min | °C    | °C          | kWh          | l/min        | °C          | °C    |    |    |
| 07:00     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |
| 07:05     | <b>1,4</b>   | 6     | 40    |              | <b>1,4</b>   | 6     | 40    |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 07:15     |              |       |       |              |              |       |       |             | <b>1,82</b>  | 6            | 40          |       |    |    |
| 07:26     |              |       |       |              |              |       |       |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |
| 07:30     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 07:45     |              |       |       |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             | <b>4,42</b>  | 10           | 10          | 40    |    |    |
| 08:01     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              |              |       |       |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |
| 08:05     |              |       |       |              | <b>3,605</b> | 10    | 10    | 40          |              |              |             |       |    |    |
| 08:15     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              |              |       |       |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |
| 08:25     |              |       |       |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             |              |              |             |       |    |    |
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| 08:45     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |
| 09:00     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |              | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |             | <b>0,105</b> | 3            | 25          |       |    |    |

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| 10:30     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 10    | 40    | <b>0,105</b>  | 3     | 10    | 40    | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 10    | 40    |
| 11:00     |              |       |       |       |               |       |       |       | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       |
| 11:30     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b>  | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       |
| 11:45     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b>  | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       |
| 12:00     |              |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |              |       |       |       |
| 12:30     |              |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |              |       |       |       |
| 12:45     | <b>0,315</b> | 4     | 10    | 55    | <b>0,315</b>  | 4     | 10    | 55    | <b>0,735</b> | 4     | 10    | 55    |
| 14:30     | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b>  | 3     | 25    |       | <b>0,105</b> | 3     | 25    |       |
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| $Q_{ref}$ | <b>5,845</b> |       |       |       | <b>11,655</b> |       |       |       | <b>19,07</b> |       |       |       |
| <b>h</b>  | XXL          |       |       |       | 3XL           |       |       |       | 4XL          |       |       |       |
|           | $Q_{tap}$    | $f$   | $T_m$ | $T_p$ | $Q_{tap}$     | $f$   | $T_m$ | $T_p$ | $Q_{tap}$    | $f$   | $T_m$ | $T_p$ |
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| 08:01 | <b>0,105</b> | 3  | 25 |    | <b>5,04</b> | 24 | 25 |    | <b>10,08</b> | 48 | 25 |    |
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| 12:45 | <b>0,735</b> | 4  | 10 | 55 | <b>2,52</b> | 32 | 10 | 55 | <b>5,04</b>  | 64 | 10 | 55 |
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| 20:30 | <b>0,735</b> | 4  | 10 | 55 | <b>5,88</b> | 32 | 10 | 55 | <b>11,76</b> | 64 | 10 | 55 |



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| 21:30                  | <b>6,24</b>  | 16 | 10 | 40 | <b>12,04</b> | 48 | 40 |  | <b>24,08</b> | 96 | 40 |  |
| 21:35                  |              |    |    |    |              |    |    |  |              |    |    |  |
| 21:45                  |              |    |    |    |              |    |    |  |              |    |    |  |
| <i>Q<sub>ref</sub></i> | <b>24,53</b> |    |    |    | <b>46,76</b> |    |    |  | <b>93,52</b> |    |    |  |

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- Art. 4(3.1)-(3.3) substituted for Art. 4(3) by [S.I. 2024/696 reg. 6\(2\)\(a\)](#)