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Foreword

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Introduction

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- 1) This standard provides no information as to whether the product may be used without restriction in any of the Member States of the EU or EFTA;
- 2) It should be noted that, while awaiting the adoption of the verifiable European criteria, existing national regulations concerning the use and/or the characteristics of this product remain in force.

1 Scope

The purpose of this standard EN 1213 is to specify:

- the requirements for the materials and the design of stopvalves;
- the mechanical, hydraulic and acoustic requirements;
- the test methods;
- the marking requirements;

for copper alloy stopvalves for use with drinking water supply in buildings.

This standard applies primarily to copper alloy stopvalves, dimensions DN 10 to DN 100, for potable water supply in buildings up to PN 10 and a distribution temperature of 65 °C. Occasional excursions up to 95 °C are permitted for a period of 1 h maximum.

Other metallic materials can be used if it can be verified that they are suitable for the application.

This standard applies also to stopvalves in combination with accessories in the same body.

This standard does not apply to regulating or servicing valves, designed specially to isolate sanitary tapware or other sanitary appliances.

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This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies.

EN 200	<i>Sanitary tapware - General technical specifications for single taps and mixer taps (nominal size 1/2) PN10 - Minimum flow pressure of 0,05 Mpa (0,5 bar)</i>
EN 1254-1	<i>Copper and copper alloys - Plumbing Fittings - Part 1: Fittings with ends for capillary soldering or capillary brazing to copper tubes.</i>
EN 1254-2	<i>Copper and copper alloys - Plumbing Fittings - Part 2: Fittings with compression ends for use with copper tube.</i>
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EN 1982	<i>Copper and copper alloys - Ingots and castings</i>
prEN 10255	<i>Carbon steel tubes suitable for welding or threading.</i>
EN 12420	<i>Copper and copper alloys - Forgings</i>
EN ISO 3822-1	<i>Acoustics - Laboratory tests on noise emission from appliances and equipment used in water supply installations - Part 1 Method of Measurement. (ISO 3822-1: 1999)</i>
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EN ISO 6509	<i>Corrosion of metals and alloys – Determination of dezincification resistance of brass (ISO 6509 : 1981)</i>
ISO 7-1	<i>Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are made on the threads - Part 1 Dimensions, tolerances and designation.</i>
ISO 228-1	<i>Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are not made on the threads - Part 1 Dimensions, tolerances and designation.</i>

3 Definition

For the purposes of this standard, the following definition applies:

Stopvalve: Valve in which the manually operated obturator moves in a straight line and, in the seating area, longitudinally against the direction of flow. It ensures the complete prevention of flow in a water pipe.